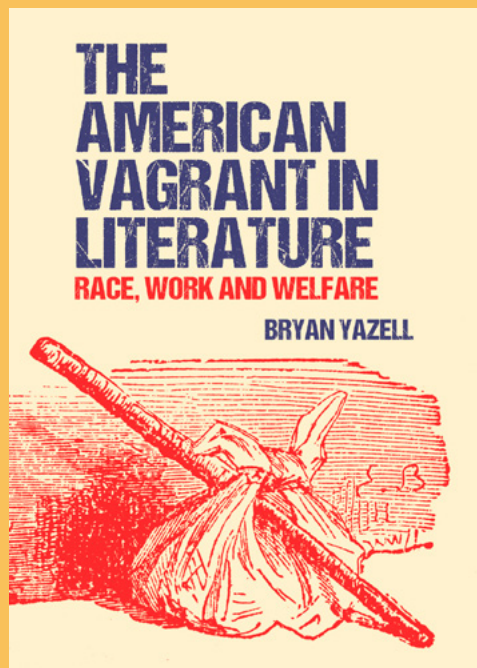


**BOOK LAUNCH**



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19 April 2023 14:00-15:30  
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# The American Vagrant in Literature: Race, Work, and Welfare

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Widespread panic once generated by 'tramps' produced interdisciplinary and international dialogue on race, work, and welfare.

In his new book, a comparative study of US and European sources in the area of literature, ethnography and policy making, Bryan Yazell (ISKHK/DIAS):

- Creates a new framework for interpreting canonical authors and texts, such as John Steinbeck, Jack London, George Orwell and more
- Refreshes conventional literary periodization by focusing on the long development of vagrancy memoir and tramp writing from late nineteenth century

At the launch, Bryan will introduce the book and refreshments will be served.

All welcome. Registration by email to [ejh@sdu.dk](mailto:ejh@sdu.dk) by April 17.

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