

## **Skepsi Conferences and Keynote Speakers<sup>1</sup>**

### *Graft and Transplant, Identities in Question*

24 May 2008, University of Kent, Canterbury

### *Ambiguities: Destabilising Preconceptions*

22–23 May 2009, University of Kent, Canterbury

### *Pleasure in the Text; Pleasure of the Text*

17 April 2010, University of Kent, Reid Hall, Paris

### *Log In. Making Sense of Social Networks*

27 May 2011, University of Kent, Canterbury

### *Don't Panic. The Apocalypse in Theory and Culture*

25–26 May 2012, University of Kent, Canterbury

Keynote: Professor Ivan Callus, University of Malta, 'Neandertal'

### *Ghosts in the Flesh*

24–25 May 2013, University of Kent, Canterbury

Keynote: Professor Esther Peeren, University of Amsterdam, 'Fleshing out the Spectral Metaphor'

### *The Secret in Contemporary Theory, Society, and Culture*

30 May 2014, University of Kent, Canterbury

Keynote: Professor David Vincent, Open University, 'Prying and Privacy in the Nineteenth Century'

### *Disgust*

29–30 May 2015, University of Kent, Canterbury

Keynote: Professor Roger Giner-Sorolla (Kent) 'Disgust is Unreasoning for a Reason.'

### *Borders*

27 May 2016, University of Kent, Canterbury

Keynote: Professor Glenn Bowman, University of Kent, 'Identity Against: Border Formation and Perceived Antagonisms'

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<sup>1</sup> There were no Keynote Speakers for the first four conferences.

***Time to Remember – Anniversaries, Celebration and Commemoration***

26 May 2017, University of Kent, Canterbury

Keynote: Professor Julian Wolfreys, University of Portsmouth. ‘The *ēthos* of Dwelling: The  
Memory of Castorp’

***Wandering and Home***

25 May 2018, University of Kent, Canterbury

Keynote: Professor Rachel Bowlby (University College London & Princeton University),  
‘Not at home — Some Wandering Subjects in Austen, Perec and Elsewhere’