

**Program: Pre-Modern Nordic Memory Studies: Momentum and New Avenues.**

**Aarhus University, Feb 27-28, 2025**

Thursday, February 27. Venue: Aarhus University (Mogens Zieler Stuen: 1422/125)

- 9.15-9.30: **Pernille Hermann** (Aarhus University), Opening words
- 9.30-10.05: **Jürg Glauser** (Universities of Zurich and Basel), Pre-Modern Nordic Memory Studies: State of the Art
- 10.05-10.20: Break
- 10.20-10.55: **Ármann Jakobssen** (University of Iceland), How do I know how I feel? Traumatic Expression in the Sagas (online)
- 10.55-11.30: **Yoav Tirosh** (Aarhus University), Collective Trauma and Collective Memory: Two Sides of the Same Coin, so to speak
- 11.30-12.05: **Verena Höfig** (University of Munich), Memory and trans-generational trauma
- 12.05-13.00: Lunch
- 13.00-13.45: **Hanna Teichler** (Goethe University Frankfurt), Process, Structure, Intervention: Thoughts on Slow Memory (online)
- 13.45-14.20: **Lucie Korecka** (Charles University Prague), Conflict and Resilience from a Cultural Memory Perspective
- 14.20-14.55: **Richard Cole** (Aarhus University), 'Last World Emperor' Movements as Accelerationism?
- 14.55-15.15: Coffee
- 15.15-15.50: **Madita Knöpfle** (University of Zurich), The Use of Proverbs in Eiríkur Laxdal's *Ólafs saga Þórhallasonar*
- 15.50-16.25: **Lena Rohrbach** (Universities of Zurich and Basel), Memory on the Shelf: The Construction of Cultural Memory in Libraries and Archives – The Case of the Arnamagnæan Collection
- 16.25-17.00: Discussion
- 19.00: **Dinner, Restaurant [Havnær](#)**

Friday, February 28. Venue: Scandinavian Department, Nobelparken (Meeting room: 1485:316)

9.15-9.50 **Pete Sandberg** (University of Gothenburg), Remembering, Forgetting, Creating the Past: The Case of Ragvald Odinskarl

9.50-10.25 **Stephen Mitchell** (Harvard University), Gender, Memory, and Memorialization: On an OSw Genre of *grátr*

10.25-10.40 Break

10.40-11.15 Strategy and planning ahead, next meeting

*Taxi to Moesgård Museum*

12.00-13.15: Lunch, Moesgård Museum Caféen

13.15-14.15: Tour, Moesgård Museum

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### List of participants

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