

Programme of Presentations



SCHOOL OF ENGLISH ARISTOTLE UNIVERSITY OF THESSALONIKI

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9:25 Opening address

Session 1: 9:30-10:15

Translations and Remediations: Language, Culture and Technology

Chair: Giorgos Dimitriadis

- Anna Papavasileiou: C.P. Cavafy: A Triumphant Exaltation in the Field of Art
- Despina Feleki: Remediated Forms of Writing in Stephen King's Duma Key
- Katerina Chariopolitou: Mature and Emerging Access Services on Digital Television in Greece

Session 2: 10:15-11:00

Performing Trauma, Violence and the Body

Chair: Eirini Kapsidou

- Katerina Ziaka: Simon Stephens's Motortown: The Politics of War Trauma
- *Virginia Dakari*: Staging the "C" Word: Performance and "the Recovery of Experience" in Marianne Paget's "The Work of Talk"
- Sotiris Babajimopoulos: Reservoir Dogs: "New Violence" in a World of Extreme Referentiality

11:00-11:30 Coffee Break

Session 3: 11:30-12:15

Scientific, Sociopolitical and Religious Discourses in the Female-Authored Novel Chair: Sonia Gertzou

- Filomachi Spathopoulou: A Malthusian Approach to Jane Austen
- Katia Tachmatzidou: Jane Eyre: The Governess as an Epistemological Agent
- Polixeni Anagnostou: How True a Unitarian Elizabeth Gaskell Was

Session 4: 12:15-13:00

Contemporary Perspectives on Fantasy Narratives

Chair: Öz Öktem

- Yanna Phillipou: A New Take on Old Tales: The History of Fairy Tales Revisited
- Vasiliki Trantopoulou: Neomedievalism in the Service of Atavistic Fantasies: A Powerful Critique of Modernity
- Vicky Tialliou: Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone vs. Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone

13:00-13:30 Coffee Break

Session 5: 13:100-14:15

Representations and Subjectivities of Otherness

Chair: Maria Ristani

- *Öz Öktem:* A Christian Not Turned Turk: Religious Ideology and Gender Politics in Massinger's *The Renegado*
- Alexandra Simou: "Self" and "Other" in Greig's Europe: A Model Drama for a Multicultural Classroom
- *Sonia Gertzou*: Ambiguous Identities: Subjectivizing the Caribbean Other in Erna Brodber's *Louisiana*

Session 6: 14:15-15:00

Intermediacies of Sound Text, and Image

Chair: Katerina Chariopolitou

- Eirini Kapsidou: Effacing Subjectivity in Contemporary Portrait Photography
- Giorgos Dimitriadis: Postcard from Istanbul: Digital Reconstruction of the City as Memory in Tasos Boulmetis' Politiki Kouzina / A Touch of Spice / Baharatin Tadi
- Maria Ristani: Rhythmic Ambivalence: Samuel Beckett and Minimalist Music

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