Panel I — 9:15-10:45am
Systems of Belief and Public Culture in the Twentieth Century

Chair: Amanda Katz, Carnegie Mellon University

Manuel Robles, University of Pittsburgh
Looking for Sanctuary: Mexico’s Image in the African-American Press, 1910-1940

Stephanie Makin, University of Pittsburgh
Consumerism, Catholic Women, and the Cold War: German Catholic Women’s Magazines and the Ideal Western Consumer, 1945-1960

Meredith Soeder, Carnegie Mellon University
The Undetermined Place of Jazz in Post-World II German Art Music

Discussant:
Kelly Urban, University of Pittsburgh

10:45-11:00 am: Coffee Break

Panel II—11:00-12:30am
Urban Solidarities and Social Movements

Chair: Mirelle Luecke, University of Pittsburgh

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“American” Tars? Sailors, Laborers, and Maritime Solidarities in New York City, 1789-1814

Bradley J. Sommer, Carnegie Mellon University
An “Unruly and Radical Element”: The Role of Non-Union Supporters in the Electric Auto-Lite Strike, Toledo, Ohio 1934

Levi R. Pettler, Carnegie Mellon University

Discussant: Daniel Holland, University of Pittsburgh

12:30am-1:30pm: Lunch Break

Panel III—1:30-3:00 pm
Nature and Imperial Expansion

Chair: Jack Bouchard, University of Pittsburgh

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The Newfoundland Fisheries, Europe, and the Atlantic World 1500-1550

Matthew Nielsen, Carnegie Mellon University
The Centrality of a Peripheral River: The Lower Orinoco at the turn of the 18th Century

Ryan Fane, University of Pittsburgh
“La Gesta Civilizadora”: The Argentine Junta and the Conquest of the Desert’s Centennial Celebrations

Discussant: Andrew Ramey, Carnegie Mellon University

3pm-3:15pm: Coffee Break
Panel IV—3:15-4:30pm
Youth and the Business of Sport

Chair:
Barry Bookheimer, University of Pittsburgh

Bennett Koerber, Carnegie Mellon University
The “Noble Experiment”: Sewanee and the Creation of Liberal Arts Football

Alexandra Mountain, University of Pittsburgh
Swedes on Ice: The Development of Swedish Junior Ice Hockey from 1975-1985

Discussant:
Cordelia Brazile, University of Pittsburgh

Panel Discussion: 4:30-5:30pm
Cross-Departmental Cooperation in Graduate Training

Katherine Lynch, Carnegie Mellon University
Gregor Thum, University of Pittsburgh