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SCHOOL OF  
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## **Modern Languages Core Disciplinary Research Group Seminar Series**

**Friday 3:00pm**

### **Schedule of Meetings, Semester ONE 2020-21**

**16 October**

*The Contact Zones of Disease: Sites of Infection and Contagion in the Nineteenth-Century French Syphilis Narrative*  
Dr Steven Wilson (French)

**6 November**

*Shall I compare thee to Cien años de soledad?: The problem of comparisons in reviews of Latin American literature*  
Dr Sarah Bowskill (Spanish and Portuguese)

**20 November**

*Brazil, a republic of memes?*  
Dr Tori Holmes (Spanish and Portuguese)

**4 December**

*Echoes of 18th-century Spanish literature in the British Romantic Press*  
Dr Leticia Villamediana (Spanish, University of Warwick)

### **Schedule of Meetings, Semester TWO 2020-21**

**12 February**

Round table: *Experiences of impact and engagement in Modern Languages research*

**26 February**

PGR Research in Progress Workshop.  
Convenor: Dr Ricki O'Rawe

**12 March 2021**

*Lexical innovation and terminological advice in Breton and French: The role of online spaces*  
Dr Merryn Davies-Deacon (French)

**23 April 2021**

*Will the real Margery Kempe Please Stand Up DM Me? Curating (Medieval) Identities Online*  
Alicia Spencer-Hall (Queen Mary, University of London)

**25 June**

Modern Languages CDRG Research Showcase

All seminars, until further notice, will run through Teams.  
If you want to attend and you are not already on our emailing list, please contact [g.sanchez@qub.ac.uk](mailto:g.sanchez@qub.ac.uk)