Early Modern European World Workshop

Michaelmas Term 2017

5 October 2017
Anne Mariss (Regensburg)
Jesuit Material Culture in Bavaria, France, and Mexico (16th and 17th centuries)

12 October 2017
Nicholas Mithen (EUI, Florence)
Political Theology and Interconfessional Networks in Early Eighteenth-Century Europe: Francesco Bellisomi between Naples, Halle, England, and Vienna.

26 October 2017
Ruth Mackay (former CRASSH fellow)
Life in an Age of Pestilence: The Great Castilian Plague of 1596-1601

9 November 2017
Victoria Bartels (Cambridge)
‘These many weapons [worn] by the bravi or by the belli in piazza’: Violence, Arms and Armor, and Masculinity in Sixteenth-Century Medicean Tuscany

23 November 2017
Richard Oosterhoff (Cambridge)
"My feminine simplicity": Maria Sibylla Merian and Ingenious Natures"

The workshop meets on alternate Thursdays during term in the Senior Parlour, Gonville and Caius College, from 1-2 p.m. This is a space for scholars to air work-in-progress and to gain feedback on new projects or arguments. You are welcome to bring your lunch. Tea and coffee will be served.

Convenors: Melissa Calaresu (Caius), Mary Laven (Jesus), William O’Reilly (Trinity Hall), Helen Pfeifer (Christ’s)