HEBREW AND JEWISH STUDIES UNIT

Trinity Term 2009

Seminar on Jews and Judaism in the early modern period

Thursdays at 2.15pm in the Quarrel Room, Exeter College

Convenor: Joanna Weinberg

Week 1: 30 April

Edward Fram (OCHJS/Ben-Gurion)

"Problematics in the use of Rabbinic Responsa from Early Modern Europe as a Source of History"

Week 4: 21 May

Andrea Schatz (King's College London)

"Beyond Sinai: Early Modern Approaches to a Diasporic History of the Hebrew Language"

Week 5: 28 May

Ada Rapoport-Albert (University College London)

"The Early Modern Yiddish Memorist Glikel of Hamel- as a widow"

Week 6: 4 June

Eliyahu Stern (Oxford)

"Codes, Commentaries, and 'the Community' in Early Modern Eastern European Jewry"

Week 7: 11 June

Ian Maclean (All Souls)

"Jewish and Medical Connotations of the Epithet *Lusitanus* up to 1640"

Week 8: 18 June

Adam Sutcliffe (King's College London)

"A Philosemitic Moment? Judaism and Republicanism in Seventeenth-Century European Thought"