

Nobel Symposium (NS 187)

Literary Judgment and the Fora of Criticism

Programme 6–10 June 2023

Venue: Royal Swedish Academy of Engineering Sciences (IVA), Grev Turegatan 16, Stockholm

Accommodation: Hotel Kung Carl, Birger Jarlsgatan 21, Stockholm (5-minute walk to venue)

Papers: Approx. 20 minutes each followed by collective discussions at the end of the session. The conference will be streamlined on YouTube and also made available via link.

6 June

Arrival date

19:00– Reception and refreshments at Hotel Kung Carl

7 June

10–12
Open Session Conference opens: Introduction and welcome
Sandra Richter, Mats Jansson

First session: *Criticism, globalism, and language(s)*
Papers by: **Xu Xi, B. Venkat Mani, Ronya Othmann**
Moderator: Ástráður Eysteinnsson

12–13 Lunch IVA Banquet Hall

13–15
Second Session: *Criticism, public spheres, and the literary institution*
Papers by: **Zoltán Kulcsár-Szabó, Lionel Ruffel, Magnus William-Olsson**
Moderator: Mats Jansson

15–15:30 Coffee break

19– Dinner IVA Banquet Hall

8 June

9–11
Third Session: *Criticism, readers, and reading*
Papers by: **James English, Laura McGrath, Mark McGurl**
Moderator: Rita Felski

11–11:30 Coffee break

- 11:30–13 Fourth Session: *Critical readings: contemporary perspectives*
Papers by: **Amit Chaudhuri, Christopher Odhiambo Joseph, Florencia Garramuño**
Moderator: Sandra Richter
- 13–14 Lunch IVA Banquet Hall
- 15–16 Privately guided tour of Nationalmuseum (The National Museum of Art, 15-minute walk from venue)
- Evening at your own disposal

9 June

Open sessions

- 10–12 Fifth Session: *The art of criticism; criticism as art*
Papers by: **Camille Laurens, Juan Gabriel Vásquez, Daniel Kehlmann, Zeruya Shalev**
Moderator: Gisèle Sapiro
- 12–13 Lunch IVA Banquet Hall
- 13–15 Sixth Session: *Critics on criticism*
Papers by: **Adam Soboczynski, Irina Prokhorova, Rebecka Kärde**
Moderator: Ástráður Eysteinnsson
- 15–15:30 Coffee break
- 15:30–17:30 Seventh Session: *Criticism: judgments, values, and canon*
Papers by: **Galin Tihanov, Phillipa Chong, Richard Jacquemond**
Moderator: Rita Felski
- Conference ends: Concluding remarks
Mats Jansson
- 19.30– Concluding dinner IVA Banquet Hall

10 June

Departure date

