THURSDAY, JANUARY 3, 2019

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

1. CATECHETICS, SCHOOLS, AND THE COLOR DIVIDE
Conference Room 4D (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Peter Cajka, University of Notre Dame

Parochial Schools and the Character of Urban Neighborhoods in the Archdioceses of Chicago and New York
James T. Carroll, Iona College

Catholic Curriculum, Girls of Color, and Community Identity, 1820-50
Lisa Lamson, Marquette University
3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

2. LAY LEADERSHIP AND ECUMENISM IN NORTH AMERICA
Conference Room 4D (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair: James Carroll, Iona College

Certitude of the Faith in Theological Debate and Lay Belief
Camarin M. Porter, Northern Arizona University

A Prophetic Voice in the Canadian Catholic Church: Romeo Maione’s Model of Lay Leadership for Justice in the World
Peter Baltutis, Saint Mary’s University

American Catholic Experience of Interfaith Dialogue, 1945-65: New Approaches to American Support to the Vatican II Declaration on Non-Christians
Claire Maligot, École Pratique des Haute Études

Comment: Dennis Gunn, Iona College

3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

ACHA EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING
Pullman Boardroom (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Presiding: Richard Gribble, CSC, Stonehill College, ACHA President (2018)

FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 2019

8:30 AM - 10:00 AM

3. CRITICAL TERMS (ACHA): AMERICAN
Conference Room 4D (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Matthew J. Cressler, College of Charleston

Kelsey Moss, Princeton University
Linh Hoang, Siena College
Shannen Dee Williams, University of Tennessee at Knoxville
Daisy Vargas, University of Arizona
Felipe Hinojosa, Texas A&M University
4. WOMEN AND LITURGICAL INNOVATIONS IN 20TH-CENTURY CHICAGO
Conference Room 4A (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair: Stephanie Brehm, Northwestern University

Leaning into Vatican II: Entrepreneurship and Women’s Liturgy at Chicago’s St. Benet’s Bookstore, 1931–73
Brian Clites, Case Western Reserve University

This Women’s Work: The Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women and Chicago’s Liturgical Reform Program
Jennifer Callaghan, Northwestern University

Women and Liturgical Innovation: Creating “Chicago’s Youth Ministry Model"
Katherine A. Dugan, Springfield College

Comment: Mary Henold, Roanoke College

5. RECONCILING CATHOLICISM IN PROSE AND ARGUMENTS
Conference Room 4B (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Dennis Castillo, Christ the King Seminary

Poet or Prophet? Langland and the Limits of Poetry as Historical Evidence
Christopher Denny, St. John’s University

Erasmus’s Enchiridion Milites Christiani and the Humanist Knight in Early 16th-Century England
Sean Kane, University of Missouri

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

6. FRANCISCANS IN THE AMERICAN CENTURY: A DISCUSSION OF NEW RESEARCH
Conference Room 4B (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair: Jeffrey M. Burns, Academy of American Franciscan History

Meaning and Mess: Franciscan Media and the Role of Empathy in Finding Faith
Raymond J. Haberski, Indiana University–Purdue University

Into the Suburbs and the “Secular City”: The Changing Locis of 20th-Century Franciscan Parish Communities
David Endres, Athenaeum of Ohio and Mount Saint Mary’s Seminary of the West
Robert E. Carbonneau, Passionist Historical Archives

Comment: Kathleen Sprows Cummings, University of Notre Dame

7. CRITICAL TERMS (ACHA): CATHOLIC
Conference Room 4D (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair: Katherine A. Dugan, Springfield College

Anthony Petro, Boston University
Ronit Y. Stahl, University of California, Berkeley
Kathleen Holscher, University of New Mexico
Amanda Baugh, California State University, Northridge

Comment: Brian Clites, Case Western Reserve University

8. POPE PIUS IX: NEW ANALYSIS
Conference Room 4A (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Massimo Faggioli, Villanova University

The Pope and the Professor: Pius IX, Ignaz Von Döllinger, and the Quandary of the Modern Age (Oxford, 2017)
Thomas Albert Howard, Valparaiso University

The Pope Who Would be King: Pius IX and the Emergence of Modern Europe (Random House, 2018)
David Kertzer, Brown University

Commentary on Howard’s and Kertzer’s Books on Pope Pius IX
John O’Malley, Georgetown University
1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

9. CHICAGO CATHOLICISM
Conference Room 4A (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Janet Welsh OP, Dominican University

The Redemptorists of Old Town: The Highs and Lows of a Chicago Parish
Patrick Hayes, Redemptorist Archives of the Baltimore Province

The Ambiguities of Catholic Interracialism in 1950s Chicago
Ian Rocksborough, University of Fraser Valley

The Night of Judgement for Chicago: The 1871 Chicago Fire
Betty Ann McNeil, DePaul University

10. THE PARISH CHURCH AND COMMUNITY IN MEDIEVAL AND EARLY MODERN ENGLAND
Conference Room 4D (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Katherine French, University of Michigan

The Place and Patron of the Baptismal Font in the Early Medieval Parish
Carolyn Twomey, St. Lawrence University

The Parish Church Transept: Architecture, Economy, and Ritual in the Lincolnshire Fens
Meg Bernstein, University of California, Los Angeles

Making a Deal with the Devil? Parish Record Keeping and Strategies of Conformity during the Early Tudor Reformation
William Keene Thompson, University of California, Santa Barbara

11. MISSIONARY IMPULSE OF WOMEN RELIGIOUS IN THE UNITED STATES
Conference Room 4B (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Robert E. Carbonneau, Passionist Historical Archives

Jillian Plummer, University of Notre Dame

Postcolonial Missions of American Catholic Women Religious
Donna Maria Moses, OP, Dominican Sisters
3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

12. SCANDALS, DISSENT, AND RUMORS
Conference Room 4D (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: James T. Carroll, Iona College

From a “Relic of the Revolution” to an “Awful Disclosure”: The Changing Face of Captivity Narratives in the Early 19th-Century United States
David J. Dzurec, University of Scranton

Rape and Romanism: Sex and Power in the American Imagination after Maria Monk
James McCartin, Fordham University

The Nature of Catholic Dissent: From Unigenitus (1713) to Humanae Vitae (1968)
Shaun Blanchard, Marquette University

13. POLITICS AND POPES IN EUROPEAN NATIONS
Conference Room 4A (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Gerald P. Fogarty, University of Virginia

The Response of the Catholic Church to Neo-Nationalism: The Italian Case in a Historical Perspective
Raffaella Perin, Ca’ Foscari University of Venice
Women Deacons in Basque Country
Phyllis Zagano, Hofstra University
And the Center Falls Apart

14. PUBLIC MINISTRY OF CATHOLIC WOMEN
Conference Room 4B (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Jeanne D. Petit, Hope College

“We Are Not Here to Convict but to Convince”: A Catholic Lay Woman’s Evolution to Anti-racism in 20th-Century Philadelphia
Maureen O’Connell, La Salle University

Sandra Yocum, University of Dayton
A Little Cosmos of the Mystical Body: Catholic Lay Women Counter Racism in Chicago at Mid-Century
Nicholas Rademachar, Cabrini University

5:30 PM - 7:00 PM

ACHA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP BUSINESS MEETING
Conference Room 4D (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Presiding: Charles T. Strauss, Mount St. Mary’s University, ACHA Executive Secretary-Treasurer

SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 2019

8:30 AM - 10:00 AM

15. CRITICAL TERMS (ACHA): HISTORICAL
Conference Room 4D (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Carolyn Twomey, St. Lawrence University

Hillary Kaell, Concordia University
Jessica L. Delgado, Princeton University
Mary Corley Dunn, Saint Louis University
Sharon Leon, Michigan State University
John C. Seitz, Fordham University

16. JESUIT IMAGINATION, STRATEGY, AND PRAXIS IN EARLY MODERN INDIA
Conference Room 4B (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Anatole Upart, University of Chicago

“Neither the One Who Plants nor the One Who Waters Is Anything, but Only God”: Claudio Acquaviva and Ratification of Cultural Accommodation in Asia
Liubou Dzhianau-Vnukousky, Belarusian State University

Big Little Gods: Ivory Statuettes and the Jesuit Mission in 17th-Century India
Erin Benay, Case Western Reserve University

Tamil Folklore and Catholic Devotion in the Sermons of Giacomo Tommaso de Rossi, SJ, 1701–74
Margherita Trento, University of Chicago
17. THE SOUTH AND AMERICAN CATHOLICISM
Conference Room 4A (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: James McCartin, Fordham University

William T. Russell and the Church in the New South Carolina
Suzanne Krebsbach, independent scholar

What Does It Mean to Be American? The Sisters of St. Joseph and the Dominican Sisters Confront the Antebellum Catholic Church
Elisabeth Davis, State University of New York at Buffalo

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

18. CATHOLICISM AND THE CONUNDRUM OF RACE
Conference Room 4A (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Augustine Curley, OSB, Newark Abbey

Service and Slaves: The Role of Slavery in the Sisters of Charity of Nazareth
Jacqueline Romero, Arizona State University

Uncomfortable Entries: Documenting Enslaved Persons in Catholic Sacramental Records
Emilie Leumas, Archdiocese of New Orleans

The Eugenics War: Roman Catholic Grassroots Movements Challenge American Progressivism in the United States Territory of Puerto Rico, 1898-1968
Carlos Rodriguez-Lampon, Universidad Interamerica de Puerto Rico

19. CRITICAL TERMS (ACHA): ASSOCIATION
Conference Room 4D (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair: Margaret M. McGuinness, La Salle University

Peter Cajka, University of Notre Dame
Monica Mercado, Colgate University
Neomi DeAnda, University of Dayton
Maureen O’Connell, La Salle University
Kristy Nabhan-Warren, University of Iowa

Comment: Jack Downey, La Salle University
20. INTERRELIGIOUS CONFLICT IN “PEACE” AND WAR
Conference Room 4B (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Chair and Comment: Richard Gribble, CSC, Stonehill College

The “Peace” of Ellen Ewing Sherman and the Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions, 1874–84
Natalie Sargent, University of Notre Dame

Catholic and Protestant Loyalties during the Spanish American War, 1898–1902
Thomas J. Renna, Saginaw Valley State University

12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

ACHA PRESIDENTIAL LUNCHEON
Astoria Room (Hilton Chicago, Third Floor)

3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Joliet Room (Hilton Chicago, Third Floor)

Chair: Richard Gribble, CSC, Stonehill College
Speaker: Joseph M. White, The Catholic Historical Review

5:30 PM - 6:15 PM

ACHA LITURGY
Conference Room 4D (Hilton Chicago, Fourth Floor)

Presiding: Fr. Thomas E. Blantz, CSC, University of Notre Dame

6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Please note that the ACHA has a new home. After seven good years at Fordham University, the Association has relocated to Mount St. Mary’s University in Emmitsburg, Maryland, the second oldest Catholic university in the United States. Dr. Charles T. Strauss has been named Executive Secretary-Treasurer as of June 2018. Please feel free to contact the ACHA office or stop by for a visit. All are welcome to visit “The Mount” and tour the Association’s new offices:

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*The ACHA will not hold a Spring Meeting in 2019, but the Association is open for proposals for a 2020 Spring Meeting. The deadline for proposals to host is April 1, 2019. Please contact Charles T. Strauss (cstrauss@achahistory.org) with your interest as soon as possible and help the ACHA to host a successful 2020 Spring Meeting. The EST will provide significant guidance in the planning process.
*The ACHA is a longstanding member of the International Commission for the History and Study of Christianity (CIHEC). In August 2020, the CIHEC will participate in the 23rd Congress of the International Committee of Historical Studies in Poznan, Poland CIHEC will sponsor three sessions: 1) Religious violence and religious peace; 2) Religion and totalitarianism; 3) Religion and gender. Each session will have approximately 6 papers. All interested should contact:

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NB: The CIHEC Bureau will meet in Lyon, France this June 2019 to finalize a CFP, which ACHA EST will circulate.

*Stay tuned for information about a Call for Papers (by 2020 Program Chair, Mary Henold) for the 2020 ACHA Annual Meeting: January 3 - 6 * New York Hilton ($173, single) * Sheraton New York Times Square ($175, single)

*Future AHA meetings include:

2021 - Seattle
2022 - New Orleans
2023 - Philadelphia
2024 - San Francisco
2025 - New York City
This panel brings together the perspectives of history, religious studies, and theology to discuss the Catholic Church’s ongoing crisis of clerical sex abuse. Although this crisis is not a new one in the Catholic Church, a Pennsylvania grand jury report released in August made evident to a much larger audience the sexual abuse perpetrated by Roman Catholic priests against children, and church officials’ systematic covering up of that abuse. This pattern of abuse and institutional cover-up has international dimensions, with similar accounts emerging in several countries.

The scholars participating in this panel will engage in a conversation analyzing the current Catholic sex abuse crisis both historically and historiographically and will offer recommendations for how the international Catholic Church can more effectively use the lessons of the past to pursue a course of justice and substantive reform.

This roundtable discussion on religion, gender, sex, sexuality, and power will seek answers to these and similar questions:

- How has historians’ failure to more centrally situate Catholicism in their narratives weakened their ability to effectively analyze the abuse crisis in the Catholic Church?
- To what extent has Catholic scholarship’s inattention to larger historical interpretations of women, gender, and sexuality rendered it unable to adequately comprehend the church’s current crisis?
- How has the political project of empire, and the forms of racialization that spin out of it, become a layer in the power dynamics that underscore clerical sex abuse?
- In what ways can child victims of clerical sex abuse be more effectively centered in scholarship on the crisis?
- In what ways is this a specifically Catholic crisis?
- How can scholars use space and place to better understand the abuse crisis?
- To what extent have scholars unwittingly suppressed and silenced credible accounts of Catholic abuse in the historical record?
- What roles should Catholic laypeople and the state play in reforming church governance?
- Audience comments and contributions are welcomed and encouraged.
Italian Catholicism’s Impossible Courtship with Rossellini
Roy Domenico, Society for Italian Historical Studies

Rossellini at the Drive-in: Stromboli, the Bergman Affair, and HUAC in Cold War America
Anthony Smith, University of Dayton

Ingrid’s Stripped Altar and the Making of a Cold War US Catholic
James Fisher, Fordham University
2019 ACHA PRIZES AND AWARDS

ACHA Distinguished Scholar
Philip Gleason, University of Notre Dame

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Monsignor Robert Trisco, Catholic University of America

John Gilmary Shea Prize

Howard R. Marraro Prize
Paul F. Grendler: The Jesuits and Italian Universities, 1548-1773 (Catholic University of America Press, 2017)

Peter Guilday Prize
Troy J. Tice, Princeton University: “‘Containing Heresy and Errors’: Thomas of Bailly and the Condemned Extracts of the Mirror of Simple Souls.”

John Tracy Ellis Dissertation Award

Msgr. Harry C. Koenig Award

Graduate Student Travel Stipends to attend the AHA Annual Meeting:
   Jacqueline Romero
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