**Laurence Seminar**

“Fiscality and Imperialism in the Middle Roman Republic”

December 11th-12th 2017

Faculty of Classics, Sidgwick Avenue, Cambridge CB39DA

Room G.21

**December 11th (9am-5.30pm)**

9-9.30: Coffee.

* 9.30-10: Welcome (M. Adamo, Cambridge).

Session 1: Expansion to Exaction: Italy and the Provinces. Part 1 (Chair: M. Adamo, Cambridge)

* 10-11: Jonathan Prag (Oxford), *Republican Auxiliaries.*
* 11-12: Toni Ñaco del Hoyo (ICREA, Girona), *Provincial Tithes and Roman Army Supply in the Second Century BC.*

12-1pm: Lunch

Session 2: Expansion to Exaction: Italy and the Provinces. Part 2 (Chair: G. Bradley, Cardiff)

* 1-2pm: James Tan (Sydney), *The Fiscality of Citizens, Latins and Allies.*
* 2-3pm: Jerôme France (Bordeaux) *A Plundering Empire? Fiscality and Imperialism in the 2nd Century BC.*

3-3.30pm: Coffee

Session 3: The view from the other side: taxpayers and communities. (Chair: R. Flemming, Cambridge)

* 3.30-4.30pm: Cristina Soraci (Catania), *To pay, or not to pay? People and taxation in the Middle Roman Republic*.
* 4.30-5.30pm: Giovanni Salmeri (Pisa), *The Power of Institutions: The Hieronian Law and Its Impact on the Sicilian Cities and Countryside.*

8pm: conference dinner (Cambridge Chop House, King’s Parade).

**December 12th (9am-3.30pm)**

9-9.30: Coffee

Session 4: Mars’s Account Books: Public or Private? Part 1 (Chair: J. Patterson, Cambridge)

* 9.30-10.30: Debbie Potter (Oxford), *Roman Policies in Gallic Northern Italy in the Middle Republic: cui bono?*
* 10.30-11.30: Sylvie Pittia (Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne), *When Romans did not win the war: reflections on some fiscal consequences of defeat in the Middle Republic.*

11.30-12: Coffee

Session 5: Mars’s Account Books: Public or Private? Part 2 (Chair: S. Piacentin, KCL)

* 12-1pm: Saskia Roselaar (Bochum), *A System of Hegemony? Rome’s Approach to Spoils of War in the Middle Republic.*

1-2pm: Lunch

* 2-3pm: Marta García-Morcillo (Roehampton), *Hasta, Praeco, Aerarium: From War Booty to Public Auctions.*

3-3.30pm: Concluding remarks (S. Piacentin, KCL).