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New perspectives on the relations between Portugal and Lusophone Africa and contributions to postcolonial studies

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CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Friday, April 18

8:30–8:45 Opening Remarks (Room C-103)

Greg Sterling

Executive Associate Dean, College of Arts and Letters, and Professor of Theology, University of Notre Dame

Scott Mainwaring

Director (on leave), Kellogg Institute, and Professor of Political Science University of Notre Dame

8:45–10:30 Session I (Room C-103)

Chair

Ivy Wilson

English Department, University of Notre Dame

Discussant

Pedro Schacht Pereira

Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Chicago

Speakers

Phillip Rothwell

Department of Spanish and Portuguese, Rutgers University
The Desiring Other in Portuguese Africa, or, Passing Someone Else's Experience Off as Your Own

Luís Madureira

Department of Spanish and Portuguese, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Where's the Difference? The Question of Lusophone Postcolonialism

10:30–10:45 REFRESHMENT BREAK

10:45–12:30 Session II (Room C-103)

Chair

Carolyn Nordstrom

Department of Anthropology, University of Notre Dame

Discussants

Marissa J. Moorman

Department of History, Indiana University

Kesha Fikes

Department of Anthropology, University of Chicago

Speakers

Omar Ribeiro Thomaz

Departamento de Antropologia, Universidade Estadual de Campinas, Brazil
The Kidnapped and Deported: Pacification and Elimination of Enemies in the South of Mozambique

Sheila Pereira Khan

University of Manchester; CES, Universidade de Coimbra; CICS, Universidade do Minho, Portugal
Portraits of a Daily Portuguese Postcolonialism: African Mozambicans' Colonial Memories and Postcolonial Identity Exile

2:15–4:00 Session III (Room C-103)

Chair

Sam Amago

Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Notre Dame

Discussants

Omar Ribeiro Thomaz

Departamento de Antropologia, Universidade Estadual de Campinas, Brazil

Paulo de Medeiros

Faculteit Geesteswetenschappen, Universiteit Utrecht, the Netherlands

Speakers

Kesha Fikes

Department of Anthropology, University of Chicago
Managing African Portugal: The Citizen Migrant Distinction The Mid to Late 1990s

Paulo Filipe Monteiro

Departamento de Ciências da Comunicação, Faculdade de Ciências Sociais e Humanas, Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Portugal
Whispers, Bullets and Absent Presences: Africa in Portuguese Cinema

4:00–4:15 REFRESHMENT BREAK

4:15–5:45 Documentary Screening and Discussion (Auditorium)

Introduction by **Richard Pierce**

Chair, Department of Africana Studies, and the John Cardinal O'Hara, CSC, Associate Professor of History, University of Notre Dame

Discussant

Paulo Filipe Monteiro

Departamento de Ciências da Comunicação, Faculdade de Ciências Sociais e Humanas, Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Portugal

Oxalá cresçam pitangas

(Hope the Pitanga Cherries Grow) (2006)
Documentary by **Ondjaki** and **Kiluanje Liberdade**
Discussion with **Ondjaki**, Angolan writer

5:45–6:45 Reception and Book Signing by Ondjaki (Great Hall)

6:45–8:00 Keynote Address (Auditorium)

Introduction by **Joseph Buttigieg**

Director, PhD in Literature Program, and William R. Kenan, Jr., Professor of English, University of Notre Dame

Keynote Speaker

Helder Macedo

Emeritus Professor of Portuguese King's College, University of London
Nation Versus Empire

Saturday, April 19

8:30–8:45 Opening Remarks (Room C-103)

Kristine Ibsen

Acting Chair, Romance Languages and Literatures, and Professor of Spanish, University of Notre Dame

8:45–10:30 Session IV (Room C-103)

Chair

Patricio Boyer

Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Notre Dame

Discussants

Luís Madureira

Department of Spanish and Portuguese, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Phillip Rothwell

Department of Spanish and Portuguese, Rutgers University

Speakers

Leonor Simas-Almeida

Department of Portuguese and Brazilian Studies, Brown University
From Eve to D. Juan - Crossing Mythologies of Seduction and National Allegories in Germano Almeida's Eva

Nicholas Brown

Department of English, University of Illinois at Chicago
African Literature, Modernism, and the Problem of Subjectivity

10:30–10:45 REFRESHMENT BREAK

10:45–12:30 Session V (Room C-103)

Chair

Catherine Perry

Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Notre Dame

Discussants

Leonor Simas-Almeida

Department of Portuguese and Brazilian Studies, Brown University

Isabel Ferreira Gould

Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Notre Dame

Speakers

Fernando Arenas

Department of Spanish and Portuguese, University of Minnesota
Cultural Notes on the (Post-) Colonial African-Portuguese Nexus

Paulo de Medeiros

Faculteit Geesteswetenschappen, Universiteit Utrecht, the Netherlands
Race, Violence and Representation: Framing Portugal as a Post-Imperial Polity

2:15–3:45 Session VI (Room C-103)

Chair

Alison Rice

Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Notre Dame

Discussants

Sheila Pereira Khan

University of Manchester; CES, Universidade de Coimbra; CICS, Universidade do Minho, Portugal

Onésimo Teotónio Almeida

Department of Portuguese and Brazilian Studies, Brown University

Speakers

Marissa J. Moorman

Department of History, Indiana University
"Estámos sempre a subir." kúduro music in Angola and Portugal

Ondjaki

Angolan writer
Affective Territories of the Portuguese Language

3:45–4:15 Coffee Session (Great Hall)

Organizer

Sandra Teixeira

Professional Specialist in Portuguese, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures with the Portuguese Club and the Brazil Club of Notre Dame

4:15–5:30 Interview and Discussion (Auditorium)

Introduction by **Margaret Doody**

The John and Barbara Glynn Family Professor of Literature, English Department, University of Notre Dame

Helder Macedo

Writer-in-Residence, University of Notre Dame

Interviewed by **Phillip Rothwell**

Department of Spanish and Portuguese, Rutgers University

5:30–5:45 Closing Remarks (Auditorium)

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