

Call for Papers



The 42nd Annual Conference The Joseph Conrad Society (UK) Napier University, Edinburgh 29 June - 2 July 2016

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THE JOSEPH CONRAD SOCIETY (UK) invites proposals for papers for its 42nd Annual International Conference, to be held in Edinburgh at Edinburgh Napier University, Merchiston Campus, Colinton Road, Edinburgh, EH10 5DT, from Wednesday 29 June to Saturday 2 July 2016.

Proposals for 25-minute papers and for panels on all topics related to Conrad's life, work, and circle are invited. In the tradition of the Society's conferences, we have not proposed a conference theme and we invite the widest range of approaches to 'Conrad.'

Each panel will be one and a half hours, comprising three papers and leaving time for questions and discussion at the end. We envisage that the programme will start at lunchtime on Wednesday, with 10 a.m. starts on the succeeding days. There will be opportunities to visit the city with its many cultural attractions.

The deadline for submission of abstracts (of about 300 words) is **4 April 2016**. They should be sent in duplicate in MS Word format to Hugh Epstein, Honorary Secretary of the Joseph Conrad Society UK, at: hughepstein@hotmail.co.uk and also to the conference organizer at Napier, Professor Linda Dryden, at: l.dryden@napier.ac.uk

Conference details and the programme of speakers and events will be posted on the Society's website www.josephconradsociety.org as they become available.
Conference Registration, booking and costs will be posted in early 2016.

Participants who are not already members of the Society will be requested to take out **membership** for one year.

Please note that this is a partly residential conference. Participants will need to make their own **accommodation** arrangements, but there are a number of rooms available on the Napier campus. For these, and for advice on hotel bookings, please contact Marguerite le Riche at: M.leRiche@napier.ac.uk