Center for Material Culture Studies

Meeting Agenda

February 22, 2017
211 Old College 9-10 am


1. Greetings, Introductions, New Faculty

2. Reports & Updates:

   • Newly added grant opportunities (for older grants, see website):
     - Unidel “top-off” grants for Graduate Student recruitment in MCS
     - CMCS Graduate Workshop/Archive funds (in addition to Research, Travel, Publication):
       -- results to be announced in mid April
     - CMCS/Undergraduate Research Fellow Program, under the auspices of the Office of Undergraduate Research and Experiential Learning
     - Next Deadlines for Grad awards:
       3/17 (Research Presentation; Research Publication; Finkel; Friends of Rockwood)
       4/15 (Research Travel)
   

   • DELPHI 2017 (currently 22 applicants)

   • CMCS/U Mainz: new opportunities (summer workshop @ Obama Institute; visiting Junior Profs in the Humanities)

   • CMCS & publishing arm (edited vol. Objects of Refuge; online journal w/ UD Press)
     -- join meeting is scheduled for March 14

   • ThingStor joined by Comp Sci and UD Library Digital Initiatives
     -- 2\textsuperscript{nd} meeting scheduled for 3/1 with CMCS, CompSci, and DigLibrary present;

   • 2018: Emerging Scholars (Center is seeking graduate student nominations?)
• 2019: 2nd Biennial CMCS Symposium, open to collaborators & ideas …

3. CMCS GA-line (Center is seeking nominations)

4. Working Groups: updates
   - Theory/Method (Julian Yates; Media Old & New (Jason Hill); Esa Eja (Monica Dominguez); Afr Am MC (Julie McGee)

5. New Business:
   - Winterthur Research Award opportunities (Catharine Dann Roeber)
   - Special Collections/Museum Exhibitions (Janis Tomlinson)
   - announce CAS/ IHRC/ Spec Coll to host Fo Williams (Julie McGee)
   - CMCS: please submit ALL event and calendar sensitive announcements to our Center email: materialculture@udel.edu