Government and Governance from Late Antiquity to the Renaissance: Representation and Reality

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Breakfast: 7:30-8:15
Welcome and Introduction: 8:15-8:30
First Keynote: 8:30-9:30

Amy Appleford, of Boston University, “Governing Bodies in Late Medieval London”
High Medieval Europe: 9:35-11:05

Robert G. Sullivan, University of Massachusetts-Amherst, “Justice and Society in Early 12th-Century Rural Germany”
Ann Zimo, University of New Hampshire, “The Problem of Borders and Sovereignty with the Thirteenth-Century Kingdom of Jerusalem”
Rai, d’Honoré, California State University Long Beach, “The Ries of the Capitouls of Toulouse: How the Bourgeois Wrested Power from the Nobility”

Coffee Break: 11:05-11:25

Late Medieval Europe 11:25-12:55

Erin K. Wagner, State University of New York Delhi, “Heretics and Capital Punishment in Dives et Pauper”
Andrew M. Richmond, Southern Connecticut State University, “Policing the Borders or Passing the Buck? A Breakdown of Governance in Sir Tryamour”
Andrea Tarnowski, Dartmouth College, “Exiting the Prison of Human Life,”

Lunch 12:55-2:00

Early Medieval Europe 2:00-4:00

Eric Goldberg, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, “Hincmar of Reims, Carloman II, and the Political Context of the De ordine palatii”
Jonathan Dell Isola, Catholic University, “Arnulf of Carinthia and the End of the Carolingian Empire: Charters, Ancestry, and the Legitimacy of Rulership”
Jonathan Conant, Brown University, “Motivating Violence: Franks, Avars, and the Unmaking of an Imperial Periphery”

Coffee Break: 4:00-4:15

Second Keynote: 4:15-5:15

Jonathan Lyon, University of Chicago, “Was there a Difference Between Lordship and Governance in Late Medieval Germany?”

Reception 5:30-7:00