

**CAMBRIDGE CLASSICS RESEARCH SEMINARS
MICHAELMAS TERM 2010**

These seminars are open to all graduates and senior members who are interested in them.
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A: LITERATURE

The Seminar meets on Wednesdays, 5.15 pm to 6.45 pm in Room 1.04, Faculty of Classics.

Greek and Latin Hymns

13 October	Ivana Petrovic (Durham University) Etymology and Allegory in the Homeric Hymns to Apollo (3) and Dionysus (7)
20 October	Miguel Herrero (Madrid) The Hymnic Theologies of Orpheus
27 October	Ian Rutherford (Reading University) All the way from Memphis: Reading the Andrian Hymn to Isis
3 November	Stephen Harrison (CCC, Oxford) Horace c. 2.19: <i>Bacchum in remotis</i>
10 November	Armand D'Angour (Jesus College, Oxford) Horace's Secular Hymn: the Musical Setting
17 November	Dirk Obbink (Christ Church, Oxford) Hymns and Papyri
24 November	Alex Hardie 'Propertius' Elegiac <i>Prosodion</i> (3.1)
1 December	Hans Bernsdorff (University of Frankfurt) Taming the Wild in Anacreon's Hymns

B: PHILOSOPHY

The B Club:

The following meetings will all take place in Room 1.11, Faculty of Classics and begin at 5.00pm. Tea from 4.30pm. All welcome.

18 October	Prof George Boys-Stones (University of Durham) 'Oikeiosis vs. Likeness to God: Ethical Foundations in 'Middle' Platonism'
8 November	Dr Michail Peramatzis (Queen's University, Belfast) 'The Primacy of Particular Substances in Aristotle's Metaphysics'
22 November	Prof Andrew Barker (Birmingham University) 'Aesthetics without ethics? Aristoxenus on musical judgement'

Thursday seminar:

We will be reading Plato *Laws* II. Meetings take place in room 1.11 in the Faculty of Classics on Thursday evenings from 14 October. Meetings begin at 5.15pm except on 28 October, 11 November and 2 December when they will begin at 6pm after the Philological Society meeting.

C: ANCIENT HISTORY

Seminars will be on Mondays at 5.15pm in Room G.21, Faculty of Classics. All welcome. Papers are followed by discussion.

'Population' in the Ancient World

11 October	Rebecca Flemming (Jesus College, Cambridge) 'Approaching "Population" in the Ancient World'
18 October	Dominic Rathbone (King's College, London) and Dorothy Thompson (Girton College, Cambridge) 'Population in Ptolemaic and Roman Egypt: do censuses make sense?'
25 October	Daniel Jew (Darwin College, Cambridge) 'Feeding populations in Greece and Rome'
1 November	<i>Alternative session at alternative time</i>
8 November	John North (University College London) 'Census and <i>religio</i> in Republican Rome'
15 November	Alessandro Launaro (Darwin College, Cambridge) 'Interpreting the Roman Republican census'
22 November	Graham Oliver (University of Liverpool) ' <i>Politique démographique</i> : did size matter for Greek polities?'
29 November	Conclusions: Aristotle, Foucault and the politics of population

D: ARCHAEOLOGY

Seminars are held on Tuesdays at 4.30 pm in Room 1.04, Faculty of Classics unless otherwise stated. All welcome.

19 October	Prof Sir John Boardman (Oxford) <i>Greeks Going East</i>
26 October	Dr Gill Shepherd (Birmingham) <i>Hybridity and Hierarchy: Greeks and Sikels in Archaic Sicily</i>
2 November	Dr Alan Greaves (Liverpool) <i>Ionian Art and Identity</i>
9 November	Dr Corinna Riva (London) <i>Exchange networks beyond urban centres across Central Italy</i>
16 November	Dr Mark Bradley (Nottingham) <i>Obesity, corpulence and emaciation in Roman Art</i>
23 November	Prof Andrea Carandini (Rome) <i>The house of Augustus on the Palatine and Roman power houses</i>
30 November	Dr Marion Boos (Darmstadt) <i>The role of tutelary deities in the Roman Republic</i>

E: PHILOLOGY AND LINGUISTICS

All meetings will be held on Wednesdays at 4.30pm in Room 1.11, Faculty of Classics.
Tea will be served at 4.00pm. All welcome!

3 November	Dr Philippa Steele Writing in Late Bronze Age Cyprus
17 November	Professor Geoffrey Khan The IE Influence on Modern Semitic Languages
1 December	Mr Georg Gerleigner Images and letters: the colourful world of painted Greek vase-inscriptions

GRADUATE INTERDISCIPLINARY SEMINAR

Fridays at 5.15pm in Room 1.11

All graduates are warmly invited to attend the Graduate Interdisciplinary Seminar series, which will be running on Friday evenings throughout the Michaelmas Term. There will be two twenty-minute papers presented each week by people working in the different classical disciplines; general discussion will follow the papers. The seminars provide an ideal forum for discussing new ideas and developing presentation skills in a relaxed, friendly and supportive environment. The seminars are always followed by drinks at the Granta and dinner, to which everyone is welcome.

PROGRAMME DETAILS TO FOLLOW

PHILOLOGICAL SOCIETY

Meetings begin at 4.30 pm, with tea at 4.00 pm, in Room G.21, Faculty of Classics unless otherwise stated.

Enquiries about the Society should be directed to 'The Cambridge Philological Society, c/o The Faculty of Classics'

Michaelmas Term 2010

28 October	Dr Patrick Finglass <i>Sophocles Teucer</i>
11 November	Prof Alan Bowman <i>New writing-tablets from Vindolanda</i>
2 December	Dr Michael Squire <i>Troy story</i>

Lent Term 2011

20 January	Dr Philippa Steele <i>Evidence for multilingualism in ancient Cyprus, from the late Bronze Age to the Hellenistic period</i>
10 February	Prof Simon Goldhill <i>A writer's things: Edward Bulwer Lytton and the archaeological gaze</i>
10 March	Prof Michael Reeve <i>The medieval transmission of Pliny's Natural History</i>

Easter Term 2011

5 May Graham Storey Room, Trinity Hall	Dr Helen Van Noorden <i>Apocalyptic between Greece and Rome</i>
19 May (AGM) Barbara White Room, Newnham College	Prof Malcolm Schofield <i>Ciceronian ethics: literary forms and argumentative stances</i>

MODERN GREEK LECTURE SERIES

These open lectures will be given at 5.00 pm on Thursdays in Room 1 of the Lecture Block, Sidgwick Avenue.

Michaelmas Term 2010

14 October	Prof Steven Bowman (University of Cincinnati) <i>The agony of Greek Jews in World War II</i>
28 October	Prof David Ricks (King's College London) <i>Cavafy and the nineties</i>
18 November	Prof Amalia Moser (University of Athens) <i>The hidden logic of Greek tense and aspect</i>
25 November	Dr Philip Carabott (King's College London) <i>State, society and the religious "other" in nineteenth-century Greece</i>

Lent Term 2011

27 January	Dr Eleni Papargyriou (King's College London) <i>Cavafy, photography and fetish</i>
17 February	Dr Renee Hirschon (St Peter's College, Oxford) <i>Creating a culture of uncertainty: the socio-cultural consequences of common Greek linguistic patterns</i>
3 March	Dr Dimitris Papanikolaou (St Cross College, Oxford) <i>In search of the lost semi-colon: Greek poetry set to music (and how to read it)</i>

Easter Term 2011

5 May	<i>The writer Panos Karnezis will read extracts from his work and answer questions</i>
12 May	Dr Spyros Economides (London School of Economics) <i>Does Greece have a foreign policy?</i>