

Arms, Armies and Aristocracy, c. 1300-1550:

Day Conference in Honour of Professor Anne Curry

Saturday 11 January 2020

Lecture Theatre B, Avenue Campus, University of Southampton

*Coffee will be available from 9.00 am* 9.20 Welcome. Dr Rémy Ambühl.

9.30 Session 1

# Key players in French and English History

* Dr Aleksandr Lobanov: 'The collapse of Anglo-Burgundian alliance, 1435-1436'
* Ms. Chloe Mckenzie: ‘Katherine de Valois‘
* Dr Lynda Pidgeon: '”A Strange Marriage”: the marriage of Jacquetta Wydevile to Lord Strange’  Ms. Katie Bicknell: ‘Ballad sources on the battle of Bosworth’

*11.05-11.20 Tea/coffee break*

11.20 Session 2

# Military Recruitment

* Dr Andy King: 'Affinity and Recruitment on the Scottish Marches: The Retinues of the Umfraville Family, c. 1296-1337'
* Dr Michael Warner: ‘The Dynamics of Recruitment at the time of the Agincourt Campaign’
* Dr James Ross: ‘Early Tudor Noble Military retinues - a case study, 1489-97’
* Prof Peter Clarke: ‘English Clergy and Later Medieval Warfare: New Fifteenth-Century Evidence from the Papal Penitentiary Registers’

*13.00 Lunch*

13.45 – 14.45

# Lecture

 Prof Bertrand Schnerb: ‘The battle of Montépillloy’ (15 August 1429)

14.45 Session 3:

# Mortality in War

* Prof Michael Hicks: ‘The impact of the Hundred Years War on the Demography of the Peerage of early fifteenth-Century England’
* Ms. Emily Mitchell: 'War, Wounds, and Medicine: A Re-examination of the Crew of the Mary Rose’

*15.35 Tea/coffee break*

15.50 Session 4:

# Arms and Armour

* Dr James Hester: 'Strategic Principles in Medieval Armed Combat’
* Dr Dan Spencer: 'Artillery and the "Coronation Expedition" of 1430 to 1432'
* Dr Michael Depreter: ‘A Necessary Evil? State Service, Dynastic Service, and Self-Enrichment in Practices of and Reactions to Corruption and Embezzlement in the Artillery of the Dukes of Burgundy (15th c.)’
* Dr Malcolm Mercer: ‘From King’s Armourer to Master of the Armoury’

17.45-19.00 **RECEPTION**