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# English Research Seminar Series

## Semester two 2011/12

The School of English hosts research events through its four research groups, *Medieval and Renaissance, 18th century, Romantic and Victorian, Modern and Contemporary*, and *Creative Writing*. Events are, however, open to all members of the School, and to the public, unless explicitly restricted. All events are also free of charge unless otherwise stated. For further information, please contact the School of English office, telephone 01334 462666. Unless a venue is specified, all events take place in Kennedy Hall.

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<td>‘Poetry, Fiction, Non-fiction: Writing in the Spaces’.</td>
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| Wednesday 7 March 5.15pm  School II, St Salvator’s Quad | “Punctuation and Performance: Chapters in the History of Literacy”  
GEORGE JACK MEMORIAL LECUTRE | Professor Jeremy Smith  
(University of Glasgow) |
| Wednesday 14 March 2.15pm  The Lawson Lecture Room | Lady Morgan and the *Quarterly Review* | Professor Kim Wheatley  
(College of William and Mary) |
| Monday 9 April 5.15pm  The Lawson Lecture Room | Facing the ‘Terrors of Modern War’: Gas Masks and the Popular Imaginary in Interwar and Wartime Britain | Professor Susan Grayzel  
(University of Mississippi) |
| Wednesday 11 April 2pm  The Garden Seminar Room | “‘They went forth to the battle but they always fell”: How to read Irish Victorian Poetry’ | Professor Matthew Campbell  
(University of York) |
| Wednesday 18 April 2pm  The Garden Seminar Room | ‘Petrarch in the British Isles’. | Professor Alessandra Petrina  
(University of Padua) |
| Wednesday 25 April 5.15pm  The Lawson Lecture Room | Orwell’s Paradox: Equality in *Animal Farm* | Dr David Dwan  
(Queen’s University, Belfast) |
| Wednesday 2 May 5pm  The Garden Seminar Room | ‘Questing in The Faerie Queene’. | Professor Catherine Bates  
(University of Warwick) |