

Toronto German Graduate Conference, May 8-9, 2023.

Location: Munk School of Global Affairs and Public Policy, 1 Devonshire Place, Room 208N.

MONDAY, MAY 8

10am: Arrival and Coffee

10.15: Opening remarks

10.30: **Keynote:** “Mein Name ist Ausländer.” Semra Ertan and the Poetics of BIPOC Past and Futurities in Post-War Germany. **Prof. Azadeh Sharifi, German, UofT**

12pm: Catered Lunch

1: **Workshop:** What's next: Unlocking Academic Careers and Post-docs. **Prof. Shami Ghosh, Medieval Studies, UofT**

2.30: Coffee Break

2.45-3.45: **Time and Intercultural Ties in Medieval Literature**

- Mittelalterlicher Orientalismus? **Somaia Mostafa, German, UofT**
- The Perception of Time in Middle High German and Classical Japanese “Tagelieder” Poems. **Jing-Yi Yang, Medieval Studies, UofT**

Evening: Optional Presenters’ Dinner

TUESDAY, MAY 9

10.15am: Arrival and Coffee

10.30: **Shaping temporalities**

- Time as Narrative Structure—How the Conception of Love Shapes the Course of Time in Middle High German Romances. **Julia Lorenz, German, Oxford**
- Hegel on Goethe’s *Faust*: Philosophy’s “Grey in Grey.” **Dylan Shaul, Philosophy, UofT**
- The Ineffable “Now.” ChatGPT and the Messiah That Was Missed. **Anne-Marie Fowler, Religion, UofT**

12pm: Catered Lunch

1: **Present Identities**

- Now Is All That Matters: The Multiple Worlds of Artur Daniel Liskowacki’s *Eine kleine* and Olga Tokarczuk’s *Dom dzienny, dom nocny*. (online) **Olga Grochowska, Polish, Oxford**
- The Self in Search for a Better Future in 21st Century German Film. **Francis Bristow, German, Oxford**

2: Closing Remarks