Geoffrey Parker (center), Andreas Dorpalen Professor of History, takes part in a festschrift conference “Limits of Empire,” planned by several of his former students and held at the Mershon Center on February 27-28, 2009. About 35 of his former students attended.

Geoffrey Parker (center), Andreas Dorpalen Professor of History, speaks at a festschrift conference at the Mershon Center on February 27, 2009. Listening are former students Robert Frost (left) of the University of Aberdeen and Mark Choate of Brigham Young University.