



THORNELOE UNIVERSITY

AT LAURENTIAN

INAUGURAL ACADEMIC ROUNDTABLE

THURSDAY APRIL 7, 2016

10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Thorneloe University, Room 140

Refreshments will be served.

Welcome and Opening Remarks from Bruce Ward, Acting President, and OmiSoore Dryden, Convenor.

Panel #1:

Aven McMaster, Ancient Studies
"Bloody Colours in the Roman World"

Nawel Hamidi, Women's Studies
"From biological fiction to legal fiction: Indigenous Elder Women's Narrative on Oppression and Humiliation."

Mark Scott, Religious Studies
"Blood and Belief: Terrence Malick's Aesthetic Theodicy in *The Thin Red Line*"

Panel #2

Jennifer Johnson, Women's Studies
"You ARE the Father!': Queering Blood Relations through the Ontario Birth Certificate."

Adam Bergquist, Theatre Arts
"Blood in *Blood Relations* by Sharon Pollock"

OmiSoore Dryden, Women's Studies
"Transnational Blood Temporalities and Anti-Black Technologies of Donation Systems."

Closing Remarks

