

## Research Profile of Dr Liam Chambers

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### Academic Qualifications

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1994	B.A. (hons) in History and Philosophy
1996	M.A. in History
2002	Ph.D. in History

### Academic Posts and Roles of Responsibility

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#### *Academic posts*

2000	Assistant Lecturer / Lecturer
2010	Senior Lecturer & Head of Department

#### *Roles of responsibility*

### Research Interests

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#### Current Research Projects

I work on eighteenth century Irish history, the history of Irish migration to continental Europe in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries and the history of ideas. I am currently researching the history of Irish colleges, students and clergy in Paris from the late sixteenth to the late twentieth centuries. I am also working on aspects of the history of Irish Catholic politics in the mid- and late eighteenth century and the history of Irish travel to eighteenth century Spa.

## Publications

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*Irish Historical Studies*, vol. xxxviii, no. 149 (May 2012), Special Issue on 'Power, the State and Institutions in Ireland'. Eds, Ciara Breathnach, Liam Chambers and Anthony McElligott.

Anthony McElligott, Liam Chambers, Ciara Breathnach and Catherine Lawless (eds), *Power in History: From Medieval Ireland to the Post-Modern World* (Historical Studies XXVII) (Dublin: Irish Academic Press, 2011).

'Paul Cullen and the Irish College, Paris' in Dáire Keogh and Albert McDonnell (eds), *Paul Cullen and His World* (Dublin: Four Courts Press, 2011), pp 358-76.

'Miracles and Medicine in the Late Seventeenth Century: Bernard Connor's *Evangelium Medici* (1697)' in Fiona Clark (ed.), *Ireland and Medicine in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries* (Aldershot: Ashgate, 2010), pp 53-72.

(with John Bergin) 'The Library of Denis Molony (1650-1726), An Irish Catholic Lawyer in London' in *Analecta Hibernica*, vol. 41 (2009), pp 83-132.

## Conference Papers

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'Loyalty, toleration and the Irish Catholic community, 1745-1766' at Catholic Loyalty in Britain and Ireland, 1660-1900, Trinity College Dublin, 28-29 September 2012.

'The Irish travellers to Spa II' at Spa, Carrefour de l'Europe des Lumières. Les hôtes de la cite thermal au 18e siècle / Spa, crossroads of the European Enlightenment. The visitors to the city in the 18<sup>th</sup> century, Centre Culturel de Spa, Spa, Belgium, 25-26 September 2012

'The Irish College, Paris, 1858-1939: Students, Survival and the State', Seminar in Irish History, Hertford College, Oxford University, 2 November 2011.

'Patrick Boyle, the Irish Colleges and the Historiography of Irish Catholicism' at Ecclesiastical History Society, Summer Conference 2011: The Church on its Past Christ Church College, University of Oxford, 17-20 August 2011

'Creating a Clerical Elite: The Students of the Irish College, Paris, 1832-1939' at Irish Elites in the Nineteenth Century, Conference of the Society for the Study of Nineteenth Century Ireland, Institute of Irish Studies, University of Liverpool, 30 June-1 July 2011.