Exemplary Affect:
Rethinking the Roots of Modern Sensibility
April 6-7, 2018
Indiana University, Bloomington

Please join us for a workshop which brings together an international group of scholars from diverse fields to investigate the collective dimension of affect and its genealogy in a new light.

Program:

Friday April 6, University Club, Indiana Memorial Union

3:45-5:00 Katherine Ibbett (Oxford University), “"The unsettling affect of settler colonialism: Nouvelle France, 1700"

5:15-6:30 Rüdiger Campe (Yale University), “Passion and Intercession. Caravaggio's 'Madonna of the Rosaries.'”

Saturday April 7, Distinguished Alumni Room, Indiana Memorial Union

9:30-10:45 Merlin-Kajman (Sorbonne nouvelle Paris-3), “Is Trauma an Exemplary Affect?”
11:00-12:15 Marjolein Oele (University of San Francisco), “E-Co-Affectivity in the Anthropocene: From Aristotelian Co-Suffering to Rethinking Affectivity Through the Interface of the Soil”

Lunch

1:30-2:45 Jeffrey Peters (University of Kentucky), “The Atmospherics of Devotion, the Incorporeal, and Early Modern Affect”
3:00-4:15 David Bates (UC Berkley), “Thinking Machines: Exosomaticization and the Embodied Mind”
4:30-5:30 Final roundtable featuring Constance Furey (Religious Studies), Patricia Ingham (English) and Paul Losensky (Comparative Literature and Central Eurasian Studies).

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