

# Fall 2021: Research Seminar Series

Department of French and Italian

Wednesday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, 4:30-5:45pm

Via Zoom: <https://uwmadison.zoom.us/j/92107731455>



## Presenters:

**Sandra Descourtis**

*Language Variations in Contemporary French TV Shows: The Case for Introducing "argot" and "verlan" in the Foreign Language Classroom to Foster Learners' Sociolinguistic Competence*

**Loren Eadie**

*Hidden in Plain Sight? Homoerotic Imagery in Angelo Poliziano's Early Italian Poetry*

**Anne Vila**

*Convulsive Theatrics in Eighteenth-Century France, from the Convulsionnaires to the Secular Stage*



This seminar will feature presentations of ongoing scholarly work by graduate students, academic staff and faculty of the department (and, occasionally, by faculty affiliated with FRIT), followed by a lively discussion. The presentations will be held in English, Italian or French. Discussion will be held in English. For further information, please contact one of the organizers: Nevine El Nossery ([elnossery@wisc.edu](mailto:elnossery@wisc.edu)), Kimberly Rooney ([kcrooney@wisc.edu](mailto:kcrooney@wisc.edu)), or Tessa Archambault ([tarchambault@wisc.edu](mailto:tarchambault@wisc.edu)).