

Turning Points

the Event, the Collective, and the Return of the Life in Parts

Saturday 9 February and Sunday 10 February 2013 at the University of East Anglia, Norwich sponsored by the Lorna Sage Memorial Trust



The conference will take place in the Elizabeth Fry Building

Saturday 9 February 2013

10.00 – 10.30	Registration in Foyer of Elizabeth Fry Building (tea and coffee will be available)
10.30 – 10.45	Conference Welcome by Blake Darlin (UEA) Location: EF 01.08
10.45 – 11.45	Keynote: Charles Nicholl (Introduced by Blake Darlin, UEA) Location: EF 01.08
11.45 – 12.00	Tea & Coffee
12.00 – 1.00	Keynote: Margaretta Jolly (Sussex) (Introduced by Kathryn Hughes, UEA) Location: EF 01.08
1.00 – 2.15	Sandwich Lunch
2.15 – 3.30	Paper Panel 1: Depth and Breadth (Chaired by Helen Smith, UEA) 1. Carrie Chandler, “The Crimes Club: a Collective Approach” 2. Kirsi Keravuori, “Between microhistory and biography: ‘Ordinary lives’ in mid-19th century Finland” 3. Owain John, “Radical Connections: Writing a Life of William Johnson Fox” Location: EF 1.01 Paper Panel 2: Depth and Breadth (Chaired by Matthew Woodcock, UEA) 1. Rebecca Knuth, “Censoring Lives: A Comparative Approach” 2. Sandeep Parmar, “A Failure of Hope: The Unwritten Lives and Archives of Jane Harrison and Hope Mirrlees” 3. Thea Abbott, “The Life Less Known” Location: EF 01.10
3.30 – 3.45	Tea & Coffee
3.45 – 4.45	Keynote: Claire Tomalin and Kathryn Hughes In Conversation Location: EF 01.08
4.45 – 5.00	Break

5.00 – 6.00	Keynote: Miranda Seymour (Introduced by Kathryn Hughes, UEA) Location: EF 01.08
6.15 – 7.00	Wine Reception in Sainsbury Centre for Visual Arts Foyer with Exhibition Viewing of Permanent Collection and Life Writing Bookstall
7.00 – 8.00	Dinner in the Sainsbury Centre for Visual Arts Modern Life Café, overlooking the museum's Modern Sculpture Gallery

Sunday 10 February 2013

10.00 – 11.00	Keynote: Richard Holmes (tea and coffee will be available) (Introduction by Kathryn Hughes, UEA) Location: EF 01.08
11.00 – 11.15	Tea & Coffee
11.15 – 12.15	Paper Panel 3: Biography and the Microhistorical Approach: 'Partial' Lives and Interpretative Frameworks (Chaired by Kathryn Hughes, UEA) 1. JW Renders, University of Groningen, The Netherlands 2. Binne Haan, University of Groningen, The Netherlands Location: EF 1.01 Paper Panel 4: The Lives of Single Subjects (Chaired by Barbara Cooke, UEA) 1. Alex Danchev, " Self-Portraits: Cézanne " 2. David Gill, " Winifred Lamb: Travels in Greece " Location: EF 01.10
12.15 – 1.15	Sandwich Lunch
1.15 – 2.15	A Life Writing Discussion with some of UEA's Biographers: Rebecca Fraser, Helen Smith and Matthew Woodcock (Chaired by Kathryn Hughes, UEA) Location: EF 01.08
2.15 – 2.30	Break
2.30 – 3.45	Paper Panel 5: Is This Still Biography? (Chaired by Matthew Woodcock, UEA) 1. Jose M. Yebra, " Henry James Revisited: Highlights of a Traumatic Life Story in Colm Tóibín's The Master " 2. Lydia Pyne, " The Taung Child: A Fossil's Life " 3. Sarah Entwistle, " Clive Entwistle: In Short, In Theory and with a bit of Luck " Location: EF 1.01 (panels continued on following page)

	<p>Paper Panel 6: Lives in Context of Events (Chaired by Rebecca Knuth, University of Hawaii)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Barbara Cooke, “Rocking the Cradle, or Finding a Better Beginning” 2. Constance Post, “Helen Foster Snow and Isabel Brown Crook: Revolutionaries in the Making of the People’s Republic of China” 3. Glenn Mitoma, “Universalism via Particularism: Biography and the History of Human Rights” <p>Location: EF 01.08</p> <p>Paper Panel 7: Family Memoir (Chaired by Thea Abbott, UEA)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Lesley Neale, “Discovering Kate Annie” 2. Margaret Patrikeos, “Probing Spaces: Life Writing’s Invisible Knowledge” 3. A. V. Seaton, “Does evolution run in the family? Mary Anne Schimmelpenninck and the Darwin-Galton dynasty” <p>Location: EF 01.10</p>
3.45 – 4.00	Tea & Coffee
4.00 – 5.00	<p>Keynote: Frances Wilson (Introduced by Blake Darlin, UEA) EF 01.08</p>
5.00 – 6.00	<p>Keynote: Jeremy Treglown (Introduced by Matthew Woodcock, UEA) EF 01.08</p>
6.00 – 6.15	Closing Remarks by Kathryn Hughes, UEA EF 01.08