

Women and Quarrels in Early Modern France/Les Femmes et les Querelles dans la France de la première modernité

March 18th 2019, Ibrahim Ahmed Room, Reed Hall, University of Exeter

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9.00-9.30 Coffee/Tea & Welcome by Adam Watt, Head of Modern Languages

9.30-11.00 Panel 1 Chair: Helena Taylor (University of Exeter)

Olivia Tolley, University of Oxford

‘Qui est cette folle qui me pousse si rudement?’: subversive laughter in Louise Labé’s *Débat de folie et d’amour* (1555)

Matthew Blair, University of Pittsburgh

Labé et son façonnement d’une communauté féminine : *Les Œuvres poétiques* comme une critique du néoplatonisme

Emma Herdman, University of St Andrews

A Reluctant Quarreller: litigious constraint versus literary freedom in the work of Madeleine Des Roches

11.00-11.15 Coffee/Tea

11.15- 12.45 Panel 2 Chair: Nupur Patel (University of Oxford)

Adam Horsley, University of Exeter

‘Sans offenser l’ordre’: division, voice and order in *Les Caquets de l’accouchée*

Kathleen Loysen, Montclair State University

Quarrelling Women: women and the *Querelle* in the French short story

Clément Scotto di Clemente, Sorbonne Université

Les femmes dans la querelle de la moralité du théâtre

12.45-1.45 Lunch

1.45-3.15 Panel 3 Chair: Fiona Cox (University of Exeter)

Tabitha Spagnolo, University of Lethbridge

Disquisition, Dialogue and Female Authority: the struggle for gender equality in 17th-century France

Lise Forment, Université de Pau et des Pays de l’Adour

Mlle L’héritier dans la Querelle des Anciens et des Modernes, ou comment être soi et nièce

Helena Taylor, University of Exeter

Antoinette Deshoulières’ Quarrelling Voice

3.15-3.45 Coffee/Tea

3.45-4.45 Panel 4 Chair: Melissa Percival (University of Exeter)

Joanna Barker, Durham University

Ancient Men and Modern Women: Madame Dacier and the *Querelle d'Homère*

Gemma Tidman, University of Oxford

This Quarrel Which Is Not One: Women's interventions in an eighteenth-century *querelle* about boys' education.

4.45-5.00 Comfort break

5.00-6.00 Table ronde et la discussion de clôture

Chair: Kate Tunstall (University of Oxford)

Derval Conroy (University College Dublin), Myriam Dufour-Maître (Université de Rouen) and Catriona Seth (University of Oxford)

7.30 Conference dinner: Côte, Cathedral Green, Exeter



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