



The **Department of Dutch Studies of Eötvös Loránd University Budapest**
cordially invites you to the book launch

Structures of Subjugation in Dutch Literature

by

Judit Gera

Oxford: Legenda 2016

The book will be presented by

Prof. Jane Fenoulhet (University College London)

Prof. Andrea Pető (Central European University, Budapest)

Prof. A. Agnes Sneller (Károli Gáspár University, Budapest)

Venue and time:

Department of Dutch Studies, Eötvös Loránd University

1088 Budapest, Rákóczi út 5, Room 112

22 November 2016 16.00-17.00

Judit Gera is Professor of Dutch Literature at Eötvös Loránd University Budapest. Her book examines both classic and less-known works of Dutch literature from the Middle Ages to the twenty-first century. Its starting-point is that both authors and readers are born into a network of ideologies. But how do these ideologies work, and how do they serve to legitimize various forms of subjugation? Judit Gera surveys literary representations of the Dutch colonial experience and of women's lives in male-dominated societies, showing how colonial and gender-based forms of subjugation are interrelated and often intersect.