



SOCIETY FOR THE HUMANITIES ANNUAL FELLOWS' WORKSHOP

# SKIN PRACTICE

Friday, April 14, 2017 • A.D. White House, Cornell University

**10:00 • Welcome**

Timothy Murray, Taylor Family Director, Society for the Humanities

**10:15 - 11:45 • Tattoo: Art & Identity**

Pamela Gilbert, Society for the Humanities Fellow; University of Florida  
*Tattoos in Nineteenth Century British Culture*

Gemma Angel, Society for the Humanities Fellow; University College, London  
*Commemoration vs. Speculation: The Tattoo & Contemporary Art*

Elyse Semerdjian, Society for the Humanities Fellow; Whitman College  
*Dicle's Tattoos: The Hidden Body Archives of Turkey's Crypto-Armenians*

Discussants: **Carol Oddy & Cesar Enciso**, tattoo artists & owners of Medusa Tattoos, Ithaca, NY

**1:00 - 2:30 • The Medical & Theological Body**

Seçil Yılmaz, Society for the Humanities Mellon Postdoctoral Fellow; Near Eastern Studies, Cornell  
*Medical Marriage, Pathological Love, & Syphilis in the Late Ottoman Empire*

Stacey Langwick, Society for the Humanities Faculty Fellow; Anthropology, Cornell University  
*(Un)ethical Substances: Albinism, Violence, & the Nature of Skin in Africa*

Karmen MacKendrick, Society for the Humanities Fellow; Le Moyne College  
*A Really Big Resurrection*

Discussant: **Masha Raskolnikov**, Associate Professor of English, Cornell

**2:45 - 4:00 • Practicing Embodiment**

Alana Staiti, Society for the Humanities Mellon Graduate Fellow; Science & Technology Studies, Cornell  
*A Hands-On History of Sizing Standards in Clothing*

Emily Rials, Society for the Humanities Mellon Graduate Fellow; English, Cornell  
*Exposing Spines*

Discussant: **Gloria Chan-Sook Kim**, Society for the Humanities David R. Atkinson Center for a Sustainable Future Fellow; University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

**4:30 • Plenary Lecture: "Othering Algorithms"**

**Mary Flanagan**, Society for the Humanities Senior Scholar in Residence;  
Sherman Fairchild Distinguished Professor in Digital Humanities, Dartmouth College

**6:00 • Public Reception**

*this public event is free and open to all*

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