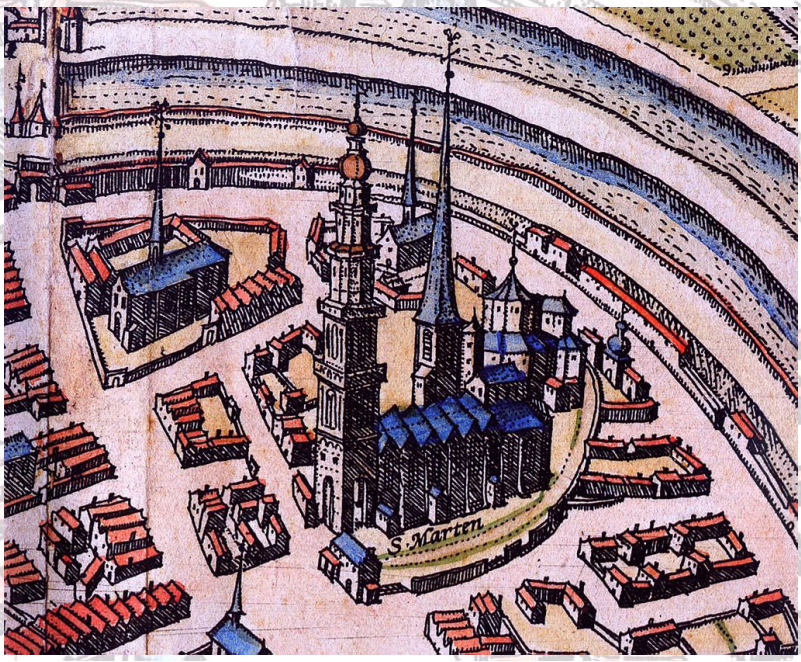
Medieval Studies Day

12 December 2025

10.30-17.00

The House of Connections (Grote Markt 21, Groningen)

The University of Groningen Library (Broerstraat 4, Groningen)



Detail of a map of Groningen from the city atlas by Georg Braun and Frans Hogenberg 1575 with e.g. Martinichurch, Fraterhuis and Sint-Walburgchurch

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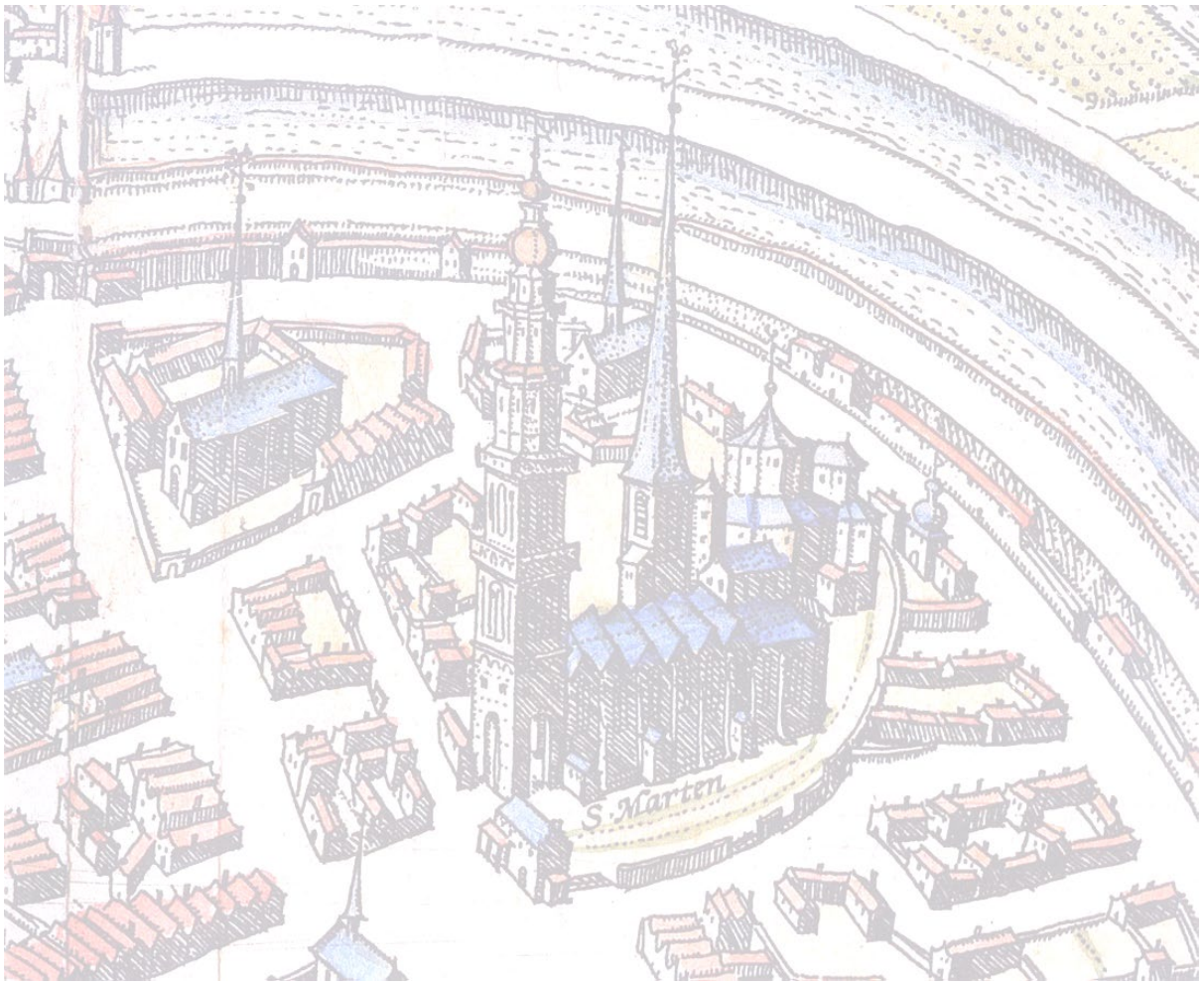
Programme

10:00 - 10.30	Coffee and tea
10:30 - 10.45	**Sabrina Corbellini**, Welcome to *Groningen, City of Books*
10:45 - 11.05	**Bart Ramakers**, The Power of Speech: Rudolph Agricola and *Mariken van Nieumeghen*
11. 05 – 11.20	**Nelleke IJssennagger-van der Pluijm**, Intercoastal dynamics: the early medieval and Viking southern North Sea area
11.20 – 11.45	Coffee and tea break
11.45 – 12.45	New research projects, with presentations by **Patrick Outhwaite** ('Lechecraft': Medical Regulation and Patient Scepticism in Late-Medieval England), **Irene O'Daly** (Libraries as Links in Learning: Making the Meaning of Manuscripts) and **Jesus Rodriguez Viejo** (Object Performance and Materiality in Norman Sicily)
12.45 – 13.45	Lunch
13.45 – 15.15	PhD presentations/workshops (parallel sessions)
15.30 – 17.00	Workshops University Library of Groningen, in collaboration with the curator of the Special Collections **Adrie van der Laan.** With presentations by **Anna Dlabacova, Willemien de Kock, Arnout Zeller and Robrecht Neyrinck**
17.00 – 17.30	Drinks

You can register before **20 November 2025** using the following link: https://forms.gle/ThgjCLaWoWeAiRK77

PhD-students are kindly invited to submit proposals for presentations (20 minutes) of ongoing research. The extended deadline for submitting proposals is **10 November 2025**. Please send your proposals to Sabrina Corbellini (s.corbellini@rug.nl)

For RMA students it is possible to earn 1 ECTS upon a written reflection on the entire programme of the Medieval Studies Day. Please contact Sabrina Corbellini (s.corbellini@rug.nl) by **1st December 2025** for more details.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