



## Department of English Language and Literature, University of Haifa

### Schedule of Departmental Seminars

*All seminars will be held from 5-6:30 pm at the University of Haifa. Locations will be announced in advance and on the departmental webpage*

#### **Fall**

November 6 – Gaëtan Brulotte, University of South Florida, “The Poetics of the Short Story as Revealed In Its Literary Evolution In French Canada”

November 27 – Joshua Wiener, University of Haifa, “Pope's Perversity: The Ruling of Tastes in Enlightenment Britain”

December 4 – Book Launch: Zoe Beenstock, University of Haifa, *The Politics of Romanticism: The Social Contract and Literature*. Respondents: Galia Benziman, Open University; Sue Lanser, Brandeis University; Yael Shapira, Bar-Ilan University

December 11 – Simon Sterne, University of Toronto, title TBA

January 1- Matthew Sperling, University College London, “The Publishing of Poetry”

January 22 – Mark Rasmussen, Centre College, “Spenser’s Smiles”

#### **Spring**

March 5 – Ayelet Langer and Giora Hon, University of Haifa, “Is Milton’s Thomistic Error a Mistake? On the Usefulness of the Distinction between Mistake and Error in *Samson Agonistes*”

March 19<sup>th</sup> – Eve Tavor-Bannet, University of Oklahoma, “The Letters in the Story: Aphra Behn, Jane Austen, and the Eighteenth-Century Debate on the Novel’s Form”

May 7<sup>th</sup> – Colloquium

May 21<sup>st</sup> - Ilana Blumberg, Bar-Ilan University, title TBA

June 4<sup>th</sup> – Maeera Schreiber, University of Utah, title TBA