

**Recycling, waste and luxury:
the afterlife of used things in the long 18th century**

Two-day conference June 22nd and 23rd – Université Paris Diderot.
UFR Charles V - 10, rue Charles V 75004 Paris

organized by Ariane Fennetaux, Amélie Junqua, and Sophie Vasset

Tuesday June 22nd

9h- Registration & coffee

9h 15- Introduction to the conference – A. Fennetaux & A. Junqua

9h45-11h15 – **Knowledge, science and recycling** – Claire Gallien

- Simon Werrett, University of Washington, Remaking Natural Knowledge : Recycling in the history of science and medicine.
- Sophie Vasset, Université Paris-Diderot – Recycling cases in 18th century medical treatises.

Coffee break

11h30-13h — **Recycling 18th century Parisian walls** – Chair: Charlotte Guichard

- Allan Potofsky, Université Paris –Diderot – Revolutionary Recycling and Civic Architecture : The Conseil des bâtiments civils and the Use and Abuse of the Past in France, 1795-1815.
- Noémie Etienne, Université de Genève – Du mur au musée : Transformations matérielles et symboliques des peintures à Paris autour de 1775.

Lunch & Coffee

14h30-16h — **Material recycling (I)** – Chair: Amélie Junqua

- Geoffrey Day, Winchester College, Recycling in the Library.
- David Humphrey, Royal College of Art, London, A Portal to change and innovation : Recycling and the 18th century English Jewellery Trade.

Tea Break

16h30-18h — **Material Recycling (II)** – Chair: Ariane Fennetaux

- Sara Pennell, Roehampton University, ‘...for a crack or flaw despis’d’ : Understanding ceramic ‘semi-durability’ in the first half of the long 18th century.
- Fiona McDonald, University College London, Weaving and Wool : Materiality through Woollen Blankets in 18th century Aotearoa/New Zealand.

Wednesday, June 23rd

9h15-10h45 — **Waste** – Robert Mankin

- Tim Cooper, University of Exeter, Critical Perspectives from Marxism on the Uses of Waste and Recycling in the Long 18th century.
- Sabine Barles, Université St Denis Paris 8, La valorisation des excréta urbains en France à la fin du 18^{ème} siècle.

Coffee break

11h15- 12h45 — **Royal Recyclings** – Natacha Coquery

- Corinne Thépaut-Cabasset, Château de Versailles, Le grand livre des pierreries du roi : gestion, entretien et recyclage des bijoux pendant le règne de Louis XIV.
- Olivia Fryman, Historic Royal Palaces and Kingston University, 'Cleaning and New Beautifying' : strategies of repair and reuse in the English Royal Wardrobe 1689-1760.

Lunch & coffee

14h15-15h45 — **Commerce and Recycling (I)** – Jon Stobart

- Arlene Leis, University of York, Repetition, Recycling and Imitation : images of High art in Sarah Sophia Banks' Collection of Trade Card.
- Natacha Coquery, Université de Nantes, La diffusion sociale des biens à Paris au 18^{ème} siècle : la boutique, carrefour entre le luxe, le demi-luxe et l'occasion.

Tea Break

16h15-18h30 — **Commerce and Recycling (II)** – Sara Pennell

- Barbara Lasic, Victoria and Albert Museum, Recycling and Re-fashioning the Grand-Siècle in Paris and London, 1789-1814.
- Ilja Van Damme, University of Antwerp, The Decline and the Fall of the second hand guild in the Southern Netherlands : material culture, institutional change and the labour market, 1650-1850.
- Jon Stobart, Northampton University, Luxury and Country House Sales in England, c.1750-1830.

Drinks