Thursday 10<sup>th</sup>

8.00: Breakfast, Hall (residents only)

From 9.00: Registration - Old Bursary; Coffee - North Undercroft

Panel I: Reputations, Bodies - McGregor Matthews Room

**10.30:** Laurence Senelick, Tufts University The Mysterious Marriage of Nancy and Sikes

**11.00:** Mary L. Shannon, University of Roehampton Disabled Bodies in the London Street and on the London Stage

11.30: Coffee - North Undercroft

#### Panel II: Keynote I - McGregor Matthews Room

12.00: Kate Newey, University of Exeter

Melodrama and Immersion on the 19th-Century London Stage

1.00: Lunch – The Hall

#### Panel III: Venues, Lands – McGregor Matthews Library

#### 2.00: Keith Cavers, Independent Scholar

Undressing the Infant Hercules; D'Egville, Ducrow, and the Exhibition of Male Physique on the London Stage

#### 2.30: David Coates, University of Warwick

From the Classical to Caricature: Visual Traces of British Private and Amateur Theatricals in the Long Nineteenth Century

#### 3.00: Sarah Meer, University of Cambridge

The London Stage in the Indian Ocean

#### 3.30: Peter Yeandle, Loughborough University

General Sir George White Goes to the Hippodrome: film, theatre, and the cultivation of a wartime public sphere in late-Victorian London

## 4.00: Tea – North Undercroft

#### Panel IV: Works, Categories - McGregor Matthews Room

#### 4.30: Francis Bertschinger, Magdalen College, Oxford

From Folklore to Historical Subject: Adapting Rossini's *Guillaume Tell* for the London Stage

#### 5.00: Matthew Head, Kings College, London

Homesick Highlanders: Harriet Wainewright Stewart's *Comàla* in London and Bengal

#### 5.30: Deborah Lee, University College London

"In order categorical": Genre, Classification Theory and the Works of Gilbert and Sullivan

#### 6.00-7.15: Drinks – The Cloisters

#### 7.30: Dinner – Founder's Library

Friday 11<sup>th</sup>

**8.00: Breakfast, Hall** (residents only)

## Panel V: Staging, Infrastructure - McGregor Matthews Room

# 8.30: Tamsin Alexander, Goldsmiths, University of London

Concealed Sound and the Phantasmagoria of the Late 19th-Century Salon

# **9.00:** Joanna Hofer-Robinson, University of Warwick Hyperfunctional Spectacle

#### **9.30:** Henry Mason, Queen Mary University of London Rudolph Cabanel and the Progress of Romantic Spectacle

**10.00: Patricia Smyth, University of Exeter** Simultaneous Settings and Audience Affect

# 10.30: Coffee – North Undercroft

# Panel VI: Administration, Reception – McGregor Matthews Room

# 11.00: Michael Burden, New College, University of Oxford

The Failure of the 'Opera Bill'; the Crisis in London Opera in 1853

# 11.30: Anna Farkas, Independent Scholar

'The Independent Theatre Society [...] has stepped in to free the London stage from the taunt of inartistic orthodoxy': J. T. Grein's campaign for avant-garde theatre as an NPO

# Panel VII: Keynote II - McGregor Matthews Room

# 12.00: Simon Sladen, Victoria and Albert Museum

From Blythe House to Storehouse: 100 Years of Theatre & Performance at the V&A

# 1.00: Lunch – The Hall

#### Panel VIII: Past, Present – McGregor Matthews Library

D'Oyly Carte and the Savoy: Past Traditions and Present Practicalities

**2.00: Benedict Taylor, University of Edinburgh** Strange Adventure! The Madrigal on the Savoy Stage

#### 2.30: Martyn Strachan, Independent Scholar

Is Parody a Thing of the Pastiche?

**3.00:** James Brooks Kuykendall, University of Mary Washington Richard D'Oyly Carte and the Challenges (and Consequences) of Casting

#### 3.30: Tea – North Undercroft

#### Panel IX Sounds, Sensations – McGregor Matthews Room

#### 4.00: Janice Norwood, University of Hertfordshire & Hayley Bradley, University of Manchester

'One More Unfortunate': Deathly Spectatorship and Suicide as Stage Sensation

#### 5.00: Anna Ricke, Paderborn University

From Ghostly Echoes to Horror Soundscapes: Music and Sound in Early Gothic Representation of the Supernatural

#### The Conference Ends

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