**School of History Seminar Series: Semester 2, 2016**

Wednesdays 4.15–5.30pm  
McDonald Room, Menzies Library, Fellows Road, ANU

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| **Week** |  |  |
| 1 | 20 July | *Paul Spickard (University of California, Santa Barbara)*  **Not Passing — Shape Shifting: Reflections on Racial Plasticity** |
| 2 | 27 July | *Emma Kowal (Deakin University and Visiting Professor, John Curtin School of Medical Research, ANU)*  **Haunting Biology: The Scientific Collection of Blood and Bones in Indigenous Australia** |
| 3 | 3 August | *Maria Haenga-Collins (PhD Candidate, School of History)*  **Closed Stranger Adoption and Maori (1955–1985): Violence, Sex, Race** |
| 4 | 10 August | *Mark Edele* *(University of Western Australia)*  **Stalin’s Defectors: How Red Army Soldiers became Hitler’s Collaborators, 1941–1945** |
| 5 | 17 August | *Patricia O’Brien (School of History)*  **The Trial of Ta’isi O. F. Nelson: New Zealand’s Colonial Justice and Indigenous Resistance in 1930s Sāmoa** |
| 6 | 24 August | *Stuart Macintyre (University of Melbourne)*  **The Puzzle of the 1944 Referendum on Reconstruction** |
| 7 | 31 August | *Blake Singley (Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies and Visitor, School of History)*  **Picturing Democracy: Telling the Story of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Electoral Education** |
| **Break** | 7 September | **NO SEMINAR – NON-TEACHING PERIOD** |
| **Break** | 14 September | *Scott Stephenson (PhD Candidate, School of History)*  **Interconnected Oligarchy: The New South Wales Labor Party and the Trade Unions, 1910–1939**  ***\*Note special time: 3.30–5.00 pm*** |
| 8 | 21 September | *Tomoko Akami (School of Culture, History and Language, Research School of Asia and the Pacific, College of Asia and the Pacific, ANU) – Joint seminar presented in conjunction with ANU’s College of Asia and the Pacific*  **A Reassessment of the Other Bandong Conference, August 1937: Inter-Colonialism and the League of Nations Health Organization in Asia in the 1930s** |
| 9 | 28 September | *Douglas Craig (School of History)*  **The Politics of War and Peace: The United States Contests its Great War, 1918–1928** |
| 10 | 5 October | *Mark Dawson (School of History)*  **Christian Complexions in Early Modern England** |
| 11 | 12 October | *Carolyn Strange (School of History)*  **Murder, Sex, and the Death Penalty in Mid-Twentieth-Century Canada — A Preliminary Inquiry** |
| 12 | 19 October | *Samuel Furphy (National Centre of Biography, School of History)*  **Aboriginal Australians and the World War I Home Front** |
| 13 | 26 October | *Bruce Hunt (School of History), Matthew Jordan (Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade), David Lee (Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade), and Colin Milner (School of History)*  **Documenting Australia’s External Relations: Papua New Guinea and Nauru** |
|  |  | **END OF PROGRAM & SEMESTER 2** |