

The Mythopoeic Society's Online Midwinter Seminar #1
The Inklings and Horror: Fantasy's Dark Corners
SCHEDULE IN BRIEF for Feb. 4-5, 2022—N.B.: All papers will be recorded

6:00p	Feb. 4: Opening Ceremonies ; Games x 2; Bardic Circle and Optional Thread-Craft Share (1-2 hours) Welcome/Bardic Zoom Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89197520644 ; Gaming: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88198330741					
8:30a	Feb. 5: Coffee Half-hour; NOTE Purple and Gold Links stay the same all day—they're each one long meeting, to Zoom.					
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	Zoom Link Purple:	https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81244433474		Zoom Link Gold:	https://us06web.zoom.us/j/8864398525	
9:00	Purple Panel #1 Monica Sanz 50 mins. Host: D. Fitzsimmons Tech Mod: Jessica Dickinson Goodman	"Tolkien as a Folk Horror Author"	<i>Tolkien</i>	Gold Panel #1 AJ Prufrock 40 mins. Host: Jolie Hicks TechMod: C. Rottler	"The Overlooked Vampire: Might MacDonald's <i>Lilith</i> be Repopularized?"	<i>MacDonald</i>
10:00 to 10:30	Purple Panel #2 Mark Brians 20 mins. Host: Jolie Hicks TechMod: Jessica Dickinson Goodman	"Adoring the Head of Alcasan: Posthuman Horror and Anticipatory Corpse in Lewis's <i>That Hideous Strength</i> "	<i>Lewis</i>	Gold Panel #2 Franz Klug 25-30 mins. Host: D. Fitzsimmons TechMod: C. Rottler	"White Shadows, Black Riders and Restless Wights: Undead Horror Monsters in the Fantasy Worlds of J.R.R. Tolkien and George R.R. Martin"	<i>Tolkien/Martin</i>
10:30	Break!					
11:00	Purple Panel #3 Eric Rauscher 20 mins. AND Camilo Peralta 20 mins. Host: P. Fitzsimmons Tech Mod: Tim Lenz	"Charles Williams' P'o-L'u - the Cthulhu Connection" AND "Delight in Horror": Charles Williams and Russell Kirk on Hell and the Supernatural"	<i>Williams</i> AND <i>Williams/Kirk</i>	Gold Panel #3 Sara Brown 20 mins AND Kristine Larsen 20 mins. Host: Nolan Meditz TechMod: Leslie Donovan	"Monstrous Feminine, Deviant Mother: Tolkien's Shelob + Grotesque Maternal" AND "Coffin Births, Eclipse Babies, and Test-tube Wombs: Unnatural Birth in the World of A. Sapkowski's Witcher Series"	<i>Tolkien/Shelob</i> AND <i>Sapkowski</i>

12:00	LUNCH with Optional CosPlay—Come Dressed/Masked as a Character or Monster Recipe Exchange: “How Do You Prepare Your Lembas?” and “What are you Eating and How Does it Relate to LOTR?”					
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1:30	Purple Panel #4 Jessica Dickinson Goodman AND Dr. Caitlin Rottler 40 mins. Host: Jeremy Evert TechMod: L. Donovan	“Environmental Horror and Restoration: Tolkien and Today”	<i>Tolkien</i>	Gold Panel #4 Julia Bowers 45 mins. Host: Marc DiPaolo TechMod: Tim Lenz	“Nature and Horror in Tolkien’s Legendarium”	<i>Tolkien</i>
2:30	Purple Panel #5 William Thompson 20 mins. Host: Denise Landrum- Geyer Tech Mod: Ben Dressler	“The Story, the Narrator and the Reader: Mediated Horror in C.S. Lewis’s Narniad”	<i>Lewis</i>	Gold Panel #5 Elise McKenna Host: Marc DiPaolo TechMod: Alicia Fox Lenz	“‘Shivering Trees’: Horror Monstrosity in Selected Stories from Tolkien’s <i>The Silmarillion</i> ”	<i>Tolkien</i>
3:00	Break!			Break!		
3:30	Purple Panel #6 Tom Ue/James Munday 50 mins. Host: Jeremy Evert TechMod: Ben Dressler	“Tolkien, Cline, and the Quest for a Silmaril”	<i>Tolkien/ Cline</i>	Gold Panel #6 Michael Torregrossa: Host: Nolan Meditz TechMod: Alicia Fox Lenz	“Who’s His Daddy? Approaches to Merlin’s Father in Children’s and YA Media”	<i>Arthurian</i>
4:30	Closing Ceremonies on the Purple Zoom Link					

All Times in Central Standard Time: 12 sessions, 14 presentations, 16 presenters

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