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## **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2018**

4:00 pm-6:00 pm Registration

5:00 pm-5:30 pm Meeting of the 2017-2018 Finance Committee

5:30 pm-7:30 pm Dinner Meeting of the 2017–2018 Executive Committee

7:30 pm-9:30 pm Meeting of the 2017–2018 Board of Directors

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2018

7:00 am-8:00 am Please join members of the Women's Classical Caucus and the

Lambda Classical Caucus at a breakfast to find out more about the WCC and the LCC and their programs, in

particular new developments in mentoring (join up there) and

progress on combatting sexual harassment.

Nancy Rabinowitz and Mark Masterson, organizers

7:15 am-8:00 am Continental Breakfast for All Attendees

8:00 am-5:00 pm Registration

8:00 am-5:00 pm Exhibits and Book Displays

8:00am-10:00 am Panel One: Turn Back Time: Intentional History and Re-

presentations of the Past

Nicholas D. Cross, Queens College, City University of New York,

and Emyr Dakin, The Graduate Center, CUNY, presiding

Ch-Ch-Changes: Ritual Contexts for the Evolving Ionian

Migration Myth Nicholas D. Cross

The Rhetorical Strategies of Sophistic Orators in the Cities of

the Black Sea

Emyr Dakin

Between Tyrians, Greeks and Carthaginians: Origin and

**Purpose of the Foundation Legend of Gades** 

Pamina Fernandez Camacho, Universidad de Almeria, Spain

Reframing the Identity of an Old City: On the Bequest of

**Caius Vibius Salutaris** 

Georgios Tsolakis, Institute for the Study of the Ancient World,

New York University

The Poetics of Political Fear in Lucan's Bellum Civile

Irene Morrison-Moncure, The Graduate Center, CUNY

Paper Session A: Homeric Identities and Utterances

Lawrence Kowerski and Jason Pedicone, presiding

Performing Parody: A Reassessment of Thersites in the Iliad

Amy Lewis, University of Pennsylvania

Ethnos in the *Iliad* 

Mary Jean McNamara, The Graduate Center, CUNY

I Solemnly Swear...Or Do I?" Two 'Unsworn' Oaths,

Classical Comparanda, and Their Significance

John Marshall, The Catholic University of America

#### Paper Session B: Greek Emotions and Lived Realities

Fred Booth and Henry Bender, presiding

Megaloprepeia and Religious Dedications: Polycrates and the Gift of Rheneia to Delian Apollo

Bonnie McCutcheon, Wilson College

Cynicism in Theocritus Idyll 16: The Graces in Heat

Noah Davies Mason, The Graduate Center, CUNY

**Coded Rhetoric? Searching for the Real Lives of Hellenistic Non-elites** 

Bonnie MacLachlan, University of Western Ontario

## Paper Session C: Latin for the Imperial Millennium

Maria Marsilio and Gareth Williams, presiding

Worth Her Weight: Coupling and Eating in Petronius' Satvrica

Karen Klaiber Hersch, Temple University

Lucan's *Tres Libri:* A Reconsideration of arrangement and argument in the *Bellum Civile* 

Patrick J. Burns, New York University

The Garb of Allegory: Clothing the Abstract Feminine in Later Latin Poetry

E.V. Mulhern, Temple University

### 10:00 am-10:30 am Coffee Break and Refreshments

#### 10:30 am -1:00 pm

## Panel Two: Race and Ethnicity Syllabus Workshop for the College and High School Classroom

David Wright, Rutgers University, and Jackie Murray, University of Kentucky, presiding

Panelists: Maggie Beeler, Temple University; Dani Bostick, John Handley High School; Denise McCoskey, Miami University; Kassandra Miller, Union College; Elina Salminen, University of Michigan

### Panel Three: Gender, Class and Power in Plautine Comedy

Barbara K. Gold and Sharon L. James, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, presiding

**Sexuality and Subversion in Plautus** 

Serena S. Witzke, Wesleyan University

The Wife in Charge, the Husband Humiliated: Power Reversals in Plautus' *Casina* 

Barbara K. Gold

Amoena Stephanium: Sexuality and Independence in the Domestic Ancilla of Plautus' Stichus

Domestic Anctita of Flautus Stiena

Sharon L. James

Masculinity and Power on the Roman Stage

Anne Feltovich, Hamilton College

Matronae on Stage and in the Audience: Investigating the Reactions of Roman Wives to Plautine Comedy

Kelly McArdle, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Paper Session D: Plato and Greek Philosophy

Kathleen Durkin and Norman Sandridge, presiding

*Peritrope*, or Retorsion, Arguments from Antiphon and Socrates

David Murphy, Nightingale-Bamford School

Plato's Crito: Tragedy and Philosophical Dialogue

Thomas Falkner, McDaniel College

Grief and Consolation in Plato's Phaedo

Thomas Moody, CUNY

### Paper Session E: Roman Historical Personages and Places

Annette Baertschi, Bryn Mawr College, and T. Corey Brennan, presiding

**The Motivations of Sextus Pompeius** 

Dustin Cranford, University of Maryland, College Park

The Egadi Rostra and Roman Public Contracting

Jan DeWitt, University of Michigan

Per Flores Medio in Discrimine: the Roman Concept of a Sanctuary

William Soergel, University of Michigan

1:00 pm-2:30 pm

Luncheon: First Vice President Annette Baertschi, presiding *Ovatio* for Jane Dunlap, The George School, presented by Judith P. Hallett; *Ovatio* for Anne Smith, The Shipley School, presented by Henry Bender; *Gratulatio* to David Murphy and Mervin Dilts for their new Oxford Classical Text of Antiphon and Andocides, presented by Ann Raia

2:30 pm-5:30 pm

Panel Four: Afro-Greeks: A Panel in Honor of Emily Greenwood

Sarah Derbew, Harvard University, and Patrice Rankine, University of Richmond, presiding

"The Names that We Gave Them": Classicism and Power in 18th Century Jamaica

Margaret Williamson, Dartmouth College

**Inclusive Pedagogical Approaches: Incorporating the African Diaspora into the Classical Classroom** 

Sarah Derbew

The Problem of the Exemplar

Patrice Rankine

**Response:** Emily Greenwood, Yale University

## **Panel Five: Current Issues in Sexuality Studies in Classics:**

Where Are We Now, Where Might We Be Going?

Mark Masterson, Victoria University, Wellington, NZ, and Nancy Rabinowitz, presiding

Orestes and Pylades: Boy Friends or Boyfriends?

Nancy Rabinowitz

Three Epigrams on Sexual Assault in the Greek Anthology

Steven Smith, Hofstra University

Were Female Martyrs Transgendered?

Barbara Gold

The Benefits of Reparative Reading of Same-Sex Desire

Mark Masterson

### Paper Session F: Athenian Stagecrafters

Devondra McMillan and Victoria Pedrick, presiding

Satchmo in Macedon? Revisiting Euripides' "Exile"

Dennis Alley, Cornell University

**Charm and Sublimity: Platonius on Eupolis** 

R.J. Barnes, Bryn Mawr College

Dionysiac Dolphins and Grapes in Aristophanes' Frogs

Katharine Stevens, Rutgers University

**Subtlety and Remembrance in the Book-Culture of** 

Aristophanes' Frogs

Emmanuel Aprilakis, Rutgers University

## Paper Session G: Latin Textualities in and from the Long First Century BCE

Deborah Carter and Konstantinos P. Nikoloutsos, presiding

An Embedded Deliberative Speech at *Rhetorica ad Herennium* 4.1-10

Wesley Hanson, University of Pennsylvania

Just Kidding Around? Banter and Politeness in Varro's *De Re Rustica* 

Jonathan Hall, University of Otago, NZ

Deus Inludens...Flenti Similis: Catullus' Ariadne and Ovid's Bacchus

Sergios Paschalis, Harvard University

**Hunger Hits Home: Erysichthon in the Modern Environmental Consciousness** 

Robert Santucci, University of Michigan

### Paper Session H: Gendered Approaches to Roman Scenarios

Matthew McAuliffe and Katherine Wasdin, presiding

**S.C. De Bacchanalibus:** Viticulture, Whores and Land Grabs Mary Brown

Cinaedus Galbinatus: Cultural Perception of the Color "Green" and its Gender Associations with Pathici in Rome

Tommaso Gazzarri, Union College

Ille Tenet Speculum: Using the Mirror to Reflect Effeminacy

Nicole Nowbahar, Rutgers University

6:00pm-8:00 pm Clack Reception (Open Bar and Refreshments)

**Clack Lecture** 

**Speaking Bones: Classical Philology in Black Experimental** 

Writing

**Emily Greenwood** 

**8:00 pm Dinner:** Karin Suzadail presiding.

Ovatio for Mary Brown, presented by Maria Marsilio; Presentation by 2018 Hahn Scholarship Winner, Katrina Moore, The Graduate Center-CUNY; Presentation of the Barbara McManus Award to Henry Bender by Irene Murphy,

St. John's College High School, Regional Director for

Washington, DC

9:45 pm Classics and Social Justice Networking Meeting

Nancy Rabinowitz, organizer

## **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2017**

7:00 am-8:00 am Continental Breakfast for All Attendees

**Breakfast Meeting for Independent Scholars** 

8:00 am-12:00 pm Registration

8:00 am-5:00 pm Exhibits and Book Displays

8:00 am-10 am Panel Six: A Living Legend of Salubritas et Eruditio: Classics

in the Cheltenham Township Schools

Judith P. Hallett and Edward Sacks, The Agnes Irwin School,

presiding

Panelists: Robert Abel, MD, Thomas Jefferson University; Jane

Neide Ashcom, Princeton University Art Museum; Daniel

Bronson, Montclair University; Jane Merriam Cody, University of

Southern California; Thomas DiGiulio, Cheltenham Public

Schools; Morton Simon, Jr., Montgomery McCracken Walker and Rhoads LLP; Willard Spiegelman, Southern Methodist University

Panel Seven: Roundtable. Precipitating Change in the SCS: A

**Focus on Undergraduate Education** 

Erik Shell and Helen Cullyer, Society for Classical Studies, presiding

### **Paper Session I: Caesarian Intersections**

Karin Suzadail and John Starks, Jr., presiding

**Caesar's Historical Ambitions** 

Kurt Raaflaub, Brown University

Caesar and Transalpine Gaul

Kathryn Williams, Canisius College

Statuary Analogies and Cicero's Judgment of Caesar's Style (*Brutus* 262)

Christopher van den Berg, Amherst College

Caesar in Iraq: Interrogating Political Narratives in Ancient and Modern Contexts

Talia Chicherio, The McLean School

## Paper Session J: Bodies and Rocks in the Classical World

Michael Goyette and Krystal Kubichek, presiding

Morals and Minerals: The Didactics of Stone Lore from Pliny the Elder to Isidore of Seville

Karen Carducci, The Catholic University of America

Expectent Praemia Palmae: Modern Sports, Writing and

**Classical Allusions** 

Kenneth Sammond, Fairleigh Dickinson University

The Hoplite Aspis, Spear and Ancient Greek Combat: A Black

**Belt's Perspective** 

Leah Himmelhoch

#### 10:00 am-10:30 am Coffee Break and Launch for The Landmark Julius Caesar

## 10:30 am-1:00 pm Panel Eight: The Landmark Julius Caesar (LMJC): A New Resource for Latin Teachers and Students

Kurt Raaflaub, and Karin Suzadail, presiding

Panelists: Karin Suzadail; Robert B. Strassler, Independent Scholar, Boston; Hans-Friedrich Mueller, Union College.

## Panel Nine: Heroines Rising from the Depths of Misogyny: Women and Classical Themes in Modern Cinema

Walter Penrose, San Diego State University and Melanie Subacus, Villanova University, presiding

The Epic Amazon: Dominant on Horseback and in the Home Kenneth Tully, Villanova University

The Unwanted Gaze? Feminism and the Reception of Amazons in Wonder Woman

Walter Penrose

Clothes Make the Woman: Character Coding through Female **Costumes in Classics-Themed Adventure Films** 

Valentina DeNardis, Villanova University

Inclusive Myth-Making in the Reception of Homer's *Odyssey* Melanie Subacus

Paper Session K: Felices Qui Potuerunt Rerum Cognoscere Causas: Lucretius and Vergil

Barbara Gold and Ann Raia, presiding

Lucretius On the (Un)reliability of the Senses

Pamela Zinn, Texas Tech University

Cyrene, Her Nymphs, and the Implications of Incongruity in Vergil's Fourth Georgic

Selena Ross, Rutgers University

Multa Veterum Praecepta: Vergil's Correction of Cato's De Agri Cultura

Maya Chakravorty, Boston University

Arma virginis cano: an Allegorical Review of Vergil's Camilla

Christina Villarreal, Bryn Mawr College

Workshop following up on Panel Six: Spotlighting the Study of Classics in our Secondary Schools: How to Salute the Present by Surveying the Past

Judith P. Hallett and Edward Sacks, presiding

1:00 pm-2:30 pm

**Luncheon.** John Starks, Jr., presiding.

Ovatio for Thomas Falkner, presented by Victoria Pedrick; Ovatio for Deborah Carter, presented by Krystal Kubichek; Gratulatio for Lee Pearcy, presented by Gareth Williams.

### **Business Meeting**

2:30 pm-4:30 pm

Panel Ten: Undergraduate Research Session, co-sponsored by Eta Sigma Phi.

Katherine Panagakos, Richard Stockton College, Regional Director for Southern New Jersey and Trustee, Eta Sigma Phi, words of welcome

Thomas Falkner and Leah Himmelhoch, presiding

Seneca's Tragic Pedagogy: Philosophy through Drama.

**Mentor: Kristina Meinking** Lucy Crenshaw, Elon University

Marriage as a Rape and Death: Flower Imagery in the Homeric Hymn to Demeter. Mentors: Clare Carroll and

**Nicholas Cross** 

Allison Thorsen, Queens College

Redefining Medea's Magic and Power in Ovidian Poetry.

Mentors: Britta Ager, Colorado College, and Maria Marsilio

Caelie McRobert, Vassar College

Prudentius and his Synthesis of Pagan and Christian

Literature. Mentor: Eddie Lowry, Jr.

Mark Krause, Ripon College

## Panel Eleven: Workshop. Eos Reads: Gwendolyn Brooks' 'The Anniad'

Sasha-Mae Eccleston, Brown University; Mathias Hanses, Pennsylvania State University; and Caroline Stark, Howard University, presiding.

## Panel Twelve: Deciphering Identities in the Ancient Black Sea Region

T. Corey Brennan and Valeriya Kozlovskaya, Independent Scholar, presiding

## **Dacian Copies of Roman Money**

T. Corey Brennan

The Language of Images in the Northern Pontic Region

Maya Muratov, Adelphi University

Sign-Bearing Artifacts in the Northern Pontic Region

Valeriya Kozlovskaya

**Thracian Religion and Greek-style Monuments** 

Dobrinka Chiekova, The College of New Jersey

Political Culture and Identity in the Northern Pontic Region

Angelos Chaniotis, Institute for Advanced Study

## Paper Session L: Pedagogical Possibilities, Reception Realities

Elizabeth Butterworth and Judith P. Hallett, presiding

## Out in the Open: The role of Online Platforms in Teaching and Research

Sonya Wurster, BELA Academy High School and La Trobe University, Australia

## Teaching Caesar: Approaches to the Rhine Crossing, *Bellum Gallicum*

Christina Kraus, Yale University

Post-Classical Intellectualism in the Latin Classroom

Zachary Taylor, Cambridge University, UK

Meet the Romans, Meet Yourselves: Student Agency and

**Authentic Learning in Latin** 

Kristina Meinking

#### 4:30 pm-6:30 pm Meeting of the 2018-2019 Board of Directors