

Texts and Networks: infrastructures, identities, itineraries

– the fourth annual conference of the research program

‘Modes of Modification. Variance and change in medieval manuscript culture’

University of Gothenburg, Faculty of Humanities

Renströmsgatan 6 – Room C350

21–22 August, 2023

Monday 21 August

09.00–09.15

Welcome and introduction

09.15–10.00

David Wallace, University of Pennsylvania

Networks and Itineraries, Transnationalism and Inter-nationality

10.00–10.45

Karl G. Johansson, University of Oslo

Compilations and Libraries and the Changes of Habits in Manuscript Culture.

Texts and networks in time and space

10.45–11.00 Coffee break

11.00–11.45

Margriet Hoogvliet, University of Groningen

Questioning Transmission and Change: Shared Books and Shared Reading Practices between Clergy and Laity, Latin and Middle French in the Fifteenth Century

12.00–13.00 Lunch break

13.00–13.45

Wojtek Jezierski, University of Gothenburg

Comparative Perspective on Politico-Cultural Complexity, Elite Networks, and Textual Production in Poland and Norway, 1000–1300 CE: One Example, Several Reflections, Limitless Frustrations

13.45–14.30

Elise Kleivane, University of Oslo

Seal legends and communication networks in medieval Norway

14.30–14.45 Coffee break

14.45–15.30

Massimiliano Bampi, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Intertextual dynamics in late medieval Nordic multi-text manuscripts

15.30–16.15

Olov Lund, Stockholm university

15th Century Sweden: A Network Society?

Tuesday 22 August

09.00–09.45

Wolfgang Undorf, National Library of Sweden

Not a game of thrones – individuals and transnational connections as driving forces in Early Modern Scandinavian book history

09.45–10.30

Espen Karlsen, National Library of Norway

The provenance of medieval book fragments in light of early modern administration (1500–1725)

10.30–10.45 Coffee break

10.45–11.30

Synnöve Midtbø Myking, National Library of Denmark

Rome and the Danish Cistercians: Liber Polypticus in a 12th-century manuscript from Esrum

11.30–12.15

Anna Blennow, University of Gothenburg

Networks of Texts and Topographies in Medieval Rome

12.15–13.45 Lunch break

14.00–16.30

Concluding discussions [Room C 362]