ICLA Executive Meetings & Workshops

Intersections, Interferences, Interdisciplines: Literature With Other Arts

September 5-8, 2012
Logan Center for the Arts
University of Chicago

Sponsored by the Office of the President, the Provost, the Dean of Humanities and the Department of Comparative Literature, University of Chicago.
### September 6, 6 pm:

Welcoming Remarks from President Robert J. Zimmer, followed by:

**KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

Lois Zamora (University of Houston and President, ACLA)

“Dimensionless Cities, Cosmic Selves: The Visionary Spaces of Jorge Luis Borges and Xul Solar”

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### September 7

#### PANEL 1. 9:00 – 10:30

Steven Sondrup (President, ICLA/AILC; Brigham Young University)

“At the Intersection of Form and Silence”

Dorothy Figueira (University of Georgia)

“The Bhagavad Gita: From the German Lecture Hall, to the Trenches of WWI, from Neo-Nazi Propaganda to the Metropolitan Opera”

Kenichi Kamigaito (Otemae University)

“Haruki Murakami and Western Classical Music”

**COFFEE BREAK**

#### PANEL 2. 11:00 – 1:00

William Spurlin (Brunel University, London)

“Queering Translation”

Sandra Bermann (Princeton)

“Translation as Performance”

Marc Maufort (Brussels)

“Aboriginal Stage Aesthetics and Other Arts in North America and New Zealand”

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#### PANEL 3. 2:00 – 3:30

Lucia Boldrini (Goldsmiths College)

“Among schoolchildren: Joyce’s ‘Nightlesson’ and Chaucer’s Treatise on the Astrolabe”

Margaret Higonnet (University of Connecticut)
“Orality onto Paper and Into Action”
Suzanne Nalbantian (Long Island University)
“Comparative Literature, Art and Neuroscience: Interdisciplinary Vistas for the 21st Century”

COFFEE BREAK

PANEL 4. 4:00 – 5:30, in the Penthouse (Logan Center 901)
“Words Into Music Into Words: A Conversation with Augusta Read Thomas”
(with Seth Brodsky and Haun Saussy, interlocutors)

6:00 DRINKS and DINNER in the Penthouse, followed by:

8:00, Penthouse, Logan Center 901
Multimedia Poetry Reading by Judd Morrissey and Jennifer Scappettone, an event hosted in collaboration with the Chicago Review

September 8

PANEL 5. 9:30 – 11:00, in Logan Center 201
Anders Pettersson (Umeå University)
“Application in Literature and Other Arts”

Jean Bessière (Paris)
“Butor et Pollock, Barthes et Arcimboldo et Cy Twombly, Deleuze et Bacon: littérature, peinture et rhétoricité”

Hitoshi Oshima (Fukuoka University)
“Science, Literature and Art: Modern Criticism in Kobayashi Hideo”

COFFEE BREAK

PANEL 6. 11:30 – 1:00
Hein Viljoen (North-West University)
“Intersections between landscape and poetry in Afrikaans poetry since 1990”

Marina Grishakova (Tartu)
“Literature in Transition: Fictionality and Media”

Richard Neer (Chicago)
“Pindar, Architecture, and Landscape”

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