Program for CEA-CC Spring 2003 Conference
“Travel Narratives”

Friday 28 February - Student Center, Salon de Anexo,
University of Puerto Rico at Mayagüez

Coffee and Registration: 12:30-1:00 pm
Welcoming Remarks: 1:00-1:30 pm

Panel A: Travel and the Natural Historian
1:30-2:30 p.m. Moderator Nick Haydock
   from Bartram to Matthiessen,” Ashton Nichols,
   Dickinson College, Pennsylvania
   Gestures in Charles Kingsley’s At Last,” Amar Wahab,
   University of Toronto.

2:30-3:00 pm Elections - Moderator Ana Kothe

Panel B: To and From Provence and Transylvania
3:00-4:30 pm Moderator Nick Haydock
1. "Intertextuality and Introspection in JMG Le Clezio's Travel
   Narratives," Stéphane Pillet, University of Puerto
   Rico, at Mayagüez
2. “The Discovery of the South of France: Travel Writing and
   Provençal Literature,” William D. Paden, Northwestern
   University
   Richard Potter, Florida Atlantic University

5:00 pm Refreshments at La Veranda, Mayagüez Resort. Hors d’œuvres provided by CEA-CC.

Saturday 1 March

Coffee 8:00-8:30 am

Panel C: In and Out of the New World
8:30-9:30 am Moderator Nandita Batra
1. “Reconfiguring Travel, or the Tourist of Late Capitalism in
   Don DeLillo’s The Names,” Richard Swope, University
   of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras
2. “Grammar and Grammarians in the British Caribbean,” Don
   E. Walicek, University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras

Panel D: Women Travellers and Nomads
9:45-11:15 am Moderator Nandita Batra
1. “Parisian Modernism and the Construction of the Feminine
   Subject,” Mary Leonard, University of Puerto Rico at
   Mayagüez
2. “Boys, Boats, and Stallions: Apology, Self-Affirmation, and
   the Travel Writing of Adelene Moffat (1862-1956),”
   Frances Freeman Paden, Northwestern University
3. "Nomadism,” a reading from her memoir (working title
   Sacred Bi Sex), Serena Anderlini-D’Onofrio,
   University of Puerto Rico at Mayagüez

12:00 Lunch at Galloway’s, a waterfront restaurant in
Boquerón. Hors d’œuvres provided by CEA-CC.

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Directions to conference site: To get to UPR-Mayagüez take Carr. 2 to Km. 153 and turn onto Calle Post where it intersects with Carr. 2, at the Western Bank fountain. At the main gate make a right (on Avenida Laureles) and ask the guard for a temporary parking permit. The Student Center will be the second building on your left.

The Fall conference will be held at UPR-Mayagüez, Friday 17 and Saturday 18 October 2003. The topic is “Representations of Loss and Mourning.” Send proposals (250 words) to cea_caribbeanchapter@hotmail.com by 12 May 2003. Proposals may be sent as part of a text message, not as an attachment. Visit our website for updated information: http://ece.uprm.edu/artssciences/ingles/cea-cc.htm

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