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The following seminars will be held at 47 Banbury Road, on Mondays at 2.15pm  
Coffee will be available from 2.00pm

*All are welcome*

**‘Disciplinary Approaches to the History of Medicine’**

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| Week 1<br>10 October  | <b>Chris Low</b> , <i>African Studies, University of Oxford</i><br>Medicine of KhoeSan Hunters and Herders of Southern Africa: From Ancient Rock Art to Windhoek Townships – via the British Library  |
| Week 2<br>17 October  | <b>Sonia Bhalotra</b> , <i>Economics, University of Bristol</i><br>Shadows of the <i>Captain of the Men of Death</i> : Long-Run Impacts of Early Life Pneumonia Exposure  |
| Week 3<br>24 October  | <b>Christopher Davis</b> , <i>Economics, University of Oxford</i><br>Economics and History of Medicine in the USSR: Morbidity, Health Inequalities, Performance of Hospitals, and Mortality   |
| Week 4<br>31 October  | <b>Olivia Smith</b> , <i>English, University of Oxford</i><br>“The sober detachment of the medical scientist”: Re-reading John Locke's writing  |
| Week 5<br>7 November  | <b>Tania Sengupta</b> , <i>Architecture, University College London</i><br>Intersections: health, well-being and spatial cultures in small town India, nineteenth century  |
| Week 6<br>14 November | <b>Jacomien Prins</b> , <i>Philosophy and Musicology, University of Oxford</i><br>Healing, Health, and Harmony in Marsilio Ficino's <i>Timaeus</i> Commentary   |
| Week 7<br>21 November | <b>Ceri Boston</b> , <i>Archeology, University of Oxford and</i><br><b>Catherine Sinnott</b> , <i>Archeology and Forensic Institute, Cranfield University</i><br>Osteological Analysis of the Skeletons of Late Georgian Seamen and Marines |
| Week 8<br>28 November | <b>Jonathan Lamb</b> , <i>English, Vanderbilt University</i><br>Scurvy, Nostalgia and Reverie: The Literary Value of Low Ascorbate Levels   |

**Convener: Dr Erica Charters**

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