

**Thirty-Sixth Symposium**  
**on**  
**Old English, Middle English and Historical Linguistics**  
**in the Low Countries**  
**Leiden, Friday 19 December 2014**

Venue: Lipsius Building, Cleveringaplaats 1, room 228

Programme

- 10.30 – 10.55 Reception with coffee
- 10.55 – 11.00 Welcome
- 11.00 – 11.30 Marcelle Cole (Universiteit Utrecht)  
“Where Did THEY Come from? A Native Origin for THEY, THEIR, THEM”
- 11.30 – 12.00 Robert Cloutier (Universiteit van Amsterdam)  
“Language Contact and Morphological Productivity: The Celtic Influence on the Old English *beon on V-unge* Construction Re-evaluated”
- 12.00 – 12.30 Miriam Adan-Jones (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam)  
“*Novus Christo populus*: Ethnic Election and the Anglo-Saxon Missions”
- Lunch break
- 13.45 – 14.15 Luisella Caon (Universiteit Leiden)  
“*A Tretys of Goostely Batayle*: One Scribe Facing More Middle English Dialects”
- 14.15 – 14.45 Hiske Feenstra, Floor Kuiper, and Nadine Kuipers (Rijksuniversiteit Groningen)  
“Sharing Skelton: The Virtual Success of a Student Project”
- 14.45 – 15.15 Ilona Paulis (Radboud Universiteit Nijmegen)  
“Metrical Emphasis in the Junius 11 Poems”
- Tea break
- 15.40 – 16.10 Peter Petré (Université de Lille 3 & Universiteit Gent)  
“What Grammar Reveals about Sex and Death: Interdisciplinary Applications of Corpus-Based Linguistics.”
- Guest speaker**
- 16.10 – 16.55 [Susan Irvine](#) (University College London)  
“The Formal Instability of the Old English Boethius”
- 16.55 – 17.00 Conclusion. Drinks afterwards in the English Pub and, optionally, joint dinner in a restaurant near the station. (Continued next page)

Attendance is free, but do let us know whether you will attend by sending an e-mail to [r.h.bremmer@hum.leidenuniv.nl](mailto:r.h.bremmer@hum.leidenuniv.nl) or [m.h.porck@hum.leidenuniv.nl](mailto:m.h.porck@hum.leidenuniv.nl)