

The Mary McCarthy Society will sponsor a panel at the **American Literature Association** Annual Convention in Boston, MA, May 21-24, 2025.

Call for Papers: *New Directions in Mary McCarthy Scholarship*

With the forthcoming new UK edition of *Memories of a Catholic Girlhood* with an introduction by Colm Tóibín; Ronnie Grinberg's reconsideration of Mary McCarthy in light of Jewish masculinity and the New York intellectuals in her recent book, *Write Like a Man: Jewish Masculinity and the New York Intellectuals*; and Sabrina Fuchs Abrams' discussion of Mary McCarthy as a female satirist in *New York Women of Wit in the Twentieth Century*, this panel will look at new directions in Mary McCarthy scholarship. These include but are not limited to Mary McCarthy and Irish and/or Jewish identity; Mary McCarthy as a public intellectual; Mary McCarthy and feminism/gender studies; Mary McCarthy and satire/humor. Please send a 250- word abstract and brief bio to Sabrina.FuchsAbrams@sunyempire.edu by January 10, 2025.

The American Literature Association's 36th annual conference will meet at the Westin Copley Place in Boston on May 21-25, 2025. For information, please consult the ALA website at <https://americanliteratureassociation.org/>