## **Tacitus and Tiberius I: Lecture Prospectus (Rhiannon Ash)**

First Week: Begin at the Beginning? The Prologue of the *Annals* and Tacitus' Vision of History

**Second Week:** Making a Drama out of a Crisis: Germanicus and the Mutinies in *Annals* 1

**Third Week:** Doing Things by the Book: Tacitus *Annals* 3 and Annalistic History **Fourth Week:** Patterns and Problems: Structure and Meaning in the First Hexad