

CALL FOR PAPERS

MIDWEST MEDIEVAL HISTORY CONFERENCE

48TH ANNUAL MEETING

25-26 SEPTEMBER 2009

AT THE UNIVERSITY
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The forty-eighth Annual Midwest Medieval History Conference will be held on the campus of the University of Notre Dame in South Bend, Indiana on 25-26 September 2009. The conference will commence on Friday afternoon with **graduate student papers**. Saturday's meeting will feature a **keynote address** as well as **scholarly papers** on a wide range of topics. At the end of the day there is a banquet and president's reception.

This year's keynote speaker will be **Giles Constable**, who certainly needs no introduction, quondam Professor at Harvard, former Director of Dumbarton Oaks, Professor at the Institute for Advanced Study (emeritus), and author of *Monastic Tithes from their Origin to the Twelfth Century* (1964); *Renaissance and Renewal in the Twelfth Century* (with Robert Benson 1982); *The Reformation of the Twelfth Century* (1996); *Sacrilege and Redemption in Renaissance Florence: The Case of Antonio Rinaldeschi* (with William Connell 2005); as well as a host of articles on the religious history and culture of the High Middle Ages.

Paper proposals are welcome on any area of medieval history. Graduate students are encouraged to submit proposals, and those presenting will receive a \$100 honorarium. Abstracts of 200-300 words in length should be sent by email to lhaas@mtsu.edu or by snail mail to Louis Haas, MMHC Program Chair, Department of History, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN 37132. Questions regarding the conference can be directed to either Remie Constable, Professor of History at the University of Notre Dame and host for this years MMHC (constable.1@nd.edu), or Louis Haas MMHC Program Chair.

Deadline for submission is 15 July 2009