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**SMITH, FERGUSON AND WITHERSPOON AT 300
ST. ANDREWS, 18-21 JULY 2023**

DRAFT PROGRAMME

TUESDAY 18 JULY

4.45 Welcome

5.00-6:30

Plenary: NIGEL LEASK (Glasgow) Thomas Pennant, Dr Johnson, and the Scottish Enlightenment

6.30-7.30

Opening reception

WEDNESDAY 19 JULY

9-10:30

A:

PANEL The Scottish Enlightenment and the Reshaping of American Racial Politics - Julia Pohlmann (Aberdeen), Charles Brad Bow (Aberdeen), Michael Brown (Aberdeen) (organiser)

B:

1. On Adam Smith's Understanding of the Sublime - Bravo de Lallana, Pilar
2. Beauty and Taste in Adam Smith's Theory of Political Judgment - Cho, Yun Min (Serena)
3. Smithian Spectatorship and the Novel - O'Callaghan Yeoman, Cleo

C:

1. Smith, Social Stability, and the Joy of Sympathy – Remy Debes (Memphis)
2. Adam Smith and Sympathetic Cosmopolitanism - Paganelli, Maria Pia
3. In a Third Voice: Smith's Moral Sentimentalism between Deontology and the Ethics of Care - Fricke, Christel

D:

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1. Orthodox Calvinism and Newtonian Rationalism: John Witherspoon, George Anderson, and Samuel Clarke's 'Popular' Legacy - Daniel, Dafydd
2. James Wodrow, John Witherspoon, and the Negotiation of Moderatism in 18th-Century Ayrshire - Macleod, Emma
3. Smith, Madison, and Witherspoon - Weingast, Barry

Wednesday 11-12:30

A:

PANEL Author meets critics on Tito Magri's *Hume's Imagination* - Tito Magri, Marina Frasca-Spada, Don Garrett (organiser)

B:

1. Who Should Pay for Education? Adam Smith on the Public Provision of Education - Rauwald, Zack
2. Adam Smith and Education for the Good - Tonner, Philip
3. Sympathetic Engagement: Liberal Society and Civic Virtues in Adam Smith's Thought - Costa, Thais Alves

C:

1. Adam Smith, Iris Murdoch, and the Ethics of Care - Carrasco, Maria
2. Adam Smith and Modern Aretic Jurisprudence - Cimino, Chapin
3. The Scottish Moral Philosopher and the Moral Life: Adam Smith and William James - Shera, Marcus

D:

1. Adam Smith's System of Natural Equality - Levy, David, and Sandra Peart
2. Adam Smith and Early British Anti-Slavery Debates - Londe Silva, Ana Paula
3. Adam Smith at 300: Finishing the Bourgeois Revolution - Linehan, Ethan

Wednesday 12.30-1.30 LUNCH

AGM of International Adam Smith Society

Wednesday 1:30-3

Plenary: GIDEON MAILER (Minnesota Duluth) Witherspoon at 300: Enlightenment and Revolution in History and Memory

Wednesday 3:30-5

A:

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1. Scottish Baconians: The Myth and the Reality – Shrock, Chris
2. The Preconception of the World: Adam Smith's Epistemology in the Essay 'Of the External Senses' - Bee, Michelle, and Ivan Sternick
3. Primary and Secondary Qualities in Adam Smith - Matthiessen, Ole

B:

1. Elizabeth Hamilton's "Memoirs of the Life of Agrippina" (1804) and Scottish Enlightenment Historiography – DeLucia, JoEllen
2. Conjectural History and Original Acquisition – Edwards, Jeff
3. "The Scheme which began the Calamities of Europe": 18th-Century Scottish Writers on the First Polish Partition – Plassart, Anna

C:

1. Smith contra La Rochefoucauld - Alcorn, John
2. The Judicious Philosopher and the Heaven-Taught Ploughman: Adam Smith in the Life and Work of Robert Burns - Hansen, Moira
3. Adam Smith's 'Encounter' with Jean-Jacques Rousseau - Raynor, David

D:

1. Adam Smith and the Reforming Spirit of the 18th Century -- Fabrizio Simon (Palermo)
2. Why the Humean Conception of Justice is (and should be) Narrow -- Otto Lehto (NYU)
3. Adam Smith's Jurisprudence and Normative Law -- Mario Rizzo (NYU)

Wednesday 5-6:30

A:

PANEL: Scottish Jacobitism and Empire in the Americas - David Parrish, Julia Pohlman, Harry Lewis, Michael Taylor (organiser)

B:

1. How Smith Differs from Hume, and Why - Heath, Eugene
2. Smith as an Interpreter of Mandeville - Turner, Brandon
3. Smith and de Grouchy on Luck and Moral Conflict - Lustila, Getty

C:

1. Samuel Miller on the Life of the Mind: Re-Imagining the Relationship between Piety and Learning in 'the Witherspoon Tradition' – Helseth, Paul K.
2. Witherspoon and Scotland's Menippean Fringe – Kidd, Colin
3. Religious Heterodoxy and Church Politics: The Trial of William Leechman, 1744 – Raffe, Alasdair

D:

1. Prying Eyes: Sentimental Curiosity in Adam Smith and Joanna Baillie - Kopajtic, Lauren
2. The Dramatic Scottish Enlightenment: The Influence of Racine on Hume and Smith - Marriott, Shal

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~~3. Adam Smith on the Theatricality of Politics and the Politics of Theatre – Collins, Kristen~~

THURSDAY 20 JULY

9.00-11.00

A:

PANEL: Author meets critics on Nir Ben-Moshe, *Idealization and the Moral Point of View: An Adam Smithian Account of Moral Reasons*- Keith Hankins (organiser), Geoff Sayre-McCord, John Skorupski (St Andrews), Nir Ben-Moshe (Illinois Urbana-Champaign)

B:

1. Smith and Ferguson on Hierarchical Sentiments, Character, and Freedom - Elazar, Yiftah
2. Ferguson, Smith, and the End of Oeconomy – Alonzi, Luigi
3. Conservatism, Providentialism, and the Subject of Hope in Ferguson at 300 - Kugler, Michael

C:

1. Scottish Emigrants and the Transformation of Anglicanism in Colonial Virginia – Tirenin, Gregory
2. The Wrong Empire: Scottish Thought and the Irony of Unintended Consequences in 18th-Century America – Tonks, Paul
3. Adam Smith's Parliamentary Unionism and his View of American Affairs - Hiroki Ueno (Keio)

D:

1. Connecting the Principles of the Political Machine: Persuasion and the Love of System in Smith's Political Thought - Vargas, Thiago
2. Adam Smith's Inquiry into the Nature and Causes of the Death of Nations – Hanley, Ryan
3. A Political Virtue? Hobbes, Locke, and Smith on Gratitude – Stuart-Buttle, Tim

E:

1. The Natural Progress of Opulence': Adam Smith's Rhetorical Theory of History - Okan, Ecem
2. Why did Capital Matter to Adam Smith? The Historical Development of the Idea of Capital - Nohara, Shinji
3. The Development of Capitalism and Human Nature in Adam Smith: A Problem of Synthesis - Rosa, Ledson da

Thursday 11-12:30

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Plenary: LISA HILL (Adelaide) A Liberal Utilitarian? Adam Smith on Welfare, Happiness and the Successful State

Thursday 12.30-13.30 LUNCH

Thursday afternoon: trip to Kirkcaldy and Anstruther

FRIDAY 21 JULY

9-10:30

A:

PANEL Author meets critics on his book Central Notions of Smithian Liberalism – Daniel Klein (org), Tim Stuart-Buttle, Richard Whatmore, John Cairns, Douglas Den Uyl

B:

1. On TMS - Stinespring, John
2. Resentment as the Passion of Sovereignty in *The Theory of Moral Sentiments* -- Neil Saccamano (Cornell)
3. The Moral Value of Social Shame in Adam Smith's TMS – Ozler, Sule

C:

1. William Burn: Style and Identity in 19th-Century Scotland - Godard Desmarets, Clarisse
2. Grammar as Metaphysics, Logic as Rhetoric: Smith's Method and Eidetic Numbers – Keefe Rosaleen
3. Language, Number and Exchange in Adam Smith's Analysis of the "Rude Stage": Reconsidering the Labour Theory of Value - Francesca Dal Degan and Marco Guidi

D:

1. The Invisible Hand and Natural Selection: Peas in a Conceptual Pod – Carey, Toni
2. Evolving from Cameralism: The Early Reception of Adam Smith in the Habsburg Administration 1792-1835 - Diemer, Maximilian
3. Political Economy from Below: William Playfair's 1811 Edition of Adam Smith's WN - Dunyach, Jean-Francois

Friday 11-12:30

A:

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PANEL: Author meets critics on Ortmann and Walraevens, *Adam Smith's System: A Re-Interpretation* (2022) - Ecem Okan, Lisa Hill, Ryan Hanley, Spiros Tegos

B:

1. Reid as Pivotal to James Wilson's Conception of Popular Sovereignty - Breay, Christopher
2. Kinship Networks and Commutative Justice - Caleb, Pettit
3. Beauty, Utility, and Commerce: Discourse Analysis of Adam Smith's Narrative of the Poor Man's Son - Rathbone, Mark

C:

1. The Idea of the Joint-Stock Corporation as a Civilizing Influence - Barker, Chris
2. Smith on Revenue and Produce - Coutinho, Mauricio Chalfin
- 3.

D:

1. The Diary of Rev. Murdoch Macdonald (1696-1763) - Beard, Ellen
2. William Richardson's Shakespeare Character Criticism and the Scottish 'Science of Man' - Meer, Zubin
- 3.

Friday 12.30-1.30 LUNCH

AGM of Eighteenth-Century Scottish Studies Society

Friday 1:30-3.00

A:

1. Adam Smith's Replacement of the Moral Sense by the Impartial Spectator - Schuck, Dirk
2. Searching for the Highest Impartial Spectator: Using Polanyi to Understand Smithian Moral Development - Truitt, Tegan
3. Adam Smith and the Virtue-Ethical 'Drive to Aspire' - McDavid, Brennan

B:

1. Hume, Smith, and Constant on Ancient and Modern Liberties – Yuchen Sun (King's College London)
2. Garnier's French Translation of the Wealth of Nations - Loulergue, Justine
- ~~3. Adam Smith and the Virtue-Ethical 'Drive to Aspire' - McDavid, Brennan~~

C:

1. The Enactive Smith - Machado, Felipe
2. Smith's Idea of Instinct in Philosophical and Theoretical Contexts - Pimenta, Pedro
3. Smith, Materialism, Materiality - Steeds, Leo

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Friday 3:30-5.00

A:

1. That Money may be Reduced to Providence: Political Economy and Enlightened Constitutionalism in John Witherspoon's Thought - Gallwey, George
2. Money, Society and Politics: The Monetary Thought of Sir James Steuart - Han, Ruoyu
- ~~3. Politics, Political Economy, and Poverty in Adam Smith - Hauck, Eveline~~

B:

1. Adam Smith's Sympathetic Persuasion and Innovation - Vachris, Michelle
2. "I am a beau in nothing but my books": Exploring Adam Smith's Library - Smith, Craig
3. Adam Smith as Innovator - Elias, Julio, and Castro, Walter

C:

1. Visualizing the 18th-Century Freemason: Portraits of William St. Clair of Roslin - Wolf, Reva
2. The Persistence of Renaissance and Reformation Scotland in Boswell's and Johnson's Tour of 1773 – Caudle, James
3. Maclaurin's law: issues of rank and privilege in two Scottish trials - those of Mungo Campbell (1769-70), for the murder of the 10th Earl of Eglinton; and Thomas Muir (1793), for sedition. – Crawford, Ronald

D:

1. Re-evaluating the 'Scottish Inheritance' of F.A. Hayek: Liberty, Spontaneous Order, and History - Liu, Billy
2. Increasing Returns: A legacy of Adam Smith - Vargas, Gustavo
3. Remote Encounters of a Distant Kind: Natives and Westerners in Smith's International Thought - Breban, Laurie, and Dellemotte, Jean

Friday 5-6:30

Plenary: JENG GUO CHEN 'Another Adam Smith Problem?: Adam Smith on Empire'

Friday 7.30

Conference banquet

Close of conference