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**France, Europe and the World**  
**Society for the Study of French History 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference**

**University of Strathclyde, Glasgow**  
**26-27 June 2017**

**PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME**

**Organisers: Dr Karine Varley and Dr Rogelia Pastor-Castro**

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**Sunday 25 June**

**2-5pm: SSFH Committee Meeting – venue to be confirmed**

**5-6pm: Wine reception**

<b>Time</b>	
<b>Monday 26 June</b>	
<b>9-9.30am</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>9.30-10.30am</b>	<b>Plenary 1</b>
<b>10.30-10.45am</b>	<b>Tea/coffee</b>
<b>10.45am-12.15pm</b>	<b>Parallel Sessions I</b>
<b>12.15-1.15pm</b>	<b>Plenary 2</b>
<b>1.15-2.30pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>1.45-2.30pm</b>	<b>SSFH AGM</b>
<b>2.30-4pm</b>	<b>Parallel Sessions 2</b>
<b>4-4.30pm</b>	<b>Tea/coffee</b>
<b>4.30-6pm</b>	<b>Parallel Sessions 3</b>
<b>7-8pm</b>	<b>Civic Reception</b>
<b>8-10pm</b>	<b>Conference Dinner</b>
<b>Tuesday 26 June</b>	
<b>9-10.30am</b>	<b>Parallel Sessions 4</b>
<b>10.30-10.45am</b>	<b>Tea/coffee</b>
<b>10.45-11.45am</b>	<b>Plenary 3</b>
<b>11.45am-1.15pm</b>	<b>Parallel Sessions 5</b>
<b>1.15-2.15pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>1.25-2.15pm</b>	<b>Gender and diversity roundtable</b>
<b>2.15-3.15pm</b>	<b>Plenary 4</b>
<b>3.15-3.30pm</b>	<b>Tea/coffee</b>
<b>3.30-5pm</b>	<b>Parallel Sessions 6</b>

**Monday 26 June 2017**

**Registration from 9.00 am**

**All parallel sessions and lectures will take place in the Business School, University of Strathclyde**

**9.30-10.30am – Plenary 1: Professor Sophie Wahnich (CNRS) ‘Sortir de la sauvagerie et faire une cité, la question des institutions civiles au printemps de l’an II (1794)’**

**10.30-10.45am – Tea/Coffee**

**10.45am-12.15pm PARALLEL SESSIONS I**

Panel A	Panel B	Panel C	Panel D	Panel E	Panel F
Mohammed Solimani (Perpignan) – ‘L’Histoire de l’engagement de la France en Méditerranée: Point de vue militaire et colonial’	Rhys Jones (Sidney Sussex, Cambridge) - ‘Zones of Time: The Napoleonic Empire and the problems of European spacetime’	Vincent Houle (Université de Montréal/Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne) ‘Redefining the notion of French nation-state: openings and challenges’	Brett Bowles (Indiana) – ‘Les aura-t-on? The History of Faivre’s Iconic WW I Poster’	Florence Largillière (QMUL) - ‘French Conservative Patriotic Jews and the Challenges of Immigration and Zionism in the Interwar Years’	Michael Sibalís (Wilfrid Laurier) – ‘Writing to the FHAR: Voices of Ordinary Gay Men, 1971-1972’
April G. Shelford (American University, Washington) – ‘When is a colony a province—and vice versa?: Contesting the postwar order in 1760s Saint-Domingue’	Stewart McCain (St Mary’s, Twickenham) - ‘Cultural Imperialists and Culture Brokers: Negotiating the Language Question under Napoleon’	Florence Prévost-Grégoire (University College Dublin) – ‘French universalism in the 20th century: the cases of the Comité national d’études sociales et politiques and the French Resistance during the Second World War’	Gregory Jackson (Utah Valley) – ‘Muslim and French: The Transnational Identity of ‘Young Algerians’ amid World War I Conscription’	Rachel Johnston-White (Yale) – ‘Christian tiers-mondisme, the Algerian War, and the State of Israel: Explaining a Theological Paradox’	Ilana Eloit (LSE) – ‘Is feminism French and lesbianism American? Transatlantic transfers and the repression of the lesbian question in 1970s French feminism’

Emma Pauncefoot (UCL) – ‘French women and travel in the long eighteenth century’	Ian Stewart (LSE) - ‘Celtomanie?: Re-historicising the Celtic past in late eighteenth-century France’	Timo Obergöker (Chester) – ‘C’est quoi cette histoire (mondiale de la France)?’	Abigail Lewis (UW-Madison) – ‘Picturing Collaboration: Photography’s Legal Challenge to the Épuration’	Itay Lotem (Westminster) – ‘Beyond Guerres des mémoires? Anti-Racism, the Memory of Colonialism and Anti-Semitism after 2005’	Francis Mikus (QMUL) - ‘Claiming the centre: examining France’s thoroughly “modern” Manif Pour Tous’
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**12.15-1.15pm – Plenary 2: Professor John Merriman (Yale) ‘Anarchist Illegalist Violence and its Victims in the Belle Epoque that Wasn’t’**

**1.15pm-2.30pm – LUNCH**

**1.45-2.30pm – SSFH AGM**

**2.30pm-4pm - PARALLEL SESSIONS II**

Panel A	Panel B	Panel C	Panel D	Panel E	Panel F
	Panel: ‘Images of Political Community: Popular Sovereignty and Representation in Revolutionary and Restoration France’				
Eric Durot (York) - ‘The Scottish Reformation Rebellion (1559-60): The First French War of Religion’	Olga Bashkina (KU Leuven) – ‘The dynamics of sovereignty: Sieyès’ reception of Leibniz <i>vis viva</i> ’	Gavin Murray-Miller (Cardiff) – ‘Bonapartism in Algeria: Empire and Sovereignty Before the Third Republic’	Charlotte Faucher (Warwick) – ‘The rise of French schools in Western Europe during the long nineteenth century’	Rogelia Pastor-Castro (Strathclyde) – ‘Mission Impossible: European cooperation and the French Embassy in London, 1944-1954’	Ben Partridge (Newcastle) – ‘Photojournalists and Protestors: the Transnational Photography of May ‘68’

Jonas van Tol (Leiden) - 'Ending the Wars of Religion: German attempts to establish peace in France'	Nora Timmermans (KU Leuven) – 'Sentimentalism and Republicanism'	Dónal Hassett (Bristol) - 'What if the Unknown Soldier were a Jew?' Evoking the Great War to Defend the Citizenship of Algeria's Jews'	Lindsay Macnaughton (Durham) – "'Très curieuses et très rares": afterlives of revolutionary France in nineteenth-century Britain'	Rachel Utley (Leeds) – 'Perceptions of Thatcher: The French Embassy in London'	Ettore Bucci (Scuola Normale Superiore, Pisa) - "'Esprit" autogestione? Hopes, utopies and international circulation after Mai '68'
Bertrand Haan (University Paris-Sorbonne Paris IV) - 'A mutual contamination: The beginning of the Wars of Religion in France and in the Netherlands (1558-72)'	Bas Leijssenaar (KU Leuven) – 'Political Fragmentation: Guizot and the seeds of 'communicative' sovereignty'	Jennifer Sessions (University of Iowa) – 'Colonists before Citizenship: Settler Subjecthood in Early French Algeria'	Larry Hall (Southern Connecticut State University) - 'Oui ou Non? The Reaction to the June 1940 "appel" of Charles de Gaulle by the Alliance Française and other Francophile groups in the U.S. and Great Britain'	Yannick Pincé (Université Sorbonne Nouvelle Paris 3) – 'Between NATO, European construction and national sovereignty: The political debate on the French defence position in the late '80s'	Jackie Clarke (Glasgow) - 'The Worker-Consumer in Post-68 France'

#### 4-4.30pm - Tea/Coffee

#### 4.30 – 6 pm - PARALLEL SESSIONS III

Panel A	Panel B	Panel C	Panel D	Panel E	Panel F
David Nicoll (Warwick) – 'Permeable borders and military action: Protestant	Thierry Rigogne (Fordham) – 'The Invention of the Café (1660-1800): Global,	Mary T. Duarte (Cardinal Stritch) – 'French Interests in Belgium and the Unofficial Role	Jessica M. Dandona (Minneapolis) – 'The "Paris of the Orient": Egypt on Display at the	Eoghan Moran (QMUL) - "'All Europe is a Battlefield for Democracy": Centrist Populism and	Hugo Frey (Chichester) – 'Transatlantic Pop-Pulp: Grove Press and the

noble networks in Dauphiné 1560-1563'	European and French Perspectives (and Blind Spots)'	of Louis-Philippe's daughter Louise-Marie, 1832'	Inauguration of the Suez Canal (1869)'	the Defence of Democracy in France and Spain (1930-36)	Making of Barbarella and her imitators'
Julia Osman (Mississippi State University) – 'Writing War and Righting War: Texts and the transition to limited war in France, 1649-1759'	Tabitha Baker (Warwick) - 'European Commercial Networks in the Eighteenth-Century French Embroidery Trade: The Case of a Lyonnais Embroidery Merchant (1746-1782)'	Laura O'Brien (Northumbria University) – "'To reach and instruct the public": film and the 1948 centenary of the Revolution of 1848'	Rolando De La Guardia Wald (Florida State) – 'Panama and the Period of the French Canal: The Intellectual and Political Legacies of the Compagnie Universelle du Canal Interoceanique and the Compagnie Nouvelle du Canal de Panama'	Klaus Koch (Austrian Academy of Sciences) - 'Austro-French Relations in the Interwar Period from Austrian Perspective'	Margaret Atack (Leeds) – 'Swing Troubadours of derision: national memory and popular song in 1970s France'
James Coons (University of Wisconsin-Whitewater) – 'Foreign Sentiments: Affective Community in the Fronde'	Niccolò Valmori (Sciences Po) 'Foreign investors and the Paris market during the French Revolution: assessing political risks and new investment opportunities, 1787-1804'	Diego Palacios Cerezales (Stirling) – 'France speaks!: the 1851 petitioning for the revision of the constitution'	Chong Xu (Sciences Po) - 'Warfare, Intelligence and Diplomacy: Shanghai in the Sino-French War, 1883-1885'	Jasmine Calver (Northumbria) – 'The Comité Mondial des Femmes contre la Guerre et le Fascisme and the Comintern : French and Soviet women's anti-fascist collaboration in the 1930s'	Richard J. Golsan (Texas A&M) – 'Whither the mode rétro?'
				Siân Reynolds (Stirling) – "'Conquering the foreign female elites"? Gender and the Paris International Exhibition of 1937'	

**7 pm**                    **Civic Reception hosted by the Lord Provost of Glasgow – Glasgow City Chambers**

**8 pm-10 pm**            **Conference Dinner – Glasgow Royal Concert Hall**

Tuesday 27 June 2017

9-10.30am - PARALLEL SESSIONS IV

Panel A	Panel B	Panel C	Panel D	Panel E	Panel F
Laura Crombie (Leicester) – ‘Writing, Remembering and Re-appropriating the crusades in the Fifteenth-Century Burgundian Netherlands’	Maia Kirby (QMUL) – ‘Denunciation in the Early Years of the French Revolution’	Camille Creighton (Amsterdam) – ‘Universalism as a concealment for nationalism. The cases of Jules Michelet, Ernest Lavisse and Lucien Febvre’	Samuel Kalman (St. Francis Xavier) — “‘La Répression prompte et impitoyable’”: Mobilizing Police Brutality to Fight Anti-Colonial Violence in Interwar Constantine’	Elisa Camiscioli (Binghamton) – ‘Passports, Papers, and Repatriation: The “Traffic in Women” Between France and Argentina in the Early Twentieth Century’	Emily Hooke (Southampton) - ‘Youth Culture, Resistance Memory and the Social Order in Post-Liberation France’
Matthew Innes (University College, Oxford) – ‘Finding a Place for France: Pierre de Belloy, Salic Law, and the Gallican Church’	Marisa Linton (Kingston University) - ‘The Making and Unmaking of Camille Desmoulins: Revolutionary, Journalist, and Hero’	Reed Benhamou (Indiana) - ‘Quesnay de Beaurepaire’s Académie universelle in Virginia’	Claire Eldridge (Leeds) — ‘National, Imperial and Transnational: the Settler Soldiers of French Algeria and the First World War’	Lukas Schemper (Geneva) - ‘France and Multilateral Disaster Diplomacy in the 20th century’	Andrew Smith (UCL) - ‘Pushing and shoving and confusion’: Franco-British Relations and the June 1954 Day Commemoration’
Anne Byrne (Birkbeck) – ‘Fictional rituals: the coronation pardons of 1775’	Alex Fairfax-Cholmeley (Exeter) – ‘Prosecuting Terrorists: Local Communities and the Politics of Memory in Revolutionary France during the later 1790s’	Biliana Kassabova (Stanford) – “‘Les Ouvriers de la Pensée’”: Education and Revolution in Blanqui’s Thought’	Jonathan Krause (Oxford) — ‘Anticolonial Rebellions in French Africa and Asia’	Susannah Owen (Keele) – ‘Constructing Citizens: The Interwar Cité-Jardin of Suresnes’	Patrick J. Soulsby (Edge Hill) – ‘French anti-racist memory culture c. 1980-1991: The Shoah in cross-Channel perspective’



10.30-10.45am – Tea/Coffee

10.45-11.45am – Plenary 3: Professor Robert Gildea (Oxford): ‘Charlie Hebdo, Bataclan and the legacy of French colonialism’

11.45am-1.15pm - PARALLEL SESSIONS V

Panel A	Panel B	Panel C	Panel D	Panel E	Panel F
Marc Jaffré (St Andrews) – “‘Dangerous to admit the placing of these men about him’”: Foreigners and the households of Louis XIII’s court, 1610-1643 ’	William Scott – ‘Marseille, France and the Syrian Crisis of 1790-1793’	Patricia Bass (Duke) – ‘The Spread of French Visual Policing Tactics, 1880-1914’	Rebecca Shtasel (Sussex) – ‘German involvement in welfare provision in Occupied France: The Comité ouvrier des secours immédiat in Le Havre 1942-44’	Anne-Isabelle Richard (Leiden) - ‘France between Europe and Empire’	Mélanie Torrent (Université Paris Diderot) – ‘Searching for Europe: the British Labour Party and the war of Algerian independence under Guy Mollet’
John Condren (St Andrews) – ‘France as arbiter in the Mediterranean: Louis XIV’s relationships with the Republic of Genoa and the Grand Duchy of Tuscany, 1670 – 1689’	Friedemann Pestel (Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg) - The “Age of Revolutions” as an “Age of Emigrations”: French Émigrés and the Global Dimensions of Political Exile	Richard Jensen (Northwestern State) – ‘French Anti-Terrorism Policing: Informers and Agents Provocateurs’	Katherine Rossy (QMUL) – ‘Stolen and Hidden: France, the United Nations, and Child Search in Occupied Germany (1945-49)’	Toibibou Ali Mohamed (Centre des langues internationales Charpentier (CLIC), Ottawa) – ‘L’instrumentalisation de l’islam par le pouvoir colonial français aux Comores pendant la Seconde Guerre mondiale (1943-1945)’	Maryliz Racine (Laval) – ‘The necessity of a third bloc in the Cold War, or the emergence of Eurafrique in French geopolitical strategy, 1950-1957’
Julian Swann (Birkbeck) – ‘Bête comme la paix! Louis XV, Europe	Anais Pedron (QMUL) - France as role model for colonies in	Martin Miller (Duke) – ‘The Entangled Embrace of French and	Marco Duranti (Sydney) - ‘French Human Rights Policy at the	Marco Wyss (Lancaster) – ‘Postcolonial Security: Côte d’Ivoire and	Vincent Duchaussoy (Rouen) – ‘Restoring Monetary

and the Treaty of Aix-la-Chapelle (1748)’	Olympe de Gouges’ play Zamore et Mirza, ou L’Esclavage des Noirs	Russian Security Services Before the Great War’	Intersection of Global, Imperial, and Transnational Politics’	France in the Global Cold War’	Stability: European and African Monetary Integration as a same French Worldwide policy? (1970s to 2000s)’
			Matthew Chan (Magdalen College, Oxford) – ‘Félix Guattari, European Antipsychiatry, and the Leros Scandal of 1989’	Ladislas Nze Bekale (ENS-Gabon) - ‘Principes et appui, de l’UE et de la France, à la reconstruction post conflit des pouvoirs locaux de l’UE en Côte d’Ivoire de 2010 à nos jours’	Daniel A. Gordon (Edge Hill University) – ‘From Rome to Paris: Free Public Transport - A Transnational Utopia of the 1970s?’

**1.15-2.15pm – LUNCH**

**1.25-2.15pm – Gender and Diversity Roundtable**

**2.15-3.15pm – Plenary 4: Professor Marie-Laure Legay (Lille 3): ‘L’Europe et le modèle de gestion de l’Etat français. XVIIe-XVIIIe siècles’**

**3.15-3.30pm – Tea/Coffee**

**3.30-5pm -PARALLEL SESSIONS VI**

Panel A	Panel B	Panel C	Panel D	Panel E
Tom Hamilton (Trinity College, Cambridge) – ‘Remembering	Felicia Gottmann (Dundee) – ‘The invention of economic	William Pooley (Bristol) – ‘Maurice Garçon (1889-1967), the	Danielle Beaujon (NYU) – ‘Policing Colonial Migrants: The	Andrew Arsan (Cambridge) – ‘Infrastructural humanitarianism

the Wars of Religion in Criminal Cases Tried after the Edict of Nantes’	liberalism? The Gournay Circle, Enlightenment thought, and the question of global trade’	Witches’ Lawyer’	Brigade Nord-Africaine in Paris, 1923-1944’	and the projection of French power: the French expedition of 1860 as an imperial exercise’
Linda Briggs (Manchester) - “‘There was a depiction of two-headed Janus”’: Looking to the Past and the Future in Interbellum Royal Entries (1564-1566)’	Sarah Easterby-Smith (St Andrews) – ‘Colonial science and the eighteenth-century French empire’	Charlotte Ann Chopin (ULIP) - ‘Mad mothers, protective patriarchs, unruly sons and dutiful daughters: the press and the family dynamics of settler colonialism in Algeria 1860-1914’	Alison Fell (Leeds) – ‘Striking women: Female Trade Union Activists in Interwar France and Britain’	Laure Humbert (Manchester) – ‘The French military, international aid and displaced persons in post-war Germany, 1945-1947’
David van der Linden (University of Groningen) – ‘Conflicting Records: Remembering the Reformation in French Local Archives’	James Livesey (Dundee) – ‘From Natural Right to Capitalism: How the Rhine became an Inland Sea’	Geoffrey Levett (Westminster) – “‘Jouez le Jeu!” Rugby Union and Imperialism in Belle Epoque France’	Chris Millington (Swansea) – ‘Not by French hands: Terrorism in 1930s France’	Benjamin Thomas White (Glasgow) – ‘Grudging rescue: the French army, the Armenians of Cilicia, and the history of humanitarian evacuations’

## Conference Close