

The History Department presents

# RURAL HISTORY ROUNDTABLE: FALL 2013 SERIES

## Jodey Nurse

'Exhibiting Great Taste and Skill':  
Women's Work at Fall Fairs in Ontario, 1846-1980.'

**THURSDAY OCT 17, 7-8<sup>PM</sup>**

Guelph Public Library, Programming Room, 2nd floor

Jointly sponsored by the Rural History Roundtable and the Guelph Public Library

Jodey Nurse is Ph.D. Candidate and Co-coordinator of the Rural History Roundtable Series at the University of Guelph. Her current research examines women's participation in county and township agricultural societies and fairs.

## Alice J. Hovorka

"The Lives of Women and Chickens in Botswana:  
Intersections, Hierarchies, and Everyday Lives"

**THURSDAY OCT 31, 2:30-4:30<sup>PM</sup>**

Room: MacKinnon Building, Room 308,  
University of Guelph

Dr. Alice J. Hovorka is an Associate Professor of Geography at the University of Guelph. Her research focuses on contemporary human-environment relations in Southern Africa and features animals as central actors in human affairs.

## Sean Graham

"A Thousand Miles from the City:  
Early National Radio and Rural Canada"

**Thursday 14 November, 2:30-4:30<sup>PM</sup>**

Room: MacKinnon Building, Room 132,  
University of Guelph

Sean Graham is a PhD Candidate in history at the University of Ottawa studying the early years of the CBC. He also hosts the History Slam

## Bruce Muirhead

"Dairy Supply Management:  
History, Challenges and Opportunities for a Resilient and Sustainable System"

**FRIDAY 22 NOV, 1:30 - 3:30<sup>PM</sup>**

Room: Florence Partridge Room, McLaughlin Library, 3rd Floor,  
University of Guelph

Dr. Bruce Muirhead is Associate Vice President, External Research, and a Professor in the Department of History at the University of Waterloo. He has written extensively on Canadian trade negotiations since the Second World War, as well as Canadian politics, diplomacy and economic development. His most recent work, which was funded by the Norwegian Research Council, focuses on the evolution of Canadian agricultural policy, especially dairy supply management.



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