

# **The Oceanic Turn in the Long 18<sup>th</sup> Century: Beyond Disciplinary Territories**

**Friday November 20, 2009**

University of California, Riverside

Arroyo Vista Alumni Center, 3701 Canyon Crest Drive, Riverside, CA 92507

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## **Final Schedule**

9:00 Conference opens, Coffee and bagels

9:45 Welcoming Remarks and Introduction:

Dallas Rabenstein, Executive Vice Chancellor and Distinguished Professor, UC Riverside

Deborah Willis, Chair, English Department, UC Riverside

10:00-11:30 **Panel I: Oceanic Turns: Global Forms and Circuits**

Panel Chair: John Ganim (English, UC Riverside)

Christopher Connery (Literature and Cultural Studies, U. of California, Santa Cruz)

“Sea Power”

Margaret Cohen (Comparative Literature, Stanford University)

“Modernities on Land and at Sea”

11:30-1:00 Buffet Lunch, Arroyo Vista Cafe

1:00-2:30 **Panel II : Oceanic Spaces: Inland Seas and Unnamed Oceans**

Panel Chair: Steven Hackel (History, UC Riverside)

Patricia Seed (History, U. of California, Irvine)

“The Atlantic and the Birth of Oceanic Space”

Neil Safier (History, University of British Columbia)

“Inland Oceans: Charting Overseas Interiors in the Eighteenth-Century Atlantic”

2:30-3:00 Coffee Break

3:00- 5:00 **Panel III: Oceanic Arctic: Locating Knowledge in a Circumpolar World**

Panel Chair: George Haggerty (English, UC Riverside)

Michael Bravo (Scott Polar Research Institute, Cambridge University)

“Spaces of Home and Passage in Arctic Oceania”

Adriana Craciun (English, U. of California, Riverside)

“The Frozen Ocean”

Jonathan King (Keeper of the Collections of Africa, Oceania and the Americas, British Museum)

“Science, Trade and Native Identity in the Arctic and Pacific: La Pérouse and Sir John Franklin in the Arctic and Australia”

5:00-5:15 Coffee

5:15 -6:00 Panel Discussion

6:00-7:00 Reception