CERVANTES AND BORGES IN THE CITY, WITH PROFESSOR EDWIN WILLIAMSON OF OXFORD UNIVERSITY
University of Colorado Denver
September 17th – October 12th, 2018

CU Denver is honored to welcome distinguished Professor Edwin Williamson as a visiting scholar. Prof. Williamson is the King Alfonso XIII Professor of Spanish Studies at Oxford University and a Corresponding Fellow of the Real Academia Española. He is the author of The Penguin History of Latin America (2010), The Half-way House of Fiction: Don Quixote and Arthurian Romance (1984), Borges: A Life (2005), and The Cambridge Companion to Jorge Luis Borges (2013), as well as additional books and numerous articles in English and Spanish.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

All events are free and open to the public

Tuesday, Sept. 18th, 2018
Student Commons Building Room 1600
Auraria Campus, Downtown Denver, 5:30 PM

Keynote Lecture and Welcome Reception:
"Why is Don Quixote the First Modern Novel? Some Reflections on a Classic"
*In English, with Q&A in English and Spanish

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Wednesday, September 19th, 2018
King Center Room 210
Auraria Campus, Downtown Denver 5:00-6:00 PM

Tertulia on Cervantes’ Don Quijote
*Q&A in English and Spanish

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Tuesday, September 25th, 2018
Student Commons Building Room 1600
Auraria Campus, Downtown Denver, 5:30 PM

Keynote Lecture and Reception:
"El destino del escritor: Borges y la lección del Quijote.” [A Writer’s Destiny: Borges Reads Don Quixote]
*In Spanish, with Q&A in English and Spanish

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Wednesday, September 26th, 2018
Plaza Building 118: Dept. of Modern Languages
Auraria Campus, Downtown Denver, 5:00-6:00 PM

Tertulia on Jorge Luis Borges’ Life and Works
*Q&A in English and Spanish

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Thursday, October 4th, 2018
Student Commons Building Room 1600
Auraria Campus, Downtown Denver, 5:30 PM


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Tuesday, October 9th, 2018
Student Commons Building Room 2600
Auraria Campus, Downtown Denver, 5:30 PM

Book Presentation: El segundo Quijote (1615): Nuevas interpretaciones cuatro siglos después (2015). With Visiting Fellow Edwin Williamson, University of Denver Professor Emerita Diana de Armas Wilson, University of Minnesota Duluth Professor Jennifer Brady, University of Wyoming Professor Conxita Domenech, and University of Colorado Denver Professor Andrés Lema-Hincapié.
*In English and Spanish

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