

UB DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICS CALENDAR OF EVENTS
FOR ACADEMIC YEAR (2010-2011)

FALL SEMESTER

August 30 (Monday) Classes begin.

October 6 (Wednesday, 5:00 p.m., Goetz Library 320 MFAC) Lecture: "Magic and Religion in Ancient Corinth." Professor Ronald S. Stroud (University of California, Berkeley). Presented by the Western New York Society of the Archaeological Institute of America.

October 11 (Monday, 3:00 p.m., Goetz Library 320 MFAC) Lecture: "The King-Priest Quarrel in the Mahabharata's Adiparvan and Iliad Book 1" by Emeritus Fellow of Wolfson College and the Institute of Social and Cultural Anthropology N.J. Allen (Oxford University). Sponsored by the Department of Anthropology and the Department of Classics.

October 13 (Wednesday, 12:30-1:30pm, Goetz Library, 320 MFAC) Lecture "Artefacts versus Ecofacts: Questioning the Social Role of Material Culture in the Ancient World" (Dr. Carrie A. Murray, IEMA Postdoctoral Fellow, University at Buffalo)

October 13 (Wednesday, 4:00 p.m., Classics Seminar Room 343 MFAC) Graduate Proseminar "Research Methods, Resources, and Strategies." UB Classics Faculty Neil Coffee and Carolyn Higbie.

October 20 (Wednesday, 3:00p.m., 351 MFAC) Lecture to Classics Club "Apollo Smintheus, Bronze Mice and Oil Lamps: Casting Old Light on Some New Problems" by Assistant Professor Philip Kiernan, University at Buffalo.

October 20 (Wednesday, 7:00p.m., Buffalo Museum of Science) lecture "Recent Excavations at the Athenian Agora." (James Artz, University at Buffalo)

October 21 (Thursday, 7:00PM Goetz Library, 320 MFAC) The Department of Classics, University at Buffalo, Welcomes the Buffalo Hellenic Community & Friends of Classics to "The Akrotiri-Dreamer's Bay Ancient Port Project, Cyprus: Ancient Kourias Found? or Once Upon an Island" Professor Bradley A. Ault (University at Buffalo)

October 27 (Wednesday, 4:00 p.m., Classics Seminar Room 343 MFAC) Graduate Proseminar "The Scholarly Journal." UB Classics Faculty John Dugan and Martha Malamud.

October 30 (Saturday, 9:00a.m. - 4:30p.m., Park 280) Classics Graduate Student Conference "A Sickness Unto Death: Pain, Suffering, and Despair in the Ancient World" Keynote address "Oedipus's Exit: Tragedy, Medicine, and the Ends of Life" by Professor Brooke Holmes (Princeton University).

November 10 (Wednesday, 12:00p.m. Goetz Library, 320 MFAC) "CALADINHO 2010: A Report On The Excavation of A Roman Twpwr Enclosure." (Joey Williams and Leslie Feldballe, University at Buffalo)

November 12 (Friday, 12:00p.m.. Goetz Library, 320 MFAC) Thesis colloquium: "Stealing Aphrodite: Plundered Art and Politics in the Roman Republic." (Jennifer Kendall)

November 17 (Wednesday, 4:00 p.m., Classics Seminar Room 343 MFAC) Graduate Proseminar "Archaeological Theory and Practice." UB Classics Faculty Bradley Ault and Stephen Dyson.

November 30 (Tuesday, 3:00 p.m., Goetz Library 320 MFAC) Arethusa Seminar Speaker Lecture 'Intertextual X Games' by Professor Stephen Hinds (University of Washington). Prof. Hinds will participate in Prof. Coffee's Latin Intertextuality Seminar beginning 5:00 p.m. in the Classics Dept. Seminar Room. All are invited to attend the seminar as well for a discussion of current approaches to intertextuality.

December 17 (Friday, 1:00 p.m., Goetz Library 320 MFAC) Dissertation defense: "Mycenaean Society Outside the Palaces: A Study of Late Helladic IIB-IIIB1 Corridor Buildings." (Panagiota A. Pantou)

SPRING SEMESTER

February 25 (Friday 5:00PM, MFAC 322). Lecture: "Explaining Change in Classical Antiquity: The Case of Land Warfare." Professor J. E. Lendon (History Department, the University of Virginia). Sponsored by Arethusa.

March 3 (Thursday 3:00PM, MFAC 322). Workshop: "Designing Intertextual Search." Christopher Forstall (UB Classics Ph.D.Candidate). Sponsored by the Textual Analysis Working Group of the Digital Humanities Initiative at Buffalo.

March 4 (Friday): Visiting Day for prospective graduate students.

March 9 (Wednesday, 5:00PM Goetz Library 320 MFAC) Lecture: "Bir Madhkur, Petra, and the Incense Trade through Arabia." Dr. Andrew M. Smith II (George Washington University) Presented by The Western New York Society of the Archaeological Institute of America.

March 23 (Wednesday, 4:00-5:00PM. Goetz library 320 MFAC) Graduate Proseminar: "Genres of Professional Writing: Abstracts, Articles, Books, Book Reviews, Presentations, Theses." Professors Bradley Ault and Martha Malamud.

March 25 (Friday, 10:00 AM - 2:00PM; Goetz Library /Fillmore 320): Open House for area high school students and teachers.

March 30 (Wednesday, 4:00-5:00PM. Goetz library 320 MFAC) Graduate Proseminar: "Art History." Professor Philip Kiernan.

April 1 (Friday, 5:00PM. Goetz Library 320 MFAC) Dissertation defense: "An Analysis of the Architecture and Material Culture from the Earthquake House at Kourion, Cyprus." (Benjamin Costello)

April 8 (Friday 4:30PM, MFAC 322). "Large-Scale Text Analysis: Measuring Latin Variation in a Million Books." David Bamman. (Perseus Project, Tufts University). Sponsored by the Digital Humanities Initiative at Buffalo.

April 13 (Wednesday, 3:00PM, Goetz Library 320 MFAC) Thesis Colloquium: "From Taras to Tarentum: The Evolution of a Greek City in Roman Italy." (Adam Hyatt)

April 20 (Wednesday, 3:00 p.m., Classics Seminar Room 343 MFAC) Graduate Proseminar "Classics and Linguistics." UB Classics Faculty Roger Woodard.

April 20 (Wednesday, 4:30 p.m., Goetz Library 320 MFAC) "Beyond Domus and Insula: an Index of Urban Property at Pompeii." Sponsored by IEMA. Dr. Scott Craver (St. Bonaventure University).

April 22 (Friday, 5:00p.m., Goetz Library 320 MFAC) Dissertation defense: "An Island Economy: Ierapetra and Crete in the Roman Economy." (Scott Gallimore)

May 4 (Wednesday, 1:00 p.m., 343 MFAC) Annual Undergraduate awards presentation.

April 29 (Friday, 5:00p.m., Goetz Library 320 MFAC) Dissertation defense: "Legacies of an Imaginary People: The Phaeacians after Homer." (William Duffy)

May 11 (Wednesday, 3:00PM, Goetz Library 320 MFAC) Dissertation defense: "Civic Transformation in Early Imperial Latium: An Archaeological and Social History of Praeneste, Tibur, and Tusculum." (Matt Notarian)

June 27-29 (Monday - Wednesday, 120 Clemens Hall, North Campus) Conventiculum Buffaloniense / Spoken Latin Workshop. Organized by Neil Coffee and Anna Andresian.