FALL 2013 EVENTS

Friday, October 11  2:30 PM - 4:30 PM
ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT ROUNDTABLE

Please join us for a discussion with recent alumni about the various ways in which they are putting their PhD to use.

Speakers include:
- **Bonnie Nadzam** (novelist, winner of the Flaherty-Dunnan First Novel Prize, long-listed for the Orange Prize in Fiction)
- **Ruth Blandon**, Professor of English, East Los Angeles College
- **Shayna Kessel**, Assistant Dean USC;
- **Matt Carillo-Vincent**, English Teacher, Alverno High School
- **Richard Fliegel**, Associate Dean, USC

Wednesday, October 16     10:00 AM - 11:30 PM  Lecture     3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**Gordon Hunter**, Editor of American Literary History
Workshop on publishing journal articles.

Friday, November 8   2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
FINISHING THE DISSERTATION ROUNDTABLE

Please join us for a discussion with recent alumni about

**HOW TO FINISH THE DISSERTATION**

Speakers include:
- Michael Robinson (Lit)  
- Stephen Park (Lit)  
- Cody Todd (CW)  
- Bryan Hurt (CW)

Friday, December 6   All day
FIRST CHAPTER SYMPOSIUM

Come hear conference-style presentations of your classmates’ dissertation work.

Participants include:
- Stephen Pasqualina
- Amanda Weldy Boyd
- Chris Muniz
- Lauren Elmore
- Terry Winningham
- Merve Aktar
- Patti Nelson
- Chris Belcher
- Rob Rabiee
- Sam Carrick

All events will be held in The Richard S. Ide Commons Room (THH 420)
For questions, email Emily Anderson, Placement Director - ehanders@usc.edu