

## **Centre for the Americas Research Seminar Programme Semester 1, 2018-19**

### **Wednesday 10 October**

Andrew Pepper (QUB)

‘Narcopolitics: Capitalism, Necropolitics and Violence in Drug War Fiction’  
3pm, 22 University Square/01/005 \*co-sponsored by English CDRG

### **Wednesday 17 October**

Tom Hulme (QUB)

‘Citizenship, Modernity and the City: Historical Re-Enactment in Chicago and Manchester in the 1920s and 1930s’

2pm— Peter Froggatt Centre/0G/024 \* co-sponsored by HAPP/ US History Colloquia

### **Friday 27-Saturday 28 October, Canada Room**

Common Ground Postgraduate Conference 2018: Divided Selves and Societies in Irish and American Literature and Culture. Keynote addresses by Sinéad Moynihan (Exeter University) and Oona Frawley (Maynooth University). For programme see: <https://commongroundsymposium.wordpress.com/>

### **Wednesday 7 November**

Fiona Peters (Bath Spa University)

‘American Obsessions: True Crime Narratives and Public Fascination’  
3pm, 22 University Square/01/005 \*co-sponsored by English CDRG

### **Wednesday 14 November 2018**

Sergio Lussano (Nottingham Trent University) ‘Furnisht with Such Members as Are After a Sort Burthensome unto Them’: White Perceptions of Black Male Bodies and the Gendered Origins of Racism, 1450-1730

2PM in Lanyon Bldg/0G/074 \* co-sponsored by HAPP/ US History Colloquia

### **Wednesday 28 November 2018**

Melissa Milewski (University of Sussex) ‘The Untold Story of Civil Cases Between Black and White Southerners in the Jim Crow South’

2PM in Lanyon Building/0G/074 \* co-sponsored by HAPP/ US History Colloquia

### **Wednesday 5 December**

Alex Murray (QUB) and Jasmine McCrory (QUB)

‘Modernism and Vision: Dos Passos and Wallace Stevens’

3pm, 22 University Square/01/005 \*co-sponsored by English CDRG