

School of History, University of Kent.

Report to Kent History Federation's meeting on 2 March 2018

Recent Developments:

- Throughout the year, the University of Kent will be celebrating the centenary of female enfranchisement.
- The School of History's start of year lecture in September will be given by Professor Krista Cowman, an expert on female suffrage. All are welcome to attend.
- On the 17th of January the School of History hosted a Research Festival, organised by Dr Claire Jones.
- The festival focussed on approaches to historical research with informal panel discussions with the aim of sharing experiences and expertise.
- The History Society annual trip took place in January. The society visited Budapest and toured the House of Terror, St Stephens Basilica and the Hungarian Parliamentary building.
- In January we welcomed a new member of staff, Dr Edward Roberts, a specialist in Medieval History.
- Congratulations to Dr Leonie James who was awarded the 'Above and Beyond' award from Kent Union.

Future events:

7th March – Templemen Lecture Theatre, University of Kent.

School of History Research Seminar Series – Dr Felicity Henderson, University of Exeter

The fifth School of History Research Seminar of this term will be presented by the University of Exeter's Dr Felicity Henderson as part of the Centre for the History of Sciences Annual Lecture series.. A Q&A session and a wine reception will follow Dr Henderson's paper.

All are welcome to attend.

14th March – Eliot Lecture Theatre 2, University of Kent.

School of History Research Seminar Series – Professor Richard Bessel, University of York.

The sixth School of History Research Seminar of this term will be presented by the University of York's Professor Richard Bessel on the subject of '1917-2017: The revolutionary Wave and Europe's Century of Violence.' A Q&A session and a wine reception will follow Professor Bessel's paper.

All are welcome to attend.