FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

1:00-2:00 p.m.
REGISTRATION:
Second floor, the George Sherman Union,
755 Commonwealth Avenue

2:00 p.m.
Welcoming address by President John R. Silber,
the Conference Auditorium, Sherman Union

2:30-5:00 p.m.
PANEL DISCUSSION:
“New Documents, New Psycho-Social, and
Geographical Theories—but the Same Old Question:
What was the Renaissance?”
Moderator: Myron P. Gilmore, Harvard University
Panelists: Anthony Molho, Brown University
Richard Trexler, University of Illinois
Rudi Lindner, Tufts University

5:00-6:30 p.m.
COCKTAIL PARTY:
guests of Boston University, the Castle,
225 Bay State Road

7:00-8:30 p.m.
DINNER
the TOP OF THE CHARLES, 5th floor,
Sherman Union

8:30 p.m.
Lecture-Concert by Professor Murray Lefkowitz and the
Boston University Collegium Musicum in Early Music,
Marsh Chapel, 735 Commonwealth Avenue
“Jan van Ockeghem’s Missa Prolationum; An Early
Renaissance Masterwork”

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

9:00-11:45 a.m.
Lectures and Discussion:
The Renaissance Artist in the Context of His Time;
a Salute to the 500th Anniversaries of
Michelangelo Buonarotti and Sebastiano Serlio.
Tapestry Room, The Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum,
280 the Fenway
(twenty minutes’ walk from B.U.)
Chairman and Commentator:
Richard Trexler, University of Illinois
“Michelangelo’s Response to the Catholic Reform”
James S. Ackerman, Harvard University
“Serlio, Lomazzo, and Hugues Sambin: A Magical View”
George L. Hersey, Yale University

12:00 noon
Adjourn for Lunch

1:30-4:15 p.m.
Lectures and Discussion:
The Renaissance Author in the Context of His Time.
The Conference Auditorium, Sherman Union.
Chairman and Moderator:
Anthony Molho, Brown University
“Contest as Context; The Competitive Element
in Ariosto’s World”
Robert W. Henning, Columbia University
“France in the Sixteenth Century; Determined or Divided?”
Donald Stone, Jr., Harvard University

From 9:00 a.m. till 5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 24, New England Renaissance
Conference guests are invited to a special exhibition on “The Art of Renaissance
Printing” in the Special Collections Department, 5th floor,
Mugar Memorial Library, 771 Commonwealth Avenue.
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