

College of Arts and Sciences

Faculty Achievements: National and International Conference Presentations

Lydia Kisley, Assistant Professor, Physics

Invited presentation “Imaging protein thermodynamic stability and folding kinetics in hydrogels.” Gibbs Society of Biological Thermodynamics, Carbondale, IL, Oct. 5, 2019.

Ryan Martin, Assistant Professor, Biology

A test for transgenerational plasticity in the adaptive divergence of acorn ant thermal tolerance across an urban-rural temperature cline. Oral presentation in the Transgenerational response to environmental stress session at the Society for Experimental Biology meeting in Seville, Spain, July 2-5, 2019.

A test for transgenerational plasticity in the adaptive divergence of acorn ant thermal tolerance across an urban-rural temperature cline. Oral presentation in the Phenotypic Plasticity session at International Evolution Conference in Providence, RI, 21-25 June, 2019.

Paul Iversen, Associate Professor and Chair, Classics

“Dating, and Dating By, the Antikythera Mechanism.” American Society of Greek and Latin Epigraphy Panel at the Society for Classical Studies Conference, Washington, D.C., Jan. 5, 2020.

“A New Edition of the ‘Back Plate Inscription’ on the Antikythera Mechanism and a Minor Revision of the Eclipse Possibilities on its Saros Dial.” At the Third North American Congress of Greek and Latin Epigraphy, Washington, DC, Jan. 6, 2020.

Dave Lucas, Lecturer, English / SAGES

Completed term (2018-19) as Poet Laureate of the State of Ohio

“Poetry’s First and Last Stop: Libraries as Partners in the Publishing Process.” Panel. Association of Writers and Writing Programs (AWP) Annual Conference. San Antonio, TX. March 4-7, 2020. With Gina Bastone, Tomás Q. Morín, Sam Treviño and Annar Veröld.

David Gurarie, Professor, Mathematics, Applied Mathematics and Statistics

ASTMH (American Society for Tropical Medicine and Hygiene) annual meeting, DC 2019. Invited presentation: [Adaptive strategies for schistosomiasis control and elimination in heterogeneous environments: a model-based analysis of public health guidelines.](#)

Karen Beckwith, Flora Stone Mather Professor, Political Science

Visiting Scholar, Centennial Center, American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., September-December 2019.

“Institutionalizing Women’s Inclusion in Governing Cabinets,” with Claire Annesley and Susan Franceschet, paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Aug, 29-Sept. 1, 2019, Washington, D.C.

“Cabinets, Ministers, and Gender,” with Claire Annesley and Susan Franceschet. Paper presented at the European Conference on Politics and Gender, July 4-6, 2019, Amsterdam.

Elina Gertsman, Professor, Art History

“The Rhetoric of Display: Sacred Objects at the Cleveland Museum of Art.” Session: Curatorial Discourses on Medieval Art, Past and Present. The 54th International Congress of Medieval Studies. Kalamazoo, MI. May 9-12, 2019.

“The Matter of Parchment.” Medieval Matters: Public Humanities Speaker Series, sponsored by the Ohio Humanities grant. Way Public Library, Perrysburg, OH. April 22, 2019.

“The Global Middle Ages in the Classroom: Expanding Geographies, Challenging Borders” (with Sonya Mace). 94th Annual Meeting of the Medieval Academy of America. Philadelphia, PA. March 7-9, 2019.

“Object Learning: In and Out of the Classroom.” Invited discussant at the Committee on Centers and Regional Associations (CARA) meeting, “Taking Up the Global Challenge: Expanding the Purview of Medieval Studies - Questions, Solutions, and Innovations.” 94th Annual Meeting of the Medieval Academy of America. Philadelphia, PA. March 7-9, 2019. With Sonya Rhie Mace.

“Lacunae and Their Phantoms.” The Northwestern Medieval Colloquium. Northwestern University. Evanston, IL. Feb. 28, 2019.

Wojbor A. Woyczynski, Professor, Mathematics, Applied Mathematics and Statistics
Wroclaw University, Invited Colloquium Talks, May 23-24, 2019.

Shanna Beth McGee, Professor, Theater

Presentation: “Making Vocal and Body NRGs Come Alive,” presented with Dan Hendrock. Lessac Training and Research Institute 2020 International Conference. Jan. 2020.

Evelyn Adkins, Assistant Professor, Classics

“Mastery over Body and Text: Lucius, Photis, and Isis”: Oral paper presented at the Rethymnon International Conference on the Ancient Novel (RICAN), Rethymnon, Crete, Oct. 9-11, 2019.

“Rhetorical Sleight-of-Hand in Apuleius’ Apology”: Oral paper presented at Classical Association of the Middle West and South (CAMWS), Lincoln, NE, Apr. 3-6, 2019.

Xuan Gao, Professor, Physics

Invited to give invited presentation on "Electron transport in III-VI and IV-VI mono-chalcogenide nanostructures" at the 2019 annual March meeting of APS (American Physical Society) in Boston, MA, its largest annual meeting with nearly 10,000 attendees from around the world.

Francesca Brittan, Associate Professor, Music

Duke University, Speaker Series: “Qualities of Mind: Attention, Cognition, and the Romantic Listener,” March 2019.

Convened the symposium "Economies of Mind: Attention, Distraction, Absorption," Baker-Nord Center for the Humanities, Case Western Reserve University, April 2019.

Beth M. Carter, Assistant Professor, Modern Languages and Literature

Association for Japanese Literary Studies (paper presentation)

Beth M. Carter, Ph.D. “Parting and purification: Gendered poetic laments of exile in The Tale of Genji’s “Suma.”

Christopher Cullis, Francis Hobart Herrick Professor of Biology, Biology

July 1 - 4, 2019. 2 presentations and session chair at EDULEARN19 Conference, Mallorca, Spain.

1. Entrepreneurism within the Educational Context

2. Undergraduates developing resources for lost crops of Africa

Jan 15, 2020. Plant and Animal Genome XXVI, San Diego

Invited presentation on Flax Genomics, "Can flax 'edit' its genome"