

**ELTE-CEMS: Centre for Early Modern Studies Research Group
(Kora Újkori Kultúra Kutatócsoport, ELTE)**

Host Institution:

School of English and American Studies
Eötvös Loránd University, Faculty of Humanities
Doctoral School of Literary Studies,
Medieval and Early Modern English Literature and Culture Doctoral Program

The research group includes young and established scholars as well as doctoral students focusing mainly on early modern English culture, literature, history, and iconography. Besides philological and archival work, the research group aims to examine various theoretical aspects of the above mentioned fields, and conduct research in an interdisciplinary manner, with special regard to networks and interrelations between various cultural layers, nations, and media. The research interests of the group are varied and encompass numerous different phenomena, which are studied with relevance to the members' specific fields. The main purpose of the group is to initiate a dialogue between not only the members but also the scientific fields represented.

The research group aims to achieve the following:

- self-education: consultation, discussion and translation of relevant material, in workshops organized on a regular basis, also inviting experts of a given topic on certain occasions
- organizing doctoral (PhD) courses
- providing a professional informal forum for academics
- providing professional support (on behalf members and external experts alike)
- individual and group research
- organising lectures open to both university members and non-professionals (dissemination of scientific information)
- organising conferences
- preparing and editing publications

The research topics of the founding members vary, which is beneficial for the realization of our goals. We would like to expand the profile of the research team with new members in the future. We are primarily inviting PhD students and young researchers, but we also welcome BA and MA students in our group who are engaged in a research matching our profile.