

Early Career Academic Work-in-Progress Seminar

Hilary Term 2024

Ioannou Centre

Thursdays of Even Weeks

Thursday 25 January (Week 2): 12.30-1.55pm (Outreach Room)

Estella Kessler: 'They do it with Eudoxus' *Mirror*: Astronomical calculations & stylistic concerns in Aratus' *Phaenomena*'

Thursday 8 February (Week 4): 12.30-1.55pm (Outreach Room)

Alison John: 'Ausonius' *Ep.* 6, Horace, and code-switching in Latin literature'

Thursday 22 February (Week 6): 12.30-1.55pm (First Floor Seminar Room)

Will Winning: 'Rationalisation and literal-mindedness in Archaic and Classical mythography'

Thursday 7 March (Week 8): 12.15-1.45pm (Outreach Room)

Marcus Chin: 'Beyond the gymnasium: Romans, wealth and family in early imperial civic generosity and honourability'

Each speaker will pre-circulate a piece of writing around a week in advance, which they will briefly introduce at the beginning of the session. The majority of each seminar will then be used to discuss and offer feedback on the work.

The seminar is intended for the Classics ECA community in the first instance, interpreted broadly to encompass all Early Career Academics, including individual/project postdocs, JRFs, stipendiary lecturers, temporary departmental lecturers, and recent DPhil alumni. By default, work will only be circulated to and discussed by the ECA community, but each speaker can invite along and share their work with other members of the Faculty/University if they want.

For further information, or to express interest in presenting in a future term, please contact the seminar organisers: Dr Leah Lazar (leah.lazar@classics.ox.ac.uk), Dr Lewis Webb (lewis.webb@classics.ox.ac.uk) and Dr Tom Nelson (thomas.nelson@classics.ox.ac.uk).