

The social intellectual: experience and thought in the Middle Ages

Thursday 19 March 2020

**The King's Manor, Exhibition Square, University
of York**

Convenors:

Dr Lucy Sackville, University of York

Professor John H Arnold, University of Cambridge



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10:30 *Registration*

11:00 **Session 1**

Chair: Dr Justine Trombley (University of Nottingham)

Dr Jessalynn Bird (Saint Mary's College, USA)

IN intellectuals as popular preachers against heresy in early-thirteenth century apocalypse commentaries and moralized bibles

Dr Joseph Ziegler (University of Haifa, Israel)

Thinking, predicting and maintaining longevity around 1300

Dr Reima Välimäki (University of Turku, Finland)

Women as transmitters of beliefs and memory in German Waldensian communities

Dr Irene Bueno (University of Bologna, Italy)

Inquisitors and the theological roots of heresy: poverty and biblical exegesis at the papal court of Avignon

13:00 *Lunch*

14:00 **Session 2**

Chair: Professor Peregrine Horden (Royal Holloway, University of London)

Dr Nicholas Townson (Winchester College)

Italian friars and Parisian thought about emotion in the thirteenth century

Dr John Sabapathy (University College London)

A mutual interrogation: the 'Cathar question' and the 'Franciscan question' between intuitions and institutions

Dr Zubin Mistry (University of Edinburgh)

Praying for Heeldrudis: lived experience and the margins of intellectual thought in the early medieval west

Dr Emily Corran (University College London)

Difficult choices for married women: social obligation versus religious obligation in late medieval confessors' manuals

16:15 **Roundtable**

Chair: Professor Claire Taylor (University of Liverpool)

17:30 End of conference