Cambridge Seminar Series in 19th Century French Studies: 2016-2017

All are welcome to this platform for a range of researchers in the field, from Cambridge and elsewhere, which meets in the Thomas Young Room, Front Court, Emmanuel College. Convenor: Nick White (njw16@cam.ac.uk). We meet from 5.15 on Mondays (papers starting at 5.30). Wine and other refreshments are served.

Michaelmas Term 2016:

17 October Marni Kessler (University of Kansas)

Considering Oysters, Butter, Peaches, and a Ham:

Representing Food in Late 19th-Century French Visual Culture

14 November Alex Tranca (University of Cambridge)

Haussmannisation and Palimpsestic Practices

5 December Éléonore Reverzy (Université Sorbonne Nouvelle - Paris 3)

La Littérature publique. Fictions de la prostitution au XIXe siècle

Lent Term 2017:

23 January Claire White (King's College London)

Doubting Thomas: Zola, Lourdes and the Miracle Cure

6 February Becca Sugden (University of Cambridge)

The Hidden Hand of Freemasonry in George Sand's Fiction

27 February Nicholas White (University of Cambridge)

Zola, Nationhood, War

13 March Maurice Samuels (Yale University)

The Arrest of the Duchess: Friendship, Betrayal, and the End of the Bourbon

Monarchy

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Easter Term 2017:

24 April Arthur Asseraf (All Soul's College, Oxford)

Magical Printing: the civilisation of the newspaper and its discontents in colonial

Algeria

15 May Sharon Marcus (Columbia University)

Imaginary Friends: Sarah Bernhardt and Her Fans

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