EVENTS Fall Term 2015

September 15, 2015, 5:00 pm, 602 CL
Lecture: “Cold War Poetry in the Ruins of Inter-Americanism”
Harris Feinsod (Early Career Fellow, Northwestern University)

September 24, 2015, 12:30 pm, 602 CL
Colloquium: “University Service: The History of an Idea”
Leonard Cassuto (Fordham University)
With responses by Jim Knapp (Senior Associate Dean, Kenneth P. Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences) and Jean Carr (Department of English)

September 24, 2015, 5:00 pm, Frick Fine Arts Auditorium
Book Event: The Graduate School Mess: What Caused it and How We Can Fix It
Leonard Cassuto (Fordham University)

October 1, 2015, 12:30 pm, 602 CL
Colloquium: “The Poetry of the Americas from Good Neighbors to Countercultures”
Harris Feinsod (Early Career Fellow, Northwestern University)
With responses by Gayle Rodgers (Department of English) and Joshua Lund (University of Notre Dame)

October 15, 2015, 12:30 pm, 602 CL
Colloquium: “Connecting the Dots: Making Air Pollution Visible in Pittsburgh”
Olga Kuchinskaya (Department of Communication)
With responses by Suzanne Staggenborg (Department of Sociology) and Lisa Parker (Department of Human Genetics and Center for Bioethics and Health Law)

October 22, 2015, 12:30 pm, 602 CL
Colloquium: “Minding the Body in Antebellum US Literature”
Matt Rebhorn (James Madison University)
With responses by Nancy Glazener (Department of English) and Carol Bove (Department of English)

November 10, 2015, 5:00 pm, University Club Ballroom B
Lecture: “Eye of the Beholder: Johannes Vermeer, Antoni van Leeuwenhoek, and the Reinvention of Seeing”
Laura Snyder (St. Johns University)

November 11, 2015, 12:30 pm, 602 CL
Workshop: “Writing Intellectual Biographies: Bringing Thinkers and Their Ideas to Life”
Laura Snyder (St. Johns University)

November 12, 2015, 12:30 pm, 602 CL
Colloquium: “History in English Criticism: Raymond Williams’s Culture and Society re-visited”
Stefan Collini (University of Cambridge)
With responses by Susan Andrade (Department of English) and Giuseppina Mecchia (Department of French and Italian)

November 12, 2015, 5:00 pm, 602 CL
Lecture: “Measuring Up: Universities and ‘Accountability’”
Stefan Collini (University of Cambridge)

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