

In the coming months, the Jesuit Studies Cafe will meet with directors and members of research groups, seminars, and research centers studying topics relevant to the history of the Society of Jesus.

Thursday, March 21

From Early Modern Missions to Proselytism(s): History of a Seminar (EHESS, Paris)

This presentation will trace the history and evolution of a major seminar that gathers at the École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris, discussing religious missions in the Iberian world and different forms of proselytism. The presenters will highlight the seminar's contribution to studying the Society of Jesus.



Dr. Margherita Trento
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Dr. Hélène Vu-Thanh
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Thursday, April 18

The Research Group on the Congregation of the Council and the Study of Religious Orders (Max Planck Institute for Legal History and Legal Theory, Frankfurt)

The Congregation of the Council was one of the leading actors of the post-Tridentine Catholic Reform: it was responsible for the authentic interpretation of the Council's disciplinary decrees and their implementation throughout the Catholic world. This presentation will focus on the multiple interactions between the Congregation of the Council and the Society of Jesus and suggest fascinating avenues for future research in this field.



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Thursday, May 16

The Center for Research on Global Catholicism and its Jesuit Connections (Saint Louis University)

The Center for Research on Global Catholicism (CRGC) at Saint Louis University (SLU) was founded in 2020 to support scholarship at the nexus of Catholicism and culture. The CRGC brings together three key components of SLU's Jesuit history and mission—a legacy of global engagement, a commitment to rigorous academic inquiry, and a focus on social justice—to promote interdisciplinary research, collaboration, and methodological innovation in the emerging field of global Catholic Studies.



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