## **Sessions Open to the Public**

## PLENARIES AND LINKED SESSIONS

Presidential Plenary: Boundary Conditions (227)
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## OTHER SESSIONS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

We Can't Stop Talking about Elena Ferrante (49) Pennsylvania and Romanticism (300) The Presidential Address (422) Why Teach Literature? (470) Philadelphia Stories (527) MLA Awards Ceremony (677)

Each session at the convention has been assigned a number, roughly corresponding to the order in which the sessions occur. In these lists, the numbers in parentheses refer to the session numbers within the chronological listing in the Program (sessions 1–187 take place on Thursday, 5 Jan.; sessions 188–431 take place on Friday, 6 Jan.; sessions 432–677 take place on Saturday, 7 Jan.; and sessions 678–798 take place on Sunday, 8 Jan.).

Plenaries and special events are open to registrants and nonregistrants alike. Because of the demand for space, other sessions are not open to nonregistrants.

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