History of Science Society (HSS)—2022 Annual Meeting

Sessions Featuring Linda Hall Library Fellows

November 17-20, 2022

Drake Hotel (Chicago, IL)

Thursday—November 17

12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

- Troubling Temporalities: Approaches to Narrating and Historicizing Deep Time (Mezzanine, Georgian)
  - Alexis Rider (2019-20 Fellow), Institute of Historical Research at the University of London (Roundtable Participant)

2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

- Environment (In)Justice: Imperial Hegemonies and their Neoliberal Legacies (Mezzanine, Huron)
  - Nuala Caomhánach (2019-20 Fellow), New York University/American Museum of Natural History (Chair)

Friday—November 18

11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

- Biological Lynndividuality (Mezzanine, Parkside)
  - Emily S Hutcheson (2019-20 Fellow), UW-Madison (Session Organizer)

- FUTURES: Digitizing and Decolonizing Collections. Challenges and Experiences (Lobby, Grand Ballroom)
  - Nuala Caomhánach (2019-20 Fellow), New York University/American Museum of Natural History (Participant)
• Human Descent and Evolution Across Scientific and Popular Literatures in the Nineteenth-Century Anglo-American World

• Meteorology in Context: Weather, Health, and Climate Change (Mezzanine, Venetian)

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
• Animal Knowledge Farther Afield: Menageries, Breeding Colonies, and Cities in the History of Animal Science

• Communicating Science: From Periodical to Popular Science Book
  o Martin Bush (2020-21 Fellow), University of Melbourne, “Drawing Down the Moon: The nineteenth century history of the moonscape”

• Knowledges under Stress: Early Modern Science, Technology, and Medicine
  o José María Moreno Madrid (2022-23 Fellow), Centro Interuniversitário de História das Ciências e da Tecnologia (CIUHCT) / University of Lisbon, “Artisans Under Stress: Epistemological divides in the demarcation of Tordesillas (1494)”

4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
• Resourcing and Restoring Nature (Lobby, Drake)
  o Gustave Lester (2018-19 Fellow), Harvard University, “Geology, Political Economy, and Settler Colonialism in the Upper Mississippi Valley, 1780-1840”

Saturday—November 19
9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
• In Search of Habitable Worlds (Lobby, Grand Ballroom)
  o Jordan Bimm (2018-19 Fellow), University of Chicago (Chair), “Military Models of Mars: The Cold War Politics of Habitability in Early Astrobiology”
• Sown Tensions: Agricultural and Environmental Science in Context  
  o Nuala Caomhánach (2019-20 Fellow), New York University/American Museum of Natural History (Chair)

11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

• Nature, Environment, and the Challenge of Animal Studies (Mezzanine, Venetian)  
  o Whitney Barlow Robles (2017-18 Fellow), Dartmouth College, “Knowing Raccoons From Early America to the Anthropocene”

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

• Mycology and its Discontents: Fungi and Category Confusion in the 19th and 20th Centuries (Mezzanine, Venetian)  
  o Nuala Caomhánach (2019-20 Fellow), New York University/American Museum of Natural History, “The Stinkhorns: A cultural and evolutionary history of a fungal outlier and those who studied them”

Sunday—November 20

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

• Early Modern Histories of Science  
  o Alyssa Peterson (2020-21 Fellow), University of Texas at Austin, “Ancient Authors, Early Modern Physicians, and their Chemical Reluctance”

11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

• Harmony and Discord: Conceptualizing and Categorizing Mental Health (Mezzanine, Michigan)  
  o Edward Halley Barnet (2022-23 & 2018-19 Fellow), Hamilton College, “The Harpsichord Brain”