

‘Eating Words’: Provisional Programme

13 September 2011, Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge

SP=Senior Parlour, BA=Bateman Auditorium

- 9-9.30** **Registration and Coffee (SP)**
- 9.30-10.30** **1. Culinary Technologies (BA)**
- Helen Smith (York), *Cooking the books: the kitchen in the early modern printing house*
- Emma Spary (Cambridge), *Culinary satires and the science of cuisine in eighteenth-century Paris*
- 10.30-11** **Tea (Bateman Room)**
- 11-12** **2a. Cookbooks and method (BA)**
- Divya Narayanan (Virginia), *Indo-Persian cookbooks: analytical and methodological perspectives*
- Nathalie Parys (Vrije Universiteit Brussel), *Using cookbooks as historical sources: obstacles and challenges*
- 2b. Studies in Bibliophagy (SP)**
- Tammy Ho Lai-Ming (KCL), *Book-eating books: Tom Phillips’s A ‘humument’ and Neo-Victorian Fiction*
- Gill Partington (Birkbeck), *Mastication and materiality: John Latham and the symbolism of eating books*
- 12-1** **Plenary: Deborah Krohn (Bard Graduate Centre), *Cooking on the margins: Using cookbooks* (BA)**
- 1-2** **Lunch (Senior Parlour or Caius Court if weather permits)**
- 2-3** **3.a The Philology of Food (BA)**
- Dr Ruth Cruickshank (Royal Holloway, London), *(Post)structuralism’s Leftovers*
- Ellen Fryer (UCL), *Moving food from Danish to English*

3.b Mealtimes (or, reading with your mouth full) (SP)

Tessa Webber (Cambridge), *Monastic reading in the refectory*

Sara Thornton (UCL), *Reading the jam in James: Preserves, pickles and domesticity in The Awkward Age and "In the Cage"*

3-4.30 4. Banquets of Words (BA)

Raphael Lyne (Cambridge), *Macaronic poetry and the consumption of books*

Erin Weinberg (Queen's, Canada), *"I'll play the cook": Literalizing the classical precedent of consumable revenge in 'Titus Andronicus'*

Elizabeth Swann (York), *"Imitation sweet": Early seventeenth-century commonplace culture and the bibliophagic trope*

4.30-5 Tea (Bateman Room)

5-6 Plenary: Sara Pennell (Roehampton), *Religion and morality in the kitchen through the presence of texts* (BA)

6-6.45 Drinks (Lord Colyton Hall or Caius Court)

6.45 Dinner (Fellows' Dining Room)