



Research Group on Manuscript Evidence

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Gathering at the Threshold

A Celebratory Symposium

To mark the Tenth Anniversary of the Research Group on Manuscript Evidence
as a Nonprofit Educational Corporation based in Princeton

Saturday, 21 November 2009

106 McCormick Hall
Department of Art and Archaeology, Princeton University

Program

1:00 – 3:00 Session 1

Giles Constable (*School of Historical Studies, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton*): “Introductory Remarks”

Colum P. Hourihane (*Index of Christian Art, Princeton University*): “Pontius Pilate and the Crucifixion”

Raymond J. Cormier (*Department of English and Foreign Languages, Longwood University, Farmville, Virginia*): “Glossing the Empire: High Medieval Adaptations of Vergil’s *Aeneid*”

Karl F. Morrison (*Department of History, Rutgers University*), “Origen’s Self-Knowing through Scripture: ‘Who can express in words the difference between the quality of the sweetness of a date and a dried fig?’ ”

Discussion

3:00 – 3:30 Refreshment Break

3:30 – 5:30 Session 2

David Ganz (*Departments of Classics and History, King's College, University of London, and School of Historical Studies, Institute for Advanced Study*): “Risk and Fluidity in Script: An Insular Instance”

Erik Thunø (*Department of Art History, Rutgers University, The State University of New Jersey*): “*Deus Spectator*: God’s Eye in Medieval Art”

Phillip N. Haberkern (*Religion Department, Princeton University*): “The Manuscript as Relic: Narrative, Image, and Memory in Mid-Fifteenth-Century Bohemia”

Mildred Budny (*Research Group on Manuscript Evidence, Princeton*): “Women’s Wills in Old and New England”

5:30 – 6:00 Concluding Remarks

Discussion

James H. Marrow (*Department of Art and Archaeology, Princeton University*):
“Concluding Remarks, or, The Last Word”

6:00 – 7:30 Reception

Please see the Research Group website for further information:
www.manuscriptevidence.org

To allow us to plan for the reception, please let us know if you will attend.
Spouses and partners are welcome!
Email responses may be sent to *mildredbudny@gmail.com*