Oxford Seminar in Advanced Jewish Studies

Michaelmas Term 2019

Between Sacred and Profane - Jewish Musical Cultures in Early Modern Europe

Convenors: Dr Diana Matut and Dr Deborah Rooke

The seminars will be held at the Clarendon Institute on Tuesdays from 4-6pm - except for week 2 * which will be at the same time on Wednesday



Week 2, 23 October * Dr David Conway (UCL)

'Two Tribes: Jews and Roma as Popular Musicians in Central Europe, 1500-1800'

Week 3, 29 October Dr Diana Matut (University Halle-Wittenberg)

'The Yiddish Art of Lamentation - *kine un kloglid*'

Week 4, 5 November Dr Michael Lukin (Hebrew University)

'The Old Layers in the Tunes of Yiddish Folk Songs'

Week 5, 12 November Dr Deborah Rooke (Oxford)

'The Hebrew Oratorio*: Esther* according to Lidarti'

Week 6, 19 November Dr Naomi Cohn Zentner (Hebrew University)

'*Kol mekadesh shevii:* Resounding Synagogue and Home in early modern Ashkenaz'

Week 7, 26 November Dr Alexandre Cerveux (EPHE, Paris)

'A Blind Organist and Yohanan Alemanno "About to Faint": Changes in the Jewish Conception of Hearing Music at the Turn of the Sixteenth Century'

Week 8, 3 December Andreas Schmitges (Other Music Academy) 'Dancing in Early Modern Ashkenaz'

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