

**UB DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICS WORKING CALENDAR OF EVENTS**  
**FOR ACADEMIC YEAR (2008-2009)**

***FALL SEMESTER***

August 30 (Saturday, 5:00 PM; 120 Brantwood Road, Amherst): Faculty/staff/graduate student party.

September 10 (Wednesday; 5:00 PM Goetz Library/Fillmore 320): Archaeological Institute of America lecture: Old Archaeological Excavations Revised: Limitations, Problems and Opportunities, The Assur-Project in Berlin (Friedhelm Pedde, Pergamon Museum/Free University of Berlin).

September 17 (Wednesday; 3:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320): Lecture: Eudaimonia in Aristotle: An Ambiguity (Jiyuan Yu, UB Department of Philosophy).

September 24 (Wednesday; 5:00 PM; Richmond 355): IEMA lecture: Talking Heads: Deposition and Depiction of Skulls in Iron Age Europe (Sarah Ralph, UB IEMA Postdoctoral Fellow).

October 1 (Wednesday; 4:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320): Dissertation colloquium: The Social Dynamics in the Southwest Iberia Countryside from the First to the Fifth centuries: Torre de Palma, São Cucufate, Pisões and Milreu villas (Lucia Afonso).

October 17-19 (Friday-Sunday): Graduate Student Conference: Waste: Contaminating space, body, and mind in the Ancient World. (Keynote Speaker: Ann Koloski-Ostrow, Brandeis University).

October 28 (Tuesday; 4:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320): Lecture: Orpheus and the writing of the book: Orality and writing practices in the Derveni papyrus. (Claude Calame, Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Centre Louis Gernet de recherches comparées sur les sociétés anciennes).

October 29 (Wednesday, 5:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320): Archaeological Institute of America lecture: The cultural construction of the male body in archaic Greece (Marcello Barbanera, Università di Roma, La Sapienza).

October 30 (Thursday, 4:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320): Park Professorship lecture: The metamorphosis of ruins for cultural identify (Marcello Barbanera, Università di Roma, La Sapienza).

November 12 (Wednesday, 1:00 PM; 830 Clemens): Humanities Institute lecture: Democracy in Ancient Athens (David Teegarden, University at Buffalo).

November 12 (Wednesday, 5:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320): IEMA lecture: Emerging Mediterranean Economies: Reading Archaic Trade through the Shipwrecks at Kekova Adası and Pabuç Burnu, Turkey (Elizabeth Greene, Brock University).

December 2 (Tuesday, 5:00 PM; MFAC 355): IEMA lecture: Beyond 'Hunting versus herding' – Linking Animal Use and Social Change in the Central Balkan Neolithic (David Orton, SUNY Binghamton).

### ***SPRING SEMESTER***

January 28 (Wednesday, 5:00 PM; MFAC 355): IEMA lecture: The Seyitomer Mound Salvage Excavation Project (Elif Geneç, Kütahya, Turkey).

February 19 (Thursday, 6:30 PM; 308 Highland Avenue, Buffalo: Arethusa seminar: Dinner, followed by discussion of artistic competitions in Ovid's *Metamorphoses* (Patricia Johnson, Boston University)

February 25 (Wednesday, 5:00 PM; MFAC 355): IEMA lecture: Newly-discovered inscriptions from the Thracian tomb of Kazanlak (Konstantin Boshnakov, George Brown College, Canada).

February 27 (Friday, 6:00-10:00 PM; Classics Club Symposium, Flint Road Community Center.

March 23 (Monday, 12:00 PM; MFAC 355): IEMA lecture: That Hill Belongs to Us: On the Role of 'Prehistoric Architectures' in the Making of Territorial Identities in the Iberian Peninsula (3rd-2nd Millennium BC). (Vítor Oliveira Jorge, University of Porto, Portugal)

March 25 (Wednesday 5:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320) AIA Lecture: Artifice, Creativity, and Horticulture: Cultural Change and the Development of the Roman Villa Garden (Elizabeth Macaulay-Lewis, Oxford University)

March 27 (Friday) Department Open House. (Cancelled, due to scheduling conflicts)

March 30 (Monday, 3:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320) Arethusa lecture: Queer Poem, Queer Walls: The *Locus Amoenus* in Ovid and the Roman House (David Fredrick, University of Arkansas).

April 3 (Friday, 3:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320) Arethusa lecture: Translating Virgil's *Aeneid*: A Talk & Reading from his New Oxford Translation (Frederick Ahl, Cornell University).

April 13 (Monday, 2:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320): Pentrian Samnites: A History of Social and Political Change in the Central Apennines (Rachel Van Dusen).

April 16 (Thursday, 4:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320): Dissertation defense: Kokkinovrysi: A Classical Shrine to the Nymphs at Corinth (Theodora Kopestonsky).

April 17-19 (Friday-Sunday) Second Institute for European and Mediterranean Archaeology Postdoctoral Fellowship Conference: Interpersonal Violence in the Late Iron Age of Europe.

April 20 (Monday, 4:00 PM; Goetz Library/Fillmore 320) Lecture: Sexing the Garden: Performance Anxiety in Columella *De Agricultura* 10. (Katharine Stackelberg, Brock University)

April 25 (Saturday, 11:00 AM; David King set design studio, 302 Grote Street, Buffalo) Field trip: visit to replica of Roman merchant ship.

April 28 (Tuesday, 1:00 PM; Seminar Room/Fillmore 343): Undergraduate Awards Reception.