

Oceans of History

Connecting Spaces of Contest and Exchange

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Northwestern University • Evanston Campus • Harris Hall • Room 108 • Free and Open to the Public

FEATURING A KEYNOTE ADDRESS BY

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• AND COMMENTARY BY •

Eric Dursteler

Associate Professor of History at Brigham Young University, and author of *Renegade Women: Gender, Identity and Boundaries in the Early Modern Mediterranean*.

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Associate Professor of History at Northwestern, and author of *Distant Tyranny: Markets, Power and Backwardness in Spain, 1650-1800*.

C O N F E R E N C E P R O G R A M

- 10:00 - 10:30 **Coffee and Welcome**
Welcome · Sarah Maza, CCHS Director
Convener's Introduction · Neal Dugre, CCHS Graduate Fellow
- 10:30 - 12:30 **Session One**
Chair · Caitlin Fitz, Northwestern
- Neal Dugre, Northwestern
"We are a people in Combination with others": The Political Anatomy of Restoration New England
 - Rachel Banke, Notre Dame
"Too Apt to Desire All Foreigners": Sympathy and State-Building among the Mohawks and MacDonaldis
 - Emma Goldsmith, Northwestern
The Provincial Port City: Bristol's Elite in the Late-Nineteenth Century
Commentator · Eric Dursteler, Brigham Young University
- 12:30 - 1:30 **Lunch**
- 1:30 - 2:45 **Keynote Address · Oceans in Transit**
David Hancock, University of Michigan
- 2:45 - 3:00 **Coffee**
- 3:00 - 5:00 **Session Two**
Chair · Rajeev Kinra, Northwestern
- Andrea Felber Seligman, Northwestern
Reckoning Their Own Values: Local Preferences, World Trade, and Ruvuma Societies in the Wider East African-Indian Ocean World, 1500-1650 C.E.
 - Nicholas Smith, Northwestern
The Modern History of Colonial Pirates: Piracy in the Red Sea in the Nineteenth Century
 - Devin Smart, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Working on the Water: Fishing, Ecology, and Labor in Western Kenya, 1890-1939
Commentator · Regina Grafe, Northwestern
- 5:00 - 6:00 **Reception**

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