

## NEWS

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*1. Academic Events*

- Seminar entitled: *Dona: aspectes jurídics de gènere en el dret de l'antiguitat* held at the UB Faculty of Law on March 10 2014, organised by the UB TransJus Research Institute with the support of the Institute for Research on Medieval Cultures (IRCVM).
- 11<sup>th</sup> Seminar on Medieval Cultures entitled: *Fronteres, cruïlles, territoris fronterers... vers una nova definició de l'Europa medieval*, held at the UB Faculty of Geography and History on March 6-7 2014, organised by the IRCVM.
- Abrils a l'Hospital 2014: Doctoral and Master Seminar entitled: *Pràctiques i institucions d'assistència a l'Edat Mitjana i Moderna*. This seminar was held at the UB Faculty of Geography and History on April 25 2014, and organised by the IRCVM.
- Participation of the IRCVM in the BCN Lab monthly meeting, a platform promoted by the Direcció de Creativitat i Innovació of the Institut de Cultura de Barcelona and designed to encourage creativity at the city. This meeting was held at the Dhub Building on September 18 2014. A project was presented by the IRCVM at this forum.
- Presentation of the monograph of the Anuario de Estudios Medievales devoted to the *Espacios de espiritualidad femenina en la Europa Medieval. Una mirada interdisciplinar*, which presents different approaches to the CLAUSTRAL project coordinated by Prof. Blanca Garí. The presentation was held at the Monastery of Pedralbes on October 3 2014.
- CURA SUI. 1<sup>st</sup> Seminar on Spirituality and Monasticism in the Middle Ages. It was organised by the Institut Universitari de Cultura (UPF), the Monastery of Santa Maria de Pedralbes and the IRCVM. The seminar was held at the Monastery of Pedralbes on October 3 2014.
- 12<sup>th</sup> Seminar on Medieval Cultures entitled: *Contes de Fades. KE NE SUNT PAS DE TUT VERAIS. Narrar la ficció en llengua vulgar*. It was held at the Aula Capella of the UB Faculty of Philology on October 17 2014. Opening ceremony of the 2014-15 Master in Medieval Cultures, and presentation of the PhD programme in Medieval Cultures. This event was organised by the IRCVM.
- 13<sup>th</sup> Doctoral Seminars organised by the Seminari d'Estudis Medievals of the Departament de Ciències Històriques, Institució Milà i Fontanals (CSIC, Barcelona), with the support of the IRCVM, the Master in Medieval Cultures and Ardit. These seminars were held from October to December 2014.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Ardit Interdisciplinary Research Networking, for members, friends, and master and PhD students. It was held at the Faculty of Geography and History on November 21 2014. For more information please visit <http://arditculturesmedievales.weebly.com/>



- EPIMED (Estudis d'Epigrafia Medieval) meeting held at Madrid on December 11-12 2014. This meeting was organised with the collaboration of the Centre d'Études Supérieures de Civilisation Médiévale (CESCM), Poitiers, Casa de Velázquez, Madrid and the IRCVM, Barcelona.

## 2. Publications

- TURULL RUBINAT, Max, 2014. *La descoberta del dret romà a l'Occident medieval / The Discovery of Roman Law in the Medieval West*. Barcelona, IRCVM / PUB (Lliçons/Lessons, 5).
- SVMMA. Revista de Cultures Medievales. Spring 2014, 3. <http://revistes.ub.edu/index.php/SVMMA>

## 3. Forthcoming Events

- *Medievalistes en Bloc*, administered by the IRCVM and hosted by Sapiens.cat, will soon celebrate its 2<sup>nd</sup> anniversary. <http://blogs.sapiens.cat/medievalistesenbloc/2014/10/21/llegir-no-es-tan-facil/>
- *4th Els Abrils a l'Hospital*. For the fourth consecutive year, this meeting will be held on April 2015, this time at Girona. The final program is to be announced, and will be coordinated by Isabel Juan Casademont.
- The 13<sup>th</sup> Seminar on Medieval Cultures will be held by the end of April 2015, and will have the title: *Jueves i musulmanes a la Catalunya Medieval*. Keynote speakers Dolors Bramon and Meritxell Blasco have been confirmed.
- The 2<sup>nd</sup> ARDIT Medieval International Congress entitled: *Sense and Sensuality in the Middle Ages*, will be held at Barcelona on May 20-22 2015. For more information please visit <http://arditculturesmedievales.weebly.com/> or email [arditcongress2015@gmail.com](mailto:arditcongress2015@gmail.com)