

# THE BRITISH ASSOCIATION FOR CONTEMPORARY LITERARY STUDIES

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### **BACLS business**

- Full details of our prize winners can be found on our website
- If you're publishing during 2018, keep our prizes in mind
- Our compiled <u>conference tweets</u> on Wakelet.
- BACLS-WHN2020: Would you like to host the next BACLS-WHN? Details are on the members area of the website but please do get in touch with the team if you have questions
- BACLS-Supported Events: In the years WHN doesn't run (so the calendar year of 2019), BACLS will support events run by its members. In 2019 the funding available for this is a pot of £1000. You can apply to that pot in 2 rounds. The first deadline is the 31st October 2018 and the second deadline will be the end of March 2019. Funds might be to cover the cost of e.g. room bookings, or bursaries, or food; events might be e.g. symposia, workshops, work-in-progress sessions; events might be in the early stages of planning or about to take place-- you can apply at any point in the planning process. Further details will be on the website at the end of the Summer.
- A conference special issue of *C21 Literature: Journal of 21st-century Writings* will happen. We are seeking additional editors for that issue! Please email Katy Shaw at<u>Katy3.shaw@northumbria.ac.uk</u> if you are interested.
- The BACLS-affiliated postgraduate journal *Alluvium* is looking for editors! Please email <u>bacls.membership@gmail.com</u> if you are interested

Here are a few Google docs so that we can follow up the discussions from the conference: please add your comments to them and we will then be able to circulate these to the executive before our Autumn/Winter meeting.

- BACLS Early Career Academic Advocacy and Support
- BACLS-WHN 18 Conference Feedback
- What you would like to see on the BACLS website?

And of course you can just email BACLS with queries or suggestions anytime at <u>bacls.membership@gmail.com</u>.

#### **CFPs**

- Studies in Testimony Journal Articles
- Writers and Intellectuals on Britain and Europe Conference, Northumbria
- Raymond Williams Society Conference, Manchester
- Writing Refugees Symposium, Brighton

#### **Publications**

• Monograph - Eating Otherwise: The Philosophy of Food in Twentieth Century Literature

- Article by Ricarda Menn Unpicked and Remade: Creative Imperatives in John Burnside's Autofictions
- Edited Book Memory Frictions in Contemporary Literature
- Edited Book Writing the Field Recording: Sound, Word, Environment

## Other

• (Fixed Term) Lecturer in 20th or 21st Century English Literature and Theory (Education and Scholarship) at Exeter

Best,

Caroline