EVA KRISTINA PLESNIK

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EDUCATION

2018- 2023	PhD in Medieval Studies (in progress) Centre for Medieval Studies, University of Toronto
2017- 2018	MA in Medieval Studies Centre for Medieval Studies, University of Toronto
2017	Level Two Latin Summer Program Centre for Medieval Studies, University of Toronto
2013- 2017	Honours BA with High Distinction University of Toronto Major in Medieval Studies, Minors in Classical Civilizations and History

LANGUAGES

Medieval and Classical Latin: CMS Level 1 (April 2016), CMS Level 2 (September 2017) Modern languages: French (CMS pass), German (CMS pass), Italian, Czech and Slovak

AWARDS & HONOURS (SELECTED)

2019	Centre for Medieval Studies Conference Grant
2018-2021	Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarship (Doctoral), SSHRC,
	Government of Canada
2018	Faculty of Arts and Science Admission Scholarship
2017-2018	Ontario Graduate Scholarship, Government of Ontario
2016	Samuel James Stubbs Award for academic achievement, University College
2016	Myrtle V. McCulloch Prize in Renaissance Studies, Victoria College
2015	Bertie Wilkinson Scholarship for the best essay on the medieval period,
	History Department
2015	W. S. Milner Prize in Greek & Roman History, University College
2014	Second place in the Frederic Davidson competition for essays on English
	literature, University College
2013	Governor General's Academic Medal, Government of Canada

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2019 "Experiorque quod pedagogis obiurgantibus pueri solent': Petrarch's literary self-fashioning as a disobedient student in the *Secretum*". *International Medieval Congress*. Leeds, July 1.

- 2019 "I shall be happy if youth and inexperience do not lead him astray': Youths and wardship relationships in the *Tales of Count Lucanor*". *LV Congreso de la Asociación Canadiense de Hispanistas*. Vancouver, June 6.
- 2019 "Quod nauclerus et remiges in navicula Petri dormitant': Images of shipwreck and antipapal discourse in the letters of Dante and Petrarch". *Laureatus in Urbe: Terzo Seminario annuale di studi petrarcheschi.* Rome, May 24.
- 2017 "Nec tibi ficta loquar, michi nam loquor': The Sin of the *Ars Carminis* in Petrarch's *Epistola Metrica* 1.6". *Medieval Studies Undergraduate Research Conference*. Toronto, January 28.

PUBLICATIONS

"Quod nauclerus et remiges in navicula Petri dormitant': Images of shipwreck and antipapal discourse in the letters of Dante and Petrarch". In *Laureatus in Urbe III: Seminario annuale di Studi petrarcheschi*, edited by Luca Marcozzi and Paolo Rigo. [Passed peer review July 2020.]

"American Dante Bibliography for 2018." *The Dante Society of America and the Società Dantesca Italiana*. Online. February 2020. https://www.dantesociety.org/sites/default/files/American%20Dante%20Bibliography%20for%202018.pdf

"Readers, readership and reading". In *International Seminar on Critical Approaches to Dante Annotated Bibliographies*, edited by Elisa Brilli. Online. February 2019. https://dante.medieval.utoronto.ca/category/iscad-annotated-bibliographies/readership/.

WORK EXPERIENCE (SELECTED)

Teaching Assistant
May – August 2020

Medieval Latin II

Centre for Medieval Studies, University of Toronto

<u>Research Assistant</u> September 2019 – present

Livres d'heures: textes et langue

Department of French, University of Toronto

Supervisor: Prof. Dorothea Kullmann

<u>Intern for the Dante International Bibliography</u>
October 2019 – January 2020

Dante Society of America & Società Dantesca Italiana

Supervisor: Prof. Elisa Brilli

Library Assistant September 2019 – April 2020

University of Toronto Library at Downsview

Research Assistant

October – December 2018

ISCAD Annotated Bibliographies

Department of Italian Studies, University of Toronto

Supervisor: Prof. Elisa Brilli

Research Assistant

May – August 2017

Department of French, University of Toronto

Supervisor: Prof. Dorothea Kullmann

CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION

Research Assistant

October 2017 – August 2018

21st International Congress of the Société Rencesvals

Supervisor: Prof. Dorothea Kullmann