64th Annual Meeting
3-4 October 2014
SUNY Geneseo, New York
Friday 3 October 2014

NYSAEH Executive Board Meeting
4:30 - 5:30pm
Erwin 206

Registration and Welcome Reception
with Cash Bar
5:30 - 6:30pm
Big Tree Dining Room

Dinner
6:30 - 7:15pm
Big Tree Dining Room

James S. Valone Keynote Address
7:30pm

“Romantic Royals: The Anglo-German Connection from Britain's George IV to Bavaria's Ludwig II”

Helena Waddy
SUNY Geneseo
Saturday 4 October 2014

Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:00am – 8:45am
Atrium of Bailey Hall

Concurrent Session I
8:45am – 10:15am

Women in Modern France
Bailey 101
Chair/commentator: Wendy Pojmann, Siena College

"La République: The Female Body as Political Allegory in Late Nineteenth-Century France."
Thea Smolinski, Institute of Fine Arts, New York University

“Sisters as Midwives: Soeurs de la Charité Maternelle of Metz During the Nineteenth Century”
Morag Martin, College at Brockport, SUNY

“The Impact of the Establishment of Legal Aid on Marital Separations in Nineteenth-Century France”
James M. Donovan, Penn State Mont Alto

Early Modern British History
Bailey 102
Chair/commentator: Dorinda Outram, University of Rochester

“The King’s Possession: Re-examining the Causes of Tangier’s Failure (1662-1684)”
Jason Lloyd, SUNY Oswego

“The Contradictions of Calybute Downing”
Kyle Brent Robinson, University of Rochester

“All the Stage's a World: Issues of Popular Geographic Knowledge and Didactic Cartography at Play in The Castle of Perseverance”
John Wyatt Greenlee, Cornell University
Episcopacy and Power
Bailey 103
Chair/Commentator: Martin Ederer, SUNY Buffalo State College

“So Very Unequal to the Place’?: The Legal Apprenticeship of Bishop John Williams, c. 1610-21”
Andrew Nicholls, SUNY Buffalo State College

“Grotius and English Arminianism”
Eric Platt, St. Francis College

“American Reactions to English Tractarianism”
The Rt. Rev. R. William Franklin,
Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York

Mid-Morning Break
10:15 - 10:30am

Concurrent Session II
10:30am – 12:00

Modern Germany
Bailey 101
Chair/commentator: Helena Waddy, SUNY Geneseo

"Dr. Walter T. Scheele: Mad Scientist, Bomb Maker, German Spy"
Heribert von Feilitzsch, Independent Scholar

“Making Sense of Student Unrest: Springer Verlag and the Study of Dissent in West Germany’s ‘1968’”
Todd M. Goehle, SUNY Binghamton

“Remembering Die Wende: Examining the Role of Nostalgia in Wolfgang Becker’s Good Bye, Lenin!”
Sienna S. Hunt, University at Albany
**British Conceptions of the Environment**

*Bailey 102*

Chair/commentator: Joseph Cope, SUNY Geneseo

“Inherited or Created: The Golf Landscapes of Scotland and Beyond”
David Strittmatter, University at Buffalo

“Kick It ‘till It Breaks: The Socio-Cultural Revolution of Britain’s Angry Brigade”
John Marsland, University at Buffalo

“The Naturalist as Political Observer: The Writings of Arthur de Carle Sowerby’s Journeys in China”
Katherine Smyser, University at Buffalo

*Illegitimacy, Fraud, Libel: The Economics of Scandal and Gendering of Identities in the British Isles*

*Bailey 103*

Chair/Commentator: Rachel Weil, Cornell University

"None Other Need Apply": Wet Nurses and the Economies of the Body in Eighteenth Century Atlantic Classifieds”
Marissa Rhodes, University at Buffalo

“Cochrane Stands Trial: Representations of Masculinity and the Politics of Popular Opinion in the Great Stock Exchange Fraud of 1814”
Parissa DJangi, Stony Brook University

“Libel, Rent Boys, and Sodomy at the Dublin GPO: Queer Scandal and the Economics of Desire”
Averill Earls, University at Buffalo

**Lunch and Annual Business Meeting**

12:00 – 1:30 pm
Big Tree Dining Room
Concurrent Session III
1:30pm – 3:30pm

Issues in Medieval and Earl Modern History
Bailey 101
Chair/Commentator: Katherine Clark, SUNY Brockport

“Lections for St. Michael: Liturgy as an Historical Source for Early Mont Saint Michel”
John Arnold, SUNY Fredonia

“’Qu'en sera il jugié par le doit d'armes?’: Geoffroi de Charny's Demandes on War and the French Law of Arms”
Kristin Cruz Burger, University of Rochester

“Early Modern Needlework Pattern Books: Designs for Docility or Upward Mobility?”
Lisa VandenBerghe, Independent Scholar

“Roman Imperium in Renaissance Spain”
Jeffrey A. Glodzik, D’Youville College

Issues in Modern European History
Bailey 102
Chair/commentator: Julie Gibert, Canisius College

“Life Confession or Life Construction? A Story of One Decembrist Wife”
Anna Biel, Fulton-Montgomery Community College

“State Formation: the Role of Local Religious and Civic Authorities in the Creation of Early Modern European Nation States”
Arazoo Ferozan, McMaster University

“Britain, the European Balance of Power and the World Disarmament Conference, 1932-34”
David K. Varey, Royal Military College of Canada

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Lisa Cerami, Nazareth College

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