



IRISH STUDIES SEMINARS: AUTUMN 2019

Mondays at 4.15pm:

Irish Studies Seminar Room, 27 University Square 01.003

- 23 Sept. **Sean Connolly and Dominic Bryan (QUB) booklaunch of *Civic Identity and Public Space: Belfast Since 1780* (Manchester UP, 2019). Speaker: Peter Gray (QUB)**
- 30 Sept. **Peter McLoughlin (QUB): 'War of words: American media and the Northern Ireland conflict'**
- 7 Oct. **Brian Walker (QUB), 'Who are the Irish? Identity in Ireland and among the Irish diaspora'**
- 14 Oct. **Colin Harvey (QUB) 'Sharing the island: Brexit and constitutional futures'**
- 21 Oct. **Richard O'Leary (QUB) 'The faithful underground: Gay Christian activism in Ireland in the 1970s and 1980s'**
- 28 Oct. **Sara Dybris McQuaid (Aarhus): 'Remembering the 1916 Easter Rising and the end of empire: transnational templates of Irish and Indian freedom struggles'**
- 4 Nov. **Cian McMahon (UNLV) – 'Life and death at sea during Ireland's Great Famine'**
- 11 Nov. **Mary Hatfield (TCD) – booklaunch of *Growing up in 19th-century Ireland* (OUP, 2019). Speaker: Elaine Farrell (QUB)**
- 18 Nov. **Caroline Magennis (Salford), 'Moving through *Milkman*: The body in motion in some recent Northern Irish texts'**
- 25 Nov. **Cecilia Biaggi (Rotterdam) 'Alternative forms of political participation among the Catholic minority in 1920s Northern Ireland'**
- 2 Dec. **Maggie Scull (NUIG), booklaunch of *The Catholic Church and the Northern Ireland Troubles, 1968-98* (OUP, 2019). Speaker: John Brewer (QUB)**
- 9 Dec. **George Legg (KCL) 'From Craigavon to internment: Northern Ireland and the politics of boredom'**