

The Europaeum Oxford History Seminar

27-28 November | Maison Française Oxford and University of Oxford

Thursday 27th November 2025, Maison Française Oxford

9.15 – 9.30am	Welcome Miles Pattenden (Europaeum) and Anthony Teasdale (Europaeum)
9.30 – 11am	Keynote lecture: Natalia Nowakowska (Oxford), The Jagiellonians: The Pasts and Futures of a European Renaissance Dynasty, Chair: Miles Pattenden (Europaeum)
11 – 11.20am	Coffee break
11.20 – 1pm	Panel 1: European Narratives and Pedagogies Chair: Nuri Kurnaz (Amsterdam and Europaeum MA alumnus) Sophie Raehme (CEU), Where the Walls Speak: ‘Las Cuchas Tienen la Razón’ and the Latin American Migrant Memory Routes that ‘un-border’ Europe’s Past Sam Rubinstein (Oxford), The Denazification of Percy Ernst Schramm Jessica Beltrán Martínez (UCM), Who does science? Gender representations in the history of science through school textbooks Silva Rosa Olavo (UCP), Why Here? – A Reflection on Teaching European History in Diverse Classrooms
1 – 2.30pm	Lunch break (lunch provided for registered participants only)
2.30 – 4pm	Panel 2: Empire, War, and Historical Consciousness Chair: Sam Rubinstein (Oxford and Europaeum MA alumnus) <i>Faculty speaker:</i> David Parrott (Oxford), Early Modern European Warfare in a Global Context Nuri Kurnaz (Amsterdam and Europaeum MA alumnus), Imagining Europe: Co-imperialism or imperial exceptionalism? Georgina Requena (Pompeu Fabra), How historical memories and political imaginaries were used to overcome moments of state and imperial crisis in late 19th-century Spain



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4.30 – 6pm

Keynote lecture: Philip Mansel (Court Studies Society), Britain at the Heart of Europe: Courts, Cities, Cultures, from Henry VII to Queen Victoria

Chair: Tracey Sowerby (Oxford)

6.30pm

Dinner at [Wolfson College](#), Oxford (registered participants only)

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9.30 – 11am

Panel 3: Mobility, Community, Identity

Chair: Hanna Sinclair (Oxford)

Faculty speaker: Céline Dauverd (Oxford/University of Colorado), Synergetic Methodologies: Málaga in European and Mediterranean History

Floris van Doorn (Helsinki), Reimagining Eurafrica: The EU Emergency Trust Fund for Africa

Frederik Wolter (Oxford), ‘Tutti devoti del culto leonardiano’: Leonardo Quincentenary (1952-1953) and the Making of a European Historical Identity in Postwar Italy

11 – 11.30am

Coffee break

11.30 – 1pm

Panel 4: Matters of Scale: National vs Transnational

Chair: Philip Mansel (Court Studies Society)

Faculty speaker: Tracey Sowerby (Oxford), The Future of European Diplomatic History

Sofia Pedchenko (CEU), Shaping the Scottish Art Canon: Alexander Moffat and his Role in the Reconstruction of Scottish Nationality

Antonio Patteri (Oxford), A continent of conspiracies: towards a transnational history of 16th century Europe

1 – 2pm

Lunch break (lunch provided for registered participants only)

2 – 3pm

Maps session at the [Bodleian](#), Oxford (registered participants only)

3.15 – 4.15pm

Tour of the [Ashmolean Museum](#), Oxford (registered participants)

4.15 – 5pm

Final Discussion – Lecture Theatre, the Ashmolean

7pm

Dinner – Al Shami Restaurant, Oxford (registered participants only)

