THE DEPARTMENT OF RELIGIOUS STUDIES PRESENTS

RELIGION AND THE OTHER

GRADUATE CONFERENCE
MARCH 18-19, 2016

KEYNOTE: MAR 19

RE-MYTHOLOGIZING SHANGRI-LA:
IMAGINATION, BELIEF, & RELIGIOUS OTHERING IN THE STUDY OF TIBETAN FOLKLORE
ERIC MORTENSEN, GUILFORD COLLEGE

KICKOFF: MAR 18
CO-HOSTED BY DEPT. OF PHILOSOPHY

BLACK BODIES THAT MATTER
RACE, RELIGION, AND THE MONSTROUS OTHER
JOE WINTERS, DUKE UNIVERSITY

COMPLIMENTARY DINNER WILL BE SERVED

ABSTRACTS DUE:
January 4, 2016

CALL FOR PAPERS:
We invite students in all areas of the humanities and social sciences to join us as we critically explore the boundaries of “mainstream” and “marginal” religion.

This interdisciplinary forum will allow students to confront ideas of identity, diversity, and normativity, as well as question the presence of those items historically and modernly.

Submit 250-word abstracts online: religiousstudies.uncc.edu/about-us/graduate-conference

TRAVEL AWARDS:
We have a limited amount of funds for travel awards. To be considered, submit a 1000-word proposal with your abstract by Jan. 4.