

Body Language

University of Michigan,
Ann Arbor



Bawdy Talk

March 9-11, 2017

Thursday, March 9

Angell 3241

4PM Seminar

Jeffrey Masten on
Edward II

Friday, March 10

Angell 3222

12-12:30PM
Coffee & Registration

12:30-2PM

Pleasure and Danger

Megan Hall (Penn)
"Bawdy Talk and Revenging Rape"
Laurel Billings (Michigan)
"Uncertain Subjects"
Alice Raw (Oxford)
"Female Sexual Pleasure in 'Amorous Carols'"
Catherine Sanok, Respondent

2:00-3:30PM

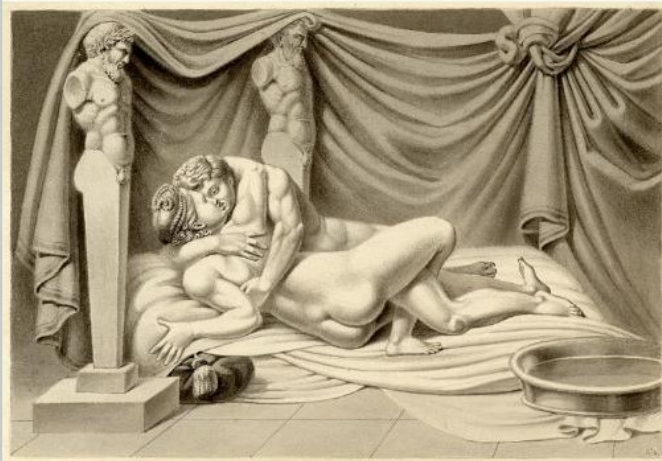
Feeling Bodies

Elizabeth Light (Fordham)
"Blood, Tears, and Queer Reading Practices"
Nicholas Holterman (Michigan)
"The Sound of Love"
Kendra Grimmatt (Penn)
"Amorous Hands & Tangled Bodies"
Valerie Traub, Respondent

3:30-4PM
Coffee Break

4PM Keynote

Jeffrey Masten (Northwestern)
"Carnal Knowledge, or the Piercings of
Edward II"



Saturday, March 11

Angell 3222

9-9:30AM
Coffee & Registration

9:30-11AM

Perverse Histories

Izzy Stern (Rutgers)
"Pregnancy and Perverse Delight"
Eric Brinkman (Ohio State)
"You kiss by th' book': Early Modern Stage Kissing"
Becky Hixon (Michigan)
"Limitations of Space and Linguistic Foreplay"
Peggy McCracken, Respondent

11-12:30PM

Sexual Politics

Baisakhi Sengupta (Jawaharlal Nehru)
"Figurative Representations of Humans and Animals"
Hannah Ryan (Cornell)
"Conjuring the Midwife-Witch"
Tonhi Lee (Michigan)
"Epistemology of Pleasure in Ligon's Barbados"
Katherine French, Respondent

12:30-2PM
Lunch

2-3:30PM

The Difference Religion Makes

Timothy Wright (Berkeley)
"Celibacy and Seduction"
Hayley Bowman (Michigan)
"The Labors of Sor Maria de Agreda"
Leighla Khansari (Ohio State)
"Reclaiming Sycorax's Authority as a Muslim Woman"
Valerie Kivelson, Respondent

3:30-4PM
Coffee Break

4PM Keynote

Zrinka Stahuljak (UCLA)
"The Order of History': Translating Sex
and the 'Orient' in the Manuscripts of
Alexander the Great"

7:30PM

Please join us for a post-conference
social hour at Ashley's

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