***Romantic Spain* – conference programme**

Following the exhibition *La España romántica: David Roberts y Genaro Pérez Villaamil* (Real Academia de Bellas Artes de San Fernando, CEEH, Oct. 2021- Jan. 2022), this two-day online event will further explore the prolific production of images of Spanish landscapes, monuments, and people by these two artists and their contemporaries. Adopting a cross-cultural perspective, international academics and curators will situate their work within the wider context of national identity formation and a romanticised image that still colours our perceptions of Spain today. The speakers will present their papers in either Spanish or English (as indicated in the programme).

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For details on the *La España romántica* exhibition, please see [here](https://www.ceeh.es/en/exposiciones/la-espana-romantica-david-roberts-y-genaro-perez-villaamil/) .

**24 February 2022, Romantic Spain, Day 1**

16.00-16.30

Claudia Hopkins (Durham University)

Introduction, video of the exhibition *Romantic Spain: David Roberts and Genaro Pérez Villaamil*, followed by Q &A.

16.30-17.00

Martin Sorowka (Universidad de Sevilla)

*Delacroix to Dauzats. Seeing Seville through the eyes of European Artists, 1832-1837*

(in English)

17.00-17.30

Antonio Gámiz Gordo (Universidad de Sevilla)

*Imágenes de la Mezquita-Catedral de Córdoba en el siglo XIX* (in Spanish)

17.30-18.00

Questions / discussion (in English & Spanish)

**25 February 2022, Romantic Spain, Day 2**

14.00-14.30

Matilde Mateo (Syracuse University)

*The Soul of the Nation: Historicism, Architecture, and National Identity in the*España artística y monumental*(in English)*

14.30-15.00

Carlos Sánchez Díez (Museo Lázaro Galdiano)

*Villaamil / Lucas: amistad y arte en el Romanticismo español* (in Spanish)

15.00-15.30

Questions / discussion

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16.00-16.30

Javier Ortiz-Echagüe (Universidad Rey Juan Carlos), *Lo viejo y lo nuevo. Charles Clifford en el Madrid de Isabel II* (in Spanish)

16.30-17.00

Questions and Concluding Remarks

To register and to receive a zoom link, please click [here](https://forms.office.com/pages/responsepage.aspx?id=i9hQcmhLKUW-RNWaLYpvlNMF-qNhnXNCmAShgOHLsKdUNjk5UElKRUhDMEhRMFJNOENGSVhVTURYUC4u).