

## Thomas More Studies, Call for Papers 2019-2022

**2019** – New Venue, New Time

Venue: Renaissance Society of America, Toronto, Canada

Time: March 17-19, 2019

Application deadline: August 10, 2018

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**Call for Papers:** Printing, Reception, Editing, and Teaching Thomas More and Early Humanists

The Amici Thomae Mori is excited to welcome proposals for papers on Thomas More studies to coincide with the publication of the new *Essential Works of Thomas More* (Yale University Press, 2019). This single-volume, accessible, readable edition will be the third major collection of More's works in nearly five hundred years, after the 1557 *Workes* published by More's nephew William Rastell and the Yale *Complete Works* in fifteen volumes completed in 1997. Though papers on all areas of Thomas More studies will be considered, the Amici is especially interested in topics that will complement this important publication, such as print history of humanist texts, reception history of Thomas More and early humanists, editing humanist texts, and teaching humanist texts in the modern classroom.

To submit a paper, please send your title (15-word max), abstract (150-word max), a few keywords, CV, PhD completion date (past or expected), and affiliation to Emily Ransom ([ransome@uwgb.edu](mailto:ransome@uwgb.edu)) by August 10, 2018.

**2020-2022** – our usual venue (UD), at our usual time (1<sup>st</sup> Friday-Saturday in November)

Objective for these three years:

-Encourage a wide-range of participants to read and reflect upon all 1500 pages of *The Essential Works of Thomas More*, since developing a sense of More's whole canon will enrich More scholarship.

-To facilitate this objective, the focus of 2019 will be the development of materials for teaching and personal study, such as study outlines and introductory podcasts and developing access to primary historical documents such as those now on [www.thomasmorestudies.org/EW](http://www.thomasmorestudies.org/EW).

We heartily welcome your collaboration and contributions in these areas.

Please send ideas and suggestions to Veronica Brooks, CTMS Education Director, at [educationaloutreach.CTMS@gmail.com](mailto:educationaloutreach.CTMS@gmail.com).

### 2020-2022 Conference Dates and Topics:

6-7 Nov 2020: The Young Thomas More, Life and Writings (1494-1522, pp. 1-498 of *EW*)

5-6 Nov 2021: The Imprisoned Thomas More: Life and Writings (1534-35, pp. 1043-1500 of *EW*)

4-5 Nov 2022: The Controversial Thomas More: Life and Writings (1523-33, pp. 499-1042 of *EW*)

To submit a paper on any topic related to the scope of the 2020 Conference, please send your title, abstract (150-word maximum), PhD or JD completion date (if applicable), and affiliation to [morestudies@gmail.com](mailto:morestudies@gmail.com) by January 30, 2020. Notification is made by February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020, and the eight-page panel presentation is due August 30, 2020. (A panel presentation is limited to 20 minutes, which is an eight-page, double-spaced, twelve-point-type paper.)