Friday, 28 October

- **12:00-6:00** Registration

- **1:00-2:30** Session 1: *The Transmission of Ideas and Traditions*
  Chair: Linda Mitchell
  Renee Goethe (U. Iowa): “Le bon roi Dagobert: Images of Sacred Rule from the Abbey of St. Denis”
  Rebecca J. Jacobs-Pollez (U. Missouri): “The Responsibilities of Parents in Educating Daughters: Fathers and Mothers in Vincent of Beauvais’ *De eruditione filiorum nobilium*”

- **2:30-2:45** Coffee Service

- **2:45-4:15** Session 2: *Reconceptualizing the Medieval World and its Study*
  Chair: Christian Raffensperger
  Elizabeth Kerr (The Ohio State U.): “Medieval Mental Maps and Petitioners”
  Alexis Miller (U. Missouri): “English or Welsh? Frontier Studies of Northeastern Wales after the Norman Conquest”

- **4:15-4:30** Coffee Service

- **4:30-6:00** Session 3: *Contextualizing Violence in the New Middle Ages*
  Chair: Abigail Firey
  Jason Hardgrave (U. Southern Indiana): “All Abuzz about Medieval Bees: Reframing Ancient Works in a Medieval Context”
  Melissa Sartore (U. Wisconsin-Waukesha): “Reframing Outlawry”
  Jennifer Wyka Stiles (St. Louis U.): “Going Medieval: What Roland Patouvin’s *Chronica* Reveals about Violence and Bullying in the Middle Ages”

- **6:00-8:00** Dinner (on your own)

- **8:00-10:00** President’s Reception
  Linda Mitchell’s House:
  7559 Walnut Street, Kansas City, MO
  Directions from Plaza District Hotels:
  Drive south on Main Street, crossing Volker Blvd, where Main becomes Brookside Blvd. Take Brookside Blvd south to Meyer Blvd (Brookside ends there) and turn right onto Meyer. Turn left at traffic light onto Wornall R. Continue on Wornall until 75th St. Turn left onto 75th. Continue through 2 traffic lights to Walnut, one block past Main St. Turn right onto Walnut. House is midway down block on left.
MMHC Saturday, 29 October 2011 Sessions

✧ 8:00-10:30: Continental Breakfast Buffet

✧ 8:30-9:00: Welcome

✧ 9:00-10:30  Session 4: Studies in the History of the Crusades in Honor of James Powell
   Chair: Tom Madden
   Brett Whalen (UNC-Chapel Hill), “The Preacher Man: James of Vitry between West and East”
   Michael Lower (University of Minnesota) “Gregory IX and the Crusades”
   Al Andrea (University of Vermont) “Reframing the Crusades: Sixteenth-Century Crusading in the Indies and Mesoamerica”

✧ 10:30-10:45: Coffee Service

✧ 11:00-12:15  Session 5: Plenary Address
   Introductions: Linda Mitchell (UMKC)
   Professor Joel Rosenthal (SUNY-Stony Brook): “The Pastons and their Letters – Or What Did Margaret Marry Into?”

✧ 12:15-1:45: Lunch and Business Meeting

✧ 2:00-3:45  Session 6: Old Wine in New Bottles, Drunk with a Fresh Palette
   Chair: Alex Novikoff
   Constance Bouchard (U. Akron): “The Carolingian Dynasty and the Construction of Memory”
   Jonathan Lyon (U. Chicago): “Reevaluating the Nobility’s Role in the Reformation of the Twelfth Century”
   Erin Abraham (U. Wyoming): “Reconsidering Emotion in the Early Middle Ages: Grief as Vice and Virtue in Early Penitentials”

✧ 3:45-4:00: Coffee Service

✧ 4:00-5:30  Session 7: Western Europe in a Larger Medieval World
   Chair: Steve Stofferahn
   Darlene Brooks Hedstrom (Wittenberg U.): “A Medieval Monastic Bouquet from Wadi Natrun, Constantinople, Athos and Cluny”

✧ 5:30-6:30: Reception and Wine Hour

✧ 6:30-8:30: Banquet
Hotel and Transportation Information

Transportation

✧ Kansas City is serviced by the Kansas City International Airport, which is located about 45 minutes from the Plaza District, where both the hotels and the University are located. Shuttle service is available (cost about $30 one-way) to all hotels and the university.

✧ Amtrak service to Kansas City’s Union Station is available from major cities in the US.

✧ There will be shuttle/carpool service from the conference hotels to the university.

Hotels

There are two conference hotels, both located in the Plaza District [despite the different addresses they are next door to each other] and about 1.5 miles from the UMKC University Center. Please phone the hotel directly and mention MMHC. Reservations must be made by 14 October to secure the conference rate. Rate is guaranteed for Friday and Saturday nights; also available for Thursday night but book early.

Marriott Country Club Plaza
Rate: $114.00 per night
4445 Main Street, Kansas City, MO 64111
1-800-810-3708

Holiday Inn, Country Club Plaza
Rate: $89.00 per night
One East 45th Street, Kansas City, MO 64111
1-866-280-6326
Personalized e-booking link (for Friday and Saturday only):
Registration Form

Please fill out conference registration and return, with payment (by check, payable to UMKC) by 10 October 2011 to:
Professor Linda Mitchell
University of Missouri-Kansas City
Haag Hall 204
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Kansas City, MO 64110

Name:
Affiliation:
Address:

Email:

Registration Fee (circle one)
- Regular $60
- Student (please supply copy of ID) $40

Banquet $40
- Entrée Choice (circle one):
  - Eggplant Parmesan
  - Chicken stuffed w/ tomatoes & Boursin

Total

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