



Mark M. Horblit Colloquia in the History of Science

All colloquia are Tuesdays at 4:00pm, and meet in Science Center 469, unless otherwise indicated.

October 2, 2007

Allan Brandt, Department of the History of Science, Harvard University "The Politics of Medical History: Reflections on The Cigarette Century."

October 30, 2007

Nicolás Wey-Gómez, Department of Hispanic Studies, Brown University "The Politics of Light: Al-Kindi's Optics and the Nature of Amerindians in Las Casas's Apologética historia (1527-1561)"

November 19, 2007

Hannah Landecker, Rice University &

Department of the History of Science, Harvard University (Visiting)
"From Messengers and Bodies to Signals and Cells: Theories of Hormone Action, 1960 – 1975."
This colloquium is co-sponsored with the Program in Science, Technology and Society at MIT, and will take place at MIT, Building E51-095, 70 Memorial Drive, Cambridge.

February 5, 2008

Susan E. Lederer, Section of the History of Medicine, Yale University School of Medicine "Insides Out: Organ Transplantation and the Renegotiation of Personal Identity in 20th Century America." *Graduate Student Choice colloquium*.

March 4, 2008

Christopher Kelty, Rice University &

Department of the History of Science, Harvard University (Visiting) "Image, Text, Signal and Matter: Beyond the History of Hardware and Software" This colloquium is co-sponsored with the Program in Science, Technology and Society at MIT.

April 1, 2008

Evelynn Hammonds, Department of the History of Science & African and African-American Studies, Harvard University "The Science of Mixed Peoples: Admixture, Genetics and Cultural Identity"

May 13, 2008

History of Science 2007-2008 Capstone Lecture

Martin Rudwick, Department of History and Philosophy of Science, Cambridge University "4004BC and All That: The Historicizing of Nature in the science of geology" This lecture will be held at 4:00pm in Science Center E; reception to follow immediately after.

Please check the on-line version of this schedule at www.fas.harvard.edu/~hsdept for any last minute changes.