

## Visual Learning in France (St Andrews, 24-25 May 17)

University of St Andrews, May 24-25, 2017

Registration deadline: May 15, 2017

Linda Goddard and Stephanie O'Rourke

Visualising Learning in France, c.1500-1830

Symposium

New Seminar Room, School of History, South Street, St Andrews

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The event is free but places are limited. Please register by emailing [lfg21@st-andrews.ac.uk](mailto:lfg21@st-andrews.ac.uk) (Linda Goddard) by 15 May, indicating day 1, 2, or both.

Programme

Wednesday 24 May

9.30 - 10.00 tea/coffee and welcome

10.00 - 11.00 Susanna Berger (University of Southern California / Villa I Tatti),  
'Sigmund Jacob Apin on Visual Learning in Sixteenth- and Seventeenth-Century Europe'

11.00 - 12.00 David Pullins (Massachusetts Institute of Technology / The Frick Collection),  
'Visualizing Drawing: Cochin, the Encyclopédie and the livres à dessiner Tradition'

12.00 - 1.00 lunch (for speakers)

1.00 - 2.00 Katie Scott (The Courtauld Institute of Art) and Hannah Williams (Queen Mary University of London),  
'Objects of Learning: Houdon's Écorché and Oppenord's Ripa'

2.00 - 3.00 Stephanie O'Rourke (University of St Andrews),  
'Histories of the Self in the Trioson Portrait Series'

3.00 - 3.30 coffee

3.30 - 4.30 Charles Kang (Columbia University),

'Trees of Blood: Injection and Representation'

4.30 - 5.00 general discussion

5.00 drinks

Thursday 25 May

9.30 - 10.30 Sarah Easterby-Smith (University of St Andrews),

'Cultivating Utility: Amateur Botany, Taste and Floriculture in Late-Eighteenth-Century France'

10.30 - 11.30 Richard Taws (University College London),

'The Echo Chamber of the French Revolution'

11.30 - 11.45 coffee

11.45 - 12.45 Mary Orr (University of St Andrews),

'Colouring the Science of the Past: The Arts of Learning for the Present?'

Close of symposium

From 8 May, see programme and abstracts  
at: <http://cfhc.wp.st-andrews.ac.uk/workshops/visualising-learning-in-france-c-1500-1830/>

Reference:

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