

Vanderbilt-Warwick Strategic Partnership  
*Keywords in World Literature*  
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**Schedule**

9:00-9:30 Coffee and greetings

9:30-11:00 Discussion of Fredric Jameson's 2008 lecture "World Literature"  
(Holberg International Memorial Prize, Duke University)

11:00-11:15 Pause

11:15- 12:15 Discussion of keywords in world literature: world-system, combined  
and uneven development, translation, (geo)modernisms

12:15-1:30 Lunch

1:30 - 2:45 Case Studies I

Nick Lawrence, "Bolaño and World Literature"

Graeme McDonald, "Peripheral Modernisms"

2:45 - 3:00 Pause

3:00 - 4:15 Case Studies II

Pablo Mukherjee, "Ivan Vladislavic: Traversing the Uneven City"

Stephen Shapiro, "American Pentecostalism and Combined and Uneven  
Development"

4:15 - 4:30 Conclusion

7:00 Dinner