

Edinburgh Classics Research Seminar 2009/2010

All seminars take place on Wednesdays at 5 pm in Faculty Room North, David Hume Tower (ground floor), unless otherwise stated. For further information please contact Lloyd Llewellyn-Jones (l.llewellyn-jones@ed.ac.uk) or Ursula Rothe (ursula.rothe@ed.ac.uk).

Semester 1:

Week 1 | 23rd September

7pm: CAS Meeting – DHT Faculty Room South

Prof. ELIZABETH MOIGNARD (Glasgow):

‘Homecomings and departures’

Week 2 | 30th September

Dr. SHELLEY HALES (Bristol):

‘The ghosts of Pompeii’

Week 3 | 7th October

Prof. JOHN MARINCOLA (Florida State/Edinburgh):

‘Contextualising Hellenistic historiography’

Week 4 | 14th October

Dr. ELIZABETH BARTMAN (Independent scholar):

‘Ethnicity in Roman portraiture’

Week 5 | 21st October

Dr. SCOTT SCULLION (Oxford):

‘Maenads and men’

Week 6 | 28th October

7pm: CAS Meeting – DHT Faculty Room South

Prof. JOHN MARINCOLA (Florida State/Edinburgh):

‘Plutarch and the Persian wars: myth, history and identity in Roman Greece’

Week 7 | 4th November

Dr. JON COULSTON (St Andrews):

‘Credible triumph? Presenting barbarian defeat on the pedestal reliefs of Trajan’s Column’

Week 8 | 11th November

Dr. ST JOHN SIMPSON (British Museum):

‘Ancient Iran in the British Museum: collections, displays and research’

Week 9 | 18th November

Prof. YAN SHAOXIANG (Capital Normal University, Beijing):

‘Greek and Roman history in China’

Week 10 | 25th November

Prof. CATHARINE EDWARDS (Birkbeck):

'The politics of imperial virtue'

Week 11 | 2nd December

Dr. EMMA BUCKLEY (St Andrews):

'Marlowe's *Dido, Queen of Carthage*: an Ovidian play?'

Week 12 | 9th December

7pm: CAS Meeting – DHT Conference Room

Dr. RICHARD MILES (Cambridge):

'Hannibal, Heracles and the Second Punic War'

Semester 2:

Week 1 | 13th January

7pm: CAS Meeting – DHT Faculty Room South

Prof. T.P. WISEMAN, FBA (Exeter):

'Ariadne in Ovid and Catullus'

Week 2 | 20th January

Dr. MICHAEL KULIKOWSKI (Tennessee):

'Murranus the Pannonian: civilizing the provincial barbarian'

Week 3 | 27th January

Prof. HELEN KING (Reading):

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Week 4 | 3rd February

Prof. IAN HAYNES (Newcastle):

'Recent excavations at Birdoswald on Hadrian's Wall'

Week 5 | 10th February

Dr. BRUNO CURRIE (Oxford):

'The Pindaric first person in flux'

Week 6 | 17th February

7pm: CAS Meeting – DHT Faculty Room South

Prof. LAWRENCE KEPPIE (Hunterian Museum, Glasgow):

'Searching for Trimontium on the map of Roman Scotland'

Week 7 | 24th February

Prof. STEPHEN HARRISON (Oxford):

'Some problems in Ovid's poetic career'

Week 8 | 3rd March

Dr. JASON KOENIG (St Andrews):

'Landscape and the representation of reality in Apuleius' *Metamorphoses*'

Week 9 | 10th March

Dr. IPHIGENEIA LEVENTI (University of Thessaly):

'Architectural sculpture in Athens in the time of the Peloponnesian War'

Week 10 | 17th March

Dr. RICHARD RAWLES (Edinburgh):

'Tbycus and epic'

Week 11 | 24th March

Prof. JUDITH MOSSMAN (Nottingham):

'Sophocles' *Antigone* and *Electra* and civic identity'

21st April

7pm: CAS Meeting – DHT Conference Room

Prof. C.J. TUPLIN (Liverpool):

'Marsyas meets the Great King: the mythic landscape of classical Celaenae'

5th May

Conference Room (!):

Prof. FERGUS MILLAR (Oxford):

'Jerome and Palestine'