CALL FOR PAPERS MICHAELMAS TERM 2018 (FACULTY/STAFF)

Dear distinguished faculty members and staff,

Firstly, we would like to introduce ourselves – Moonyoung Hong, Dearbhaile Houston and Joseph Torres as the incoming conveners for the Staff Postgraduate seminar series for the 2018/19 academic year.

We are delighted to open our call to faculty members and staff for the Michaelmas term. The seminar series offers a great opportunity for postgraduate students, staff and fellow researchers to present their work in a friendly, supportive and professional environment. Members of the School's faculty have traditionally contributed papers discussing their current research projects and have benefited from feedback given by seminar attendees.

The series also welcomes distinguished guest lecturers from the academic community outside Trinity College. We would like to take this opportunity to ask any recommendations for guest speakers. If you know of anybody who will be in Trinity for a visit, who would be willing and able to give a paper while they are here, we would hugely appreciate if you could point us in their direction so that we can fill this year's programme with as interesting a variety of speakers as possible.

There have been some changes to the structure of the series, whereby postgraduate students will present 20-minute papers while faculty/staff members will be asked to contribute 40-minute papers. If you are interested in presenting, please send an abstract of **200 words** to **staffpostgradss2018@gmail.com**. Papers are **40 minutes** in length and can be on any aspect of your research. The deadline for submission is **Wednesday 1st August**. The deadline has been shifted to an earlier date as the new Academic Year Structure begins in 2018-19. You can find more information on our Facebook page, TCD Staff Postgraduate Seminars, on Twitter @SeminarsTCD18, or our blog, staffpostgraduate18.wordpress.com

Many thanks in advance, and we look forward to seeing you in the new term!

Moonyoung, Dearbhaile, Joe