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READING LIST

Course Title: Witch Hunts in Europe
Location: Ewert House, Oxford
Term Dates: 30 Sep 2025 to 28 Oct 2025
Tutor: Victoria Burns-Price

The reading list below was supplied by the course tutor.

If you have enrolled on a course starting in the autumn, you can become a borrowing member of the Rewley House library from 1st September. If you are enrolled on a course starting in other terms, you can become a borrowing member once the previous term has ended. For example, students starting in January can join the Library in early December and those starting in April can join in early March.

If you are planning to purchase any books, please keep in mind that courses with insufficient students enrolled will be cancelled. The Department accepts no responsibility for books bought in anticipation of a course running.

Preparatory Reading List

The items on this list are to give you some background to the materials and ideas that we will be covering on the course.

Author	Title
Ankarloo, Bengt, and Clark, Stuart	<i>Witchcraft and Magic in Europe: The Middle Ages</i>
Kieckhefer, Richard	<i>European Witch Trials: Their Foundations in Popular and Learned Culture, 1300-1500</i>
Levack, Brian P.	<i>The Witch Hunt in Early Modern Europe</i>
Scarre and Callow	<i>Witchcraft and Magic in Sixteenth- and Seventeenth-century Europe</i>

Course Reading List

The items on this list are to support your learning while you are taking the course.

Author	Title
Bailey, Michael	<i>Battling Demons: Witchcraft, Heresy, and Reform in the Late Middle Ages</i>

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Broedel, Hans	<i>The Malleus Maleficarum and the Construction of Witchcraft: Theology and Popular Belief</i>
Cameron, Euan	<i>Enchanted Europe: Superstition, Reason, and Religion 1250-1750</i>
Clarke, Stuart	<i>Thinking with Demons: The Idea of Witchcraft in Early Modern Europe</i>
Cohn, Norman	<i>Europe's Inner Demons: The Demonization of Christians in Medieval Christendom</i>
Davies, Owen, and de Blécourt, Willem	<i>Beyond the Witch Trials: Witchcraft and Magic in Enlightenment Europe</i>
Deane, Jennifer Kolpacoff	<i>A History of Medieval Heresy and Inquisition</i>
Hill, Derek	<i>Inquisition in the Fourteenth Century: The Manuals of Bernard Gui and Nicholas Eymeric</i>
Kieckhefer, Richard	<i>Magic in the Middle Ages</i>
Klaassen, Frank	<i>The Transformations of Magic: Illicit Learned Magic in the Later Middle Ages and Renaissance</i>
Kors, Alan Charles, and Edward Peters	<i>Witchcraft in Europe, 400 - 1700: A Documentary History</i>
Mackay, C.	<i>The Hammer of Witches: A Complete Translation of the Malleus Maleficarum</i>
Maxwell-Stuart, P. G.	<i>The Occult in Medieval Europe, 500-1500</i>
Parish, Helen	<i>Superstition and Magic in Early Modern Europe: A Reader</i>
Peters, Edward	<i>The Magician, The Witch and The Law</i>
Russell, Jeffrey Burton	<i>A History of Witchcraft: Sorcerers, Heretics and Pagans</i>
Shinners, John	<i>Medieval Popular Religion 1000 - 1500: A Reader</i>