

Vcologies 6
Oxford 2023

Friday 8 September

8:00-8:45	Breakfast @ The Marriott
9:00-9:30	Welcome & Introductions
9:30-10:30	Pre-Conference Reading Discussion
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break
11:00-12:30	<p>Panel One: Narrative Realisms</p> <p>Sukanya Bannerjee, "Noneventuality, Narrative, Climate Change: Speculations" Benjamin Morgan, "Pasts and Futures Present: Deep Time as Historical Narrative" Kyle McAuley, "Oceanic Realism: Abolition-Era Sea Fiction and Novel History" Respondent: Daniel Stout</p>
12:30-1:30	Lunch
1:30-3:00	<p>Panel Two: The Americans</p> <p>Devin Garofalo, "Allusion, Salvage, and Solarity in Phillis Wheatley's <i>Poems</i>" Nathan Hensley, "Infinite Storms of Beauty: Hopkins, Dillard, and the Epistemology of Downturn 1870s / 1970s" Devin Griffiths, "Dune Successions" Respondent: Cristin Ellis</p>
3:00-3:30	Coffee Break
3:30-5:00	<p>Panel Three: Technologies</p> <p>Richard Menke, "Wireless Media and Vertical Space in Wells and Hardy" Tobias Wilson-Bates, "The Monster's Watch: Refugee Technology in Shelley's <i>Frankenstein</i>" John Miller, "Hide-and-Go-'Click': Animal Minds and Environmental Play in the Keartons' Bird Photography" Respondent: Sarah Margaret Pittman</p>
6:30	Dinner for Presenters @ City Grocery 152 Courthouse Square

Saturday 9 September

8:00-9:00	Breakfast @ The Depot
9:00-10:30	<p>Panel Four: Forms of Knowledge</p> <p>Dennis Denisoff, "Teaching 19th-Century Literatures and Environmental Activism"</p> <p>Kate Flint, "What is Worth Conserving? Nostalgia, Nationhood, and the Case of the Major Oak"</p> <p>Daniel Williams, "'Witnesses of Suffering': Architecture, Ecology, and Indirect Perception"</p> <p>Respondent: Scott MacKenzie</p>
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break
11:00-12:30	<p>Panel Five: Domestications</p> <p>Lynn Voskuil, "Gardens as Evidence: How They Matter"</p> <p>Lindsay Wells, "Greenhouse Politics: Gender, Empire, and the Flower Paintings of Annie and Martha Mutrie"</p> <p>Kathleen Frederickson, "Securing Darwin"</p> <p>Respondent: Deanna Kreisel</p>
12:30-1:30	Lunch
1:30-2:30	Business Meeting & Future Directions
3:00-4:30	Tour of Rowan Oak led by Prof. Jay Watson
6:30	<p>Dinner @ Dee & Scott's House</p> <p>400 Thomas Street</p> <p>Mai Tais, BBQ, "Optional" Karaoke</p>