

Re-mapping the Renaissance: Exchange between Early Modern Islam and Europe
A Three-Week Summer Seminar for University and College Teachers
June 13 through July 2, 2010

Center for Renaissance & Baroque Studies
University of Maryland

DAILY SCHEDULE
(Subject to Change)

We include here the main topics of the seminar to give you a sense of its general organization and scope. In addition, we are providing a list of the scholars who will help anchor the discussion along with selected titles of their lectures and workshops.

Sunday, June 13. Welcome

12:00PM - 5:00PM Dormitory apartments available for check-in.
Check in at Annapolis Hall.

6:00PM Reception.
Tawes Hall, 3rd Floor Terrace.

Week 1: Cartography
Lead Scholar: Alison Sandman

Monday, June 14. Introductions and Orientation

9:00AM - 12:00PM Introductions, orientation, framing, led by Adele Seeff (University of Maryland) and Judith E. Tucker (Georgetown University).
0135 Taliaferro Hall

12:00PM - 1:00PM Lunch.

1:00PM - 2:00PM Campus tour; pick up library card and identification card.

2:00PM – 3:30PM Participants share research interests, potential plans; break into informal working groups to exchange ideas and suggestions.
2100 & 2101 Taliaferro Hall

3:30PM - 5:00PM Research; directors available for consultation.
2100 & 2101 Taliaferro Hall

Tuesday, June 15

9:00AM - 2:00PM Research.
2:00PM - 5:00PM  Cartography led by Alison Sandman (James Madison University).
2110 Taliaferro Hall
Required reading:


Recommended reading:


McIntosh. The Piri Reis Map of 1513. 2000.


6:30PM  Hosted dinner.
0135 Taliaferro Hall

Wednesday, June 16

10:00AM - 11:45AM  Library of Congress tour, led by Alison Sandman.
101 Independence Avenue SE
Washington, DC 20540
Meet inside security at 10:00AM
Metro Stations: Union Station (Red Line), Capitol South (Blue and Orange Lines)
Pause for mini-evaluation.

12:00PM - 1:00PM  Lunch.
1:00PM - 2:00PM  First group of reports on research.
2:00PM - 5:00PM  Research.

Thursday, June 17
Research all day.

Friday, June 18
Research all day.

Week 2: Trading Patterns, Travel Narratives
Lead Scholars: Ahmad Karimi-Hakkak and Judith Tucker

Monday, June 21
9:00AM - 9:45AM  Mini-evaluation and brief project updates, led by Adele Seeff and Judith E. Tucker.
0135 Taliaferro Hall

10:00AM - 12:00PM  Travel Narratives, led by Ahmad Karimi-Hakkak (University of Maryland).
0135 Taliaferro Hall
Required reading:
Alam and Subrahmanyam, Indo-Persian Travels in the Age of Discoveries, 1400-1800. 2007. Selections TBA.
Translations of selected fourteenth-century Indo-Persian travel narratives. Translations to be provided.

12:00PM - 1:00PM  Lunch.
1:00PM - 2:00PM  Second group of reports on research.
0135 Taliaferro Hall
2:00PM - 5:00PM  Research; directors available for consultation.
Tuesday, June 22

9:00AM - 12:00PM  Trading Patterns, led by Judith E. Tucker.
0135 Taliaferro Hall
Required reading:

12:00PM - 1:00PM  Lunch.

1:00PM - 2:00PM  Third group of reports on research.
0135 Taliaferro Hall

2:00PM - 5:00PM  Research.

Wednesday, June 23

Research all day.

Thursday, June 24

9:00AM - 2:00PM  Research.

2:00PM - 5:00PM  Cultural and Scientific Exchange, led by Judith E. Tucker.
2110 Taliaferro Hall
Required reading:

6:30PM  Hosted dinner.
0135 Taliaferro Hall
Friday, June 25

Research all day.

*Week 3: Material Goods*

*Lead Scholar: Meredith Gill*

Monday, June 28

9:00AM - 9:45AM Mini-evaluation and brief project updates, led by Adele Seeff and Judith E. Tucker.
0135 Taliaferro Hall

10:00AM - 12:00PM Material Goods, led by Meredith J. Gill (University of Maryland).
0135 Taliaferro Hall

Required reading:

12:00PM - 1:00PM Lunch.

1:00PM - 2:00PM Fourth group of reports on research.
0135 Taliaferro Hall

2:00PM - 5:00PM Research; directors available for consultation.

Tuesday, June 29

10:00AM - 12:00PM National Gallery visit, led by Meredith Gill.
4th and Constitution Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20565
Meet in the rotunda.
Metro Stations: Archives-Navy Memorial-Penn Quarter (Green and Yellow Lines), Smithsonian (Blue and Orange Lines)

12:15PM - 1:45PM Lunch in downtown Washington, D.C.

2:00PM - 3:30PM Freer and Sackler Galleries visit, led by Rosamond E. Mack.
**Wednesday, June 30**

Research all day.

**Thursday, July 1**

2:00PM-5:00PM  Final project reports.
0135 Taliaferro Hall

**Friday, July 2**

9:00AM - 11:30AM  Evaluations, provisional conclusions, and next steps, led by Judith E. Tucker and Adele Seeff.
Jiménez Room, Stamp Student Union

12:00PM - 2:00PM  Celebratory luncheon.
Jiménez Room, Stamp Student Union

3:00PM  Final check out from campus housing.
Annapolis Hall