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## Medieval History Research Seminar Michaelmas Term 2022

Faculty of History, Boardroom  
4.00pm, Thursdays

### 13<sup>th</sup> October

Dr Helen Gittos [Oxford]

*Poet, Rebel, Priest: Liturgy in French in the Fourteenth Century*

### 27<sup>th</sup> October

Prof Andrew Marsham [FAMES]

*Idol Destruction in Bede and Ibn Ishaq: Narratives of Conversion at Late Antique Edges*

### 10<sup>th</sup> November

Dr Johannes Preiser-Kapeller [Vienna]

*Five emperors, the sun, a volcano and a ghost. Celestial phenomena and dynastic crisis across Afro-Eurasia around the year 800 CE*

### 24<sup>th</sup> November

Prof Stephen Church [UEA]

*Decolonising the Angevin "Empire"*

Convenors:

[Professor John Arnold](#)

Dr Julie Barrau

Dr Andrew Spencer

Professor Tessa Webber

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