

Second call for papers for a cross-disciplinary conference on

Death and identity in Scotland from the medieval to the modern: beliefs, attitudes and practices

Friday 29 January to Sunday 31 January 2016,
New College, University of Edinburgh

Plenary speakers

- Professor **Christine Borland**, Artist, BALTIC Centre for Contemporary Art
- Emeritus Professor of Scottish and Victorian Literature **Ian Campbell**, University of Edinburgh
- Professor **Douglas Davies**, Department of Theology and Religion, the University of Durham.

A plenary discussion will explore **Death after the Reformation – what do we still need to understand about continuity and change in beliefs, attitudes and practices?** Panel:

- **Professor Jane Dawson**, John Laing Professor of Reformation History, School of Divinity, University of Edinburgh;
- **Revd Dr Stephen Mark Holmes**, Honorary Fellow in Church History, Edinburgh University School of Divinity;
- **Professor Nigel Llewellyn**, (Chair) former Head of Research, Tate;
- **Dr Margaret Mackay**, Honorary Fellow Celtic and Scottish Studies, University of Edinburgh;
- **Dr Michael Penman**, Senior Lecturer, History, University of Stirling.

This is the third in a series of conferences on Scottish death studies. Papers are particularly welcome on:

- The Effect of the Reformation upon Scottish Death practices & beliefs
- Death in the Scottish Diaspora
- Folklore, customs & rituals
- Death, grief and mourning
- Death, poverty, age, gender & status
- Architecture, landscape & monuments
- Death in literature and the visual arts
- Legal & medical aspects of death
- Theology, liturgy & funeral ministry

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