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FROM THE PRESIDENT



Dear CAMWS members,

I'm writing this as we're putting the finishing touches on the program for CAMWS 2022, hosted by Wake Forest University, March 23-26. Thanks to all of you for your patience as we've worked to navigate pandemic-related challenges and accommodate presenters based on their travel and health restrictions (an especially big thanks to Davina for shuffling and reshuffling meeting spaces in order to allow virtual access as needed!). In the end, I think we've assembled a rich, dynamic program that reflects the full and ever-evolving range of your interests, from Minoan trade networks, to Flavian epics, to the reception of Greek tragedy in 21st century film and pop music. and everything in between. In addition to the usual line-up of panels, banquets, and business meetings, we'll have a live performance by TIGR (Aeschylus' Seven Against Thebes) as well as a screening of the smash-hit Broadway production, Hamilton. An ongoing exhibition in the Marriott will focus on the lives of nine Black Classicists from North Carolina, including Helen Maria Chesnutt, the first black woman to publish a Latin textbook. We'll also hold a forum on Friday morning to discuss a range of possible diversity and inclusion initiatives, as well as CAMWS's policies on nominations, voting procedure, constitutional

amendments, and annual meeting site selection. On Saturday, we're pleased to host the NCCA teachers' luncheon, and have featured a wide range of panels, roundtables, and workshops geared toward advancing secondary education in Greek, Latin, and Classical Studies.

As March 23 draws nearer and the COVID-19 situation evolves, we will remain vigilant regarding safety precautions and protocols. We've adopted an indoor masking policy for the conference (see memo, Jan. 26, 2022), with certain exceptions for eating, drinking, and presenting papers at a distance from audience members. We'll also comply with WFU's policy when using their facilities on Friday afternoon (currently proof of vaccination is required, or proof of negative COVID test within 48 hours, see memo, Feb. 17, 2022).

In closing, let me add that, in spite of those challenges noted above, I am truly enthusiastic about seeing so many of you in person and learning more about your work and experiences (the good and the bad) on and off campus over the past few years. For those of you who cannot be there in person, but will present virtually, your contributions are essential, and we are grateful to have the technology to make this possible. I am confident at this stage that all panels, in all their technical variety, will offer a starting point for dialogues that will continue for many years and conferences to come.

Sincerely, Hunter Gardner President

FROM THE SECRETARY-TREASURER

Dear CAMWS Members,

The 2022 CAMWS Meeting will be LIVE with some virtual presentations!

The program is up, and the registration is open for the 118th Annual Meeting of CAMWS in Winston-Salem, NC, March 23-26, 2022. President Hunter H. Gardner has provided more details (see above) about the wonderful submissions that have been accepted for this year's program. Because the pandemic continues to pose some challenges, we have allowed some members to present virtually. Now that the physical program is set, more information will come about the virtual aspect. Since the virtual presentations are intertwined with in-person presentations, there are additional challenges to making full panels accessible, but there are



plans in the works that should allow about half of the meeting to be accessible virtually. Emails will come with more information very soon.

If you have not yet registered for the meeting, please do so asap! And don't forget to book your hotel room!

We are truly excited to see that some of the students and teachers who won past awards are going to be able to use them this summer to study and participate in field school. At this meeting, we will also be joined by three recipients of the Rudolph Masciantonio Diversity Award and the most recent recipient of the Kraft Teaching Award. We will be awarding the first Anthony Fauci Award in STEM and Classics. Special kudos to Tom Sienkewicz and Ken Kitchell for the idea and the legwork to make it a reality. Also at the meeting, you will have a chance to participate in the CCXX Matching Contest! The CCXX Task Force is preparing for an extraordinary celebration of this milestone meeting. Make sure you pencil in to meet us in St. Louis in 2024.

This year we are also delighted to honor The Women's Classical Caucus as it celebrates its 50th Anniversary. Come to the reception on Wednesday night and, if you have never been a member of the WCC, consider joining them!

On Saturday Ascanius will be conducting a full-day workshop in Terrace 3 in the Embassy Suites. If you know someone who is interested in bringing some Latin into their teaching, Ascanius' workshop would a great way for them to learn how to do just that. The link for their website and for anyone who wants to register for their workshop is <u>http://www.ascaniusyci.org/</u>.

As you make your plans for the 118th meeting in Winston-Salem, explore the list of Women/Minority/LGBTQIA+ owned businesses, especially those near the hotels.

Finally, this will be Drew Alvarez's one and only meeting with us. He has been indispensable in keeping CAMWS running in these strange times. He will begin graduate school in Arts Administration at the University of Wisconsin-Madison in the Fall, so soon a new administrative assistant will become part of the CAMWS family.

Safe travels to all of you! We look forward to seeing your smiling eyes in a few weeks!

Sincerely, T. Davina McClain, Secretary-Treasurer

UPCOMING DEADLINES

Wednesday, March 23, 2022

 118th CAMWS meeting begins in <u>Winston-Salem</u>, North Carolina, at the <u>Marriott Winston-Salem</u>; at the invitation of <u>Wake Forest University</u>

Saturday, March 26, 2022

• 118th CAMWS meeting ends

Thursday, September 1, 2022

- Deadline for receipt of nominations for the 2022 <u>CAMWS First Book Award</u>
- Deadline for receipt of nominations for the 2022 <u>Bolchazy Pedagogy Book Award</u>

Friday, September 30, 2022

Fall Deadline for receipt of applications for Keely Lake Travel Grants for High School Groups

Tuesday, November 15, 2022

- Deadline for nominations for CAMWS President and Member-at-Large sent to nominating@camws.org
- Deadline for nominations for <u>CAMWS Teaching Awards</u>

Wednesday, November 30, 2022

- Deadline for receipt of proposals for Undergraduate Poster Presentationsat CAMWS 2023 in Provo, UT.
- Application Deadline for <u>CAMWS Latin Translation Exam</u> for high school students and undergraduates

Tuesday, December 6, 2022

Deadline for applications for Faculty-Undergraduate Collaborative Research Grants

118TH ANNUAL MEETING OF CAMWS

AT THE INVITATION OF





The 118th Annual Meeting of the Classical Association of the Middle West and South will be held Wednesday-Saturday, March 23-26, 2022, in <u>Winston-Salem</u>, <u>North Carolina</u> at the <u>Marriott Winston-Salem</u> at the invitation of <u>Wake Forest University</u>.

Program Highlights

The <u>Preliminary Program</u> is available on the CAMWS website. Highlights to date include:

- 55 Panels
- 7 Workshops
- 5 Roundtables
- 6 Undergraduate Poster Sessions
- Special session on CAMWS meeting site policies and voting/elections.
- A performance of Aeschylus' Seven Against Thebes (by TIGR)
- North Carolina Black Classicists Exhibit
- and much more

About the Hotels

The two hotels are across the street from each other and connected by a covered bridge on the second floor level. Valet parking and self-parking are available at both hotels.

The Winston-Salem Marriott will have the majority of the meeting rooms. The rate is \$145 a night (\$163 with tax).

The Embassy Suites rate includes free made-to-order breakfast and an evening reception. All rooms are two room suites. On the Embassy Suites site, after you choose your room, you may need to use the "edit your stay" feature at the top of the page to choose your specific dates. If you prefer to make your reservations by phone at 336.724.2300 and dial 0 when prompted to reach our front desk team. The rate is \$155 a night (\$174.77 with tax)

Lactation Room

A Lactation Room will be available throughout the conference in the Marriott as a private space where nursing mothers and parents with small children can attend to their needs, if attendees indicate that it is needed.

Quiet Room

A Quiet Room will be available in the Marriott throughout the conference for attendees who need a temporary quiet space during the meeting

Gender-Neutral Bathrooms

A gender-neutral bathroom will be available on the floor with the meeting rooms in the Marriott and in the Ballroom in the Embassy Suites.

CAMWS Author Book Display

CAMWS plans to display recent books by CAMWS authors at the 2022 meeting in Winston-Salem. If you have had a book published in the last three years and would like your book included, you are welcome to bring along a copy to add to the display or have a copy mailed from the press in advance to the CAMWS office at the following address: CAMWS Author Book Display, Watson Memorial Library, RM 313, Northwestern State University, Natchitoches, LA 71497. You do not have to attend the meeting to have your book displayed.

Program

Several important schedule and preview materials are now available on the CAMWS website.

- Draft of the 2022 Program
- <u>Code of Conduct at Meetings</u>
- <u>A Guide for Presenting Professional Papers at CAMWS Meetings</u>
- <u>A Guide for Presiders of Sessions at CAMWS Meetings</u>
- <u>Guidelines for preparing presentation materials (handouts, Powerpoints, etc.) for the CAMWS</u>
 <u>meeting</u>
- Placing an Ad in the Program
- Exhibiting at the Meeting

NEW IN THE CLASSICAL JOURNAL



The Classical Journal (ISSN 0009-8353) is published by the Classical Association of the Middle West and South (CAMWS), the largest regional classics association in the United States and Canada, and is now over a century old. All members of CAMWS receive the journal as a benefit of membership; non-member and library subscriptions are also available. *CJ* appears four times a year (October-November, December-January, February-March, April-May); each issue consists of 128 pages.

<u>Learn More</u>

The following articles are contained in CJ 117.2

THE SOLONIAN AMNESTY LAW (PLU. SOL. 19.3-4) AND THE ATHENIAN LAW ON HOMICIDE

by Christopher Joyce

Abstract:

Ever since Ruschenbusch published his seminal study of the laws of Solon, the near universal assumption in scholarship has been that the Solonian 'amnesty law', quoted by Plutarch, is a genuine document. Yet, scholars have found no convincing route around the problem identified by Plutarch, that the law as cited cannot combine with the silence of Draco about the Areopagus. This paper argues that the text which Plutarch quoted at Sol. 19.3, Solon's 'amnesty law', was authentic, but for none of the reasons conventionally given. A fresh consideration of the law on homicide will lead to the conclusion that its original purpose was to limit the power of the magistrate to inflict punishment, and to protect the rights of the killer by taking account of extenuating circumstances such as involuntary or lawful killing. Draco did not need to refer to the Areopagus because, by unwritten tradition, this was the court before which all homicide cases had previously been tried, without possibility of appeal. The first written law on homicide transferred jurisdiction from the Areopagus to other courts in the event of extenuating circumstances, such as justifiable or involuntary killing, which explains Draco's silence.

XENOPHON ON THE THIRTY: POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY IN THE HELLENICA

by Andrew T. Alwine

Abstract:

Xenophon's narrative of the Thirty occupies a place of special prominence in Xenophon's *Hellenica*. It is a prologue to the failure of Spartan hegemony and the disordered state of the post-Peloponnesian War world, but it is also a paradigmatic account of a corrupt regime, serving to concentrate diverse trajectories of Xenophon's political thought upon a single historical crux. This article consists of two parts. The first reviews the threads of Xenophon's political thought independently of the Hellenica, focusing on Xenophon's other works to demonstrate his general views. The second part explains how Xenophon puts all these ideas on stage through a retelling of the story of one of the most corrupt regimes in history.

EXCEPTIONAL FEMALE BENEFACTORS IN ROMAN HISPANIA

by Rachel Meyers

Abstract:

This article contributes to the conversation about women's roles as benefactors in the Roman Empire through detailed analysis of the types of benefactions made by women in Hispania as well as in-depth studies of five exceptional women. While a number of other surveys on women's public roles have been conducted, many of them revolve around the same small cluster of exemplary women such as Eumachia in Pompeii. This contribution refocuses the study of Roman women with a wider scope, permitting us to ask questions about the social dynamics and institutions that supported the practice of benefaction.

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Feature:

• "Latin for Students with Dyslexia" by AnnMarie Patterson (University of Southern California)

Articles:

- "The Language of Race in the Classroom: Teaching Classical History at an HBCU" by Karl E. Baughman (Prairie View A&M University)
- *"Ut te exhorter ad bonam mentem* 'that I encourage you toward a sound mind': How Nuanced Latin Emotional Vocabulary and SEL Routines Can Help Every Latin Student Flourish" by Evan Dutmer (Culver Academies)
- "Teaching Classics with Texts from Non-Ethnic Romans" by Nicholas Mataya (The Atonement Academy)
- "Vergil's Aeneid and 21st-Century Immigration" by Christopher Nappa (Florida State University)

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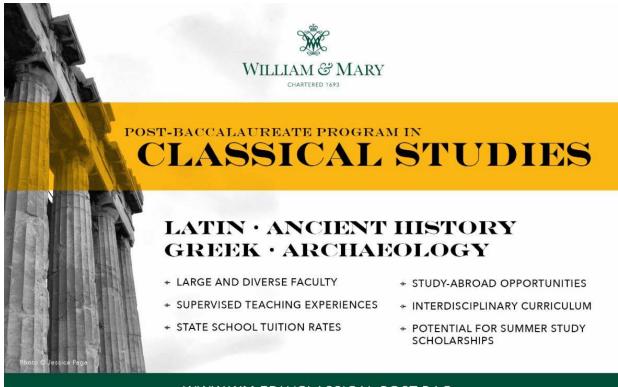
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The Bernice L. Fox Classics Writing Contest 2022

Sponsored by the Department of Classics at Monmouth College

Topic: Nostos ("Return")

The COVID-19 pandemic left many of us isolated from people we love and eager for reunions with them. Our separations left many of us feeling *nostalgic* for times we had shared. The word "nostalgia" literally means "return-sick" in Greek--we want to return to others so badly that it hurts. This is the inspiration for this year's Fox Writing Contest topic.

Nostos, "return," was a theme of several stories that followed the Trojan War's conclusion. Odysseus, for example, spends ten years striving to get home to his wife, Penelope, before finally doing so and reuniting happily with her in Ithaca. Agamemnon's return to Clytemnestra in Mycenae is not so blissful; she and her lover murder him shortly after his return (caveat: while no one deserves to be murdered, he was not the best behaved of husbands). Menelaus and Helen return to Sparta and renegotiate their marriage after a very public and acrimonious separation leading up to and during the war. Those tales are recounted in such works as Homer's Odyssey, Aeschylus' Agamemnon, Euripides' Helen, and Apollodorus' Library (aka Epitome).

Your task is to tell a *nostos* tale of your own. You could expand on an existing instance of return from classical literature, history, or mythology, imagine a 'what if' *nostos* scenario involving classical figures, or create a brand new story set in classical antiquity using your own characters.

Your entry must be a compelling tale of *nostos* that makes clear, one way or another, the motivation for the return and the circumstances in both places (left behind and returned to) that justify that return. It may take the form of a mythical narrative (like Homer's *Odyssey* or Ovid's *Metamorphoses*), a poem (like that of Catullus), all or a portion of a play (like one of Seneca's), or any number of other genres or formats.

Contest Parameters and Judging

This contest is open to any student enrolled full-time in high school anywhere in the world during the current school year. An award of **\$250** will be given to the author of the best entry, which may take the form of a short story, essay, play, poem, or original literary work of any other sort.

Entries will be judged on accuracy to ancient sources (as relevant to this project), appropriate use of those sources, originality, quality of material, thematic development, English style, and effectiveness of presentation.

About Bernice L. Fox

The Fox Classics Writing contest was established in 1985 by Dr. Tom Sienkewicz and the Department of Classics at Monmouth College in Monmouth, Illinois, to honor Bernice L. Fox, to promote the study of Latin and the Classics in high schools, and to recognize the good work of high school students. Bernice L. Fox taught courses in English, Latin and Greek at Monmouth College from 1947 to 1981, and served as chair of the Department of Classics from 1970 until her retirement in 1981. Throughout her long and dynamic carer, she worked tirelessly to promote the Classics in Illinois high schools and colleges. She is also the author of *Tela Charlottae*, the Latin translation of E. B. White's *Charlotte's Web*. In 1991, Monmouth College conferred on her the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters. She died in 2003.



Contest Guidelines

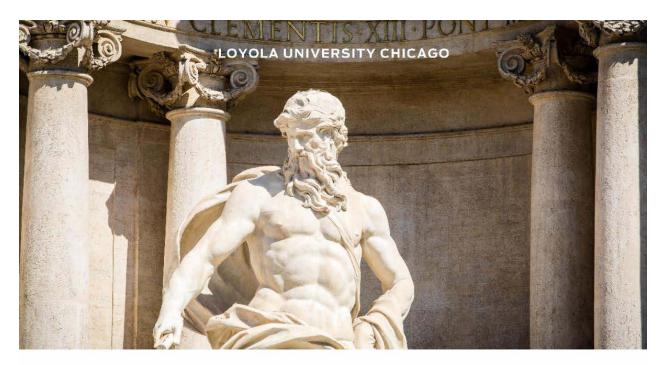
· Entries must fit the theme of this year's contest and must be in English.

- Entries must be typed and should be submitted electronically (if possible) by a teacher or other adult (as explained below) to Dr. Robert Holschuh Simmons at <u>rsimmons@monmouthcollege.edu</u>. If electronic submission is not feasible, printed entries (double-sided, please) may be sent via post to the mailing address given below.
- · There is no minimum or maximum length.
- The entrant's name and school must not appear on pages on which the text of the entry is printed. Instead, contestants should place a personal identification code (a randomly selected nine-character series) on the top left-hand corner of every page of the entry and include with their submission a separate page containing the following information:
 - author's name, date of birth, and personal identification code
 - o school name, address, and phone number
 - teacher's name and email address
- No more than ten entries will be accepted from any individual school, and only one entry per student will be accepted.
- Students who wish to enter the contest without school sponsorship (i.e., if they are homeschooled or at a school that is not taking part in the contest) must have a parent or other adult submit their work, and must include on their information page an explanation for their independent submission.
- · Failure to follow these guidelines will result in disgualification.
- All entries become the property of Monmouth College.
- Every entrant will receive a certificate of participation from Monmouth College.
- The winner will be announced on or close to April 15, 2022, on the contest website.
- For further information, including a list of previous winners, please consult the contest website at https://www.monmouthcollege.edu/academics/classics/writing-
- contests/. For information about our department, please visit https://www.monmouthcollege.edu/academics/classics/. Send any questions to Dr. Robert Holschuh Simmons at

rsimmons@monmouthcollege.edu.

All entries must be sent via email or postmarked no later than <u>March</u> <u>15, 2022</u>, and either emailed to <u>rsimmons@monmouthcollege.edu</u> or mailed to the following address:

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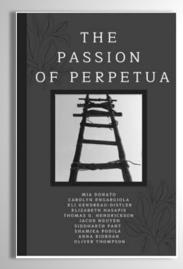
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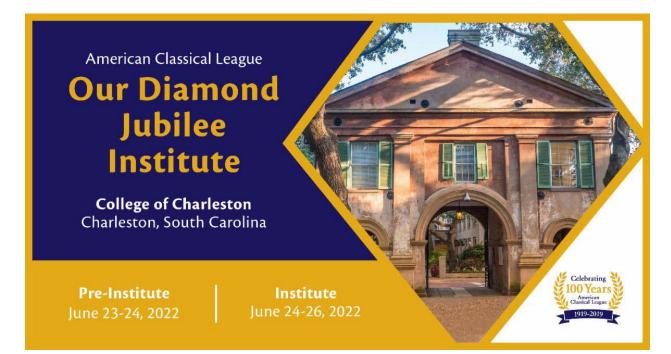
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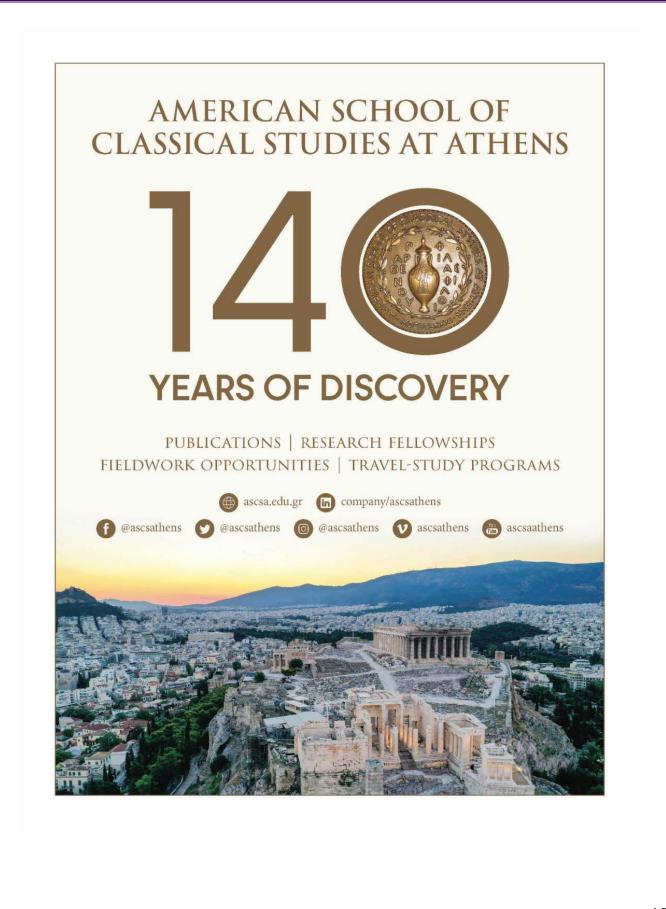


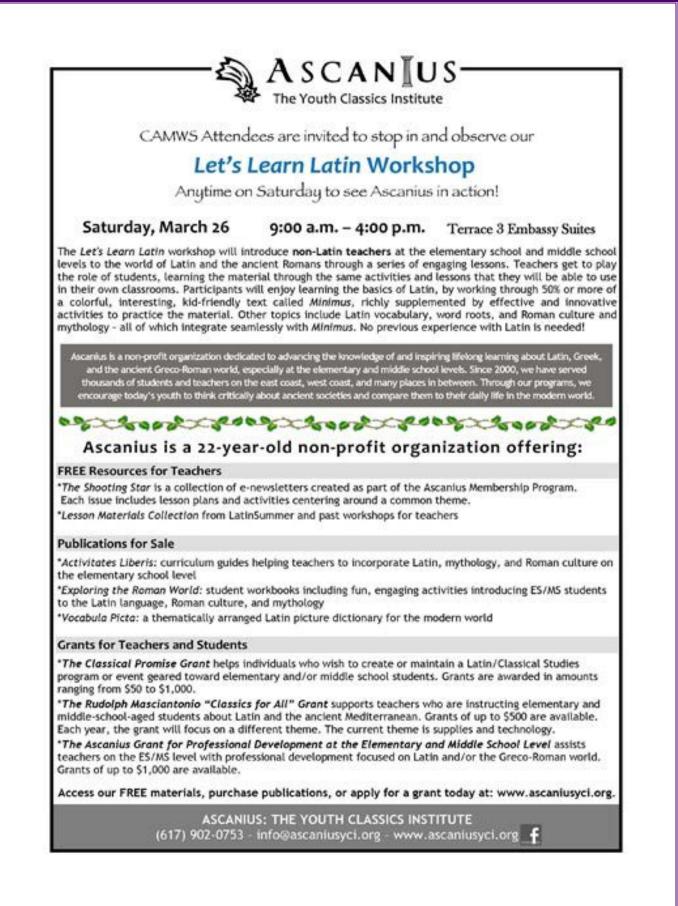




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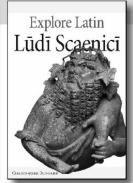
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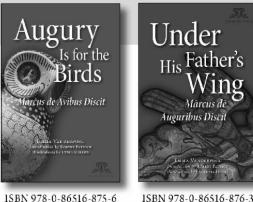
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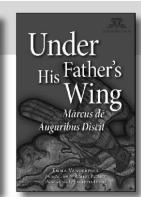


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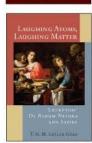
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For 2024, we are particularly interested in tours of the ancient Mediterranean or study programs (such as Latin workshops) that are based at the Villa Vergiliana, a study center in the Bay of Naples, Italy.

If you have any questions about proposal submissions, please contact the Chair of the Villa Management Committee, John Wonder, at <u>jwwonder@sfsu.edu</u>

You'll find previous tour details at https://www.vergiliansociety.org/previous-tours/

For those interested, please send a proposal to the Chair of the Villa Management Committee. The proposal may be a paragraph describing the planned program or a longer version. The Vergilian Society has offered study programs since 1937, and our directors have enjoyed many rewarding experiences.

UPCOMING TOURS AND WORKSHOPS

Portugal

Director: Raymond Capra (Queens College, The City University of New York) June 17 - 30, 2022

This tour will explore the edge of the Ocean, the end of the world in Classical thought. Portugal in antiquity was a mixture of native Iberians, successive waves of Iron Age Gallic immigrants, Phoenician traders, Carthaginian and Roman troops. The historical imprint and interrelationships of these cultures will be explored on this tour. The extensive coastline of Portugal forged a maritime people with a farranging vision. Highlights include the Roman ruins of Italica near Sevilla and the equally impressive ruins of Conímbriga near Coimbra. The long and complex history of this country spans into the medieval and colonial periods as well. Cost for the tour is \$2500, which includes hotel stay, daily breakfast and lunches, and two dinners.

Terrae Fabulosae - Adventures in Tattle-Telling Landscapes Directors: Gina Soter (University of Michigan) and Karla Herndon (Independent Scholar) June 19 - 30, 2022

The land tells the story. In this tour we will voyage to stunning, odd, and terrifying landscapes that, throughout the ages, have spoken provocatively to the artist in every one of us. Taking Vergil and Ovid as our guides, we will explore landscapes bucolic and epic and meet the mythical characters that inhabit them. We begin in Sicily, an alluring land that has attracted an unbroken series of foreign powers seeking to tame it. Parthenope, or Naples, will be our second port of call. See itinerary for specific destinations on our journey. Open to all who are Latin Poetry curious. Cost for the tour is \$2900. Single supplement: \$400. Cost includes hotel stays, bus and ferry travel within and between Sicily and Naples, all entry fees, daily breakfasts, 7 dinners. An optional, 2-day, no-host extension to Rome is offered.

Romania Director: Beverly Berg June 29 - July 12 or July 14, 2022

Conquered by Trajan, the province of Dacia was so intensely transformed by Rome that Romanians to this day speak a Latin-derived language. Our visits include the remains of two ancient Greek settlements on the Black Sea, three cities founded under the auspices of Trajan, two Roman legionary fortress towns, the cult center of Decebalus, Trajan's opponent, two of Romania's most picturesque towns, and two romantic castles. Two of our days will be spent across the Danube in Bulgaria, and there is an extra two day option in Budapest, recommended for all except those who have previously visited Budapest. Cost for the tour is \$2695 (13-day version) or \$2895 (15-day version). Single supplement: \$400. Cost includes hotels, transportation on program, breakfasts, lunches, and 2 dinners.

Authentic Texts and Roman Contexts for Latin Teachers (K-12), Villa Vergiliana Director: Kathryn McDonnell, PhD (Pine Crest School)

July 1 - 13, 2022

This summer workshop and study tour is aimed primarily at K-12 Latin teachers. We will use inscriptions, artifacts, and monuments in museums and archaeological sites around the Bay of Naples and Rome to examine the ways in which texts are integral to Roman material culture. A key goal of the seminar is to empower Latin teachers at all levels (especially high school teachers) to use authentic texts and their archaeological and cultural contexts in the classroom. Cost for the tour is \$2828. Single supplement: \$175.50.

Diversifying the Latin Classroom

Director: Ian Lockey, PhD (Friends Select School)

July 18 - 29, 2022

Given the strength of the current movement to diversify the field of Classics and to teach the ancient world in a more equitable way, this program is designed for K-12 teachers to discuss various approaches that can help to make a Latin classroom more inclusive. The Classics program at Friends Select School has transitioned to included a focus on diversity and social justice, with a strong focus on finding connections and contrasts between ancient and modern worlds. Upper level courses are now taught by topic area rather than author and cover gender and sexuality, imperialism and propaganda, and race and ethnicity in the ancient world. This program offers resources and class plans, as well as providing an opportunity to have conversations together as a group about what people are currently doing and to generate ideas for what we could all do to make our programs more equitable.

Note: Monument lists are subject to change based on closings for restoration and other factors outside our control. Every attempt is made to see that we visit as many of the sites listed as possible.

JOB POSTINGS

GROUND-PENETRATING RADAR (GPR) EXPLORATION AND ROMAN VILLA EXCAVATION PROJECT - APPLICATIONS BEING ACCEPTED!

Our 2022 integrated Geophysics (GPR) Exploration and Roman Villa Excavation is up and running. After a successful 2021 campaign, we are ready to tackle the 2022 field season, fully versed in both Covid-19 prophylactic measures and field realities to keep our participants, staff and hosts safe, while engaging in another amazing exploration season.

The program combines an intensive 5-day training program in GPR survey, data acquisition and analysis, with 3 weeks of excavation of a Roman Villa and Settlement in Transylvania (Roman Dacia). The GPR module is designed to offer our participants a very practical, useful and concrete set of professional and research skills that would provide an edge in today's field/urban survey and exploration job market, together with field archaeology excavation training. Our participants will acquire in a very short time not only the necessary practical and analytical skills to conduct independent GPR field research, but also valuable experience in exploration and excavation theory and practice as pertaining to an archaeological dig.

One of the unique aspects of the program is its comparative approach, as our participants will learn to operated two different GPR systems, equipped with different transducers, respectively at 500MHz and 250MHz peak frequency, in two field configurations, cart and rough terrain. The two GPR antennas and configurations we deploy during this module are the systems of choice in archaeology, forensics and shallow subsurface urban mapping (SUM), for locating buried structures, graves, utilities, root systems, etc., as well as identifying variations in pedology and geology down to about 4-6m (or 13-19ft) depth. The acquired skill set is thus applicable (and transferable) to field research not only in forensics, anthropology, archaeology, cultural resource management (CRM), Classics, and/or history, but also in earth sciences, geology, geography, urban planning, architecture, surveying, civil engineering, environmental engineering, environmental studies, and/or landscaping.

Each GPR field team consists in 3 participants on each system, conducting at least 2 full days of data collecting. Each group will be trained in setting up their own survey grids to optimize data collection and integration, assembling each field system, and collecting the same grid data with each of our two GPRs. Also, our participants will be trained in using SenSoft's EKKO Software Suite to become proficient in analyzing GPR data, maximizing the results. All the data collected will be analyzed by each GPR crew, comparing, integrating and extrapolating the data/results obtained from both 500MHz and 250MHz antennas.

Concurrently, the Roman Villa and Settlement Excavation offers a very extensive approach to the anthropology and archaeology of the Roman frontier environments, respectively the northern Dacian Provinces (i.e. modern historical Transylvania, Romania), through field work, laboratory analysis and lectures. The integrated outcomes of our various approaches have already yielded extraordinary results: a palatial size villa with a rural built space of ca. one hectare, surrounded by massive fortification walls decorated with exterior and interior frescoes, richly built two-story buildings containing exceptional artifacts (well preserved bronze statues, jewelry, mint condition coins, writing implements, etc.). Our 2022 target excavation, the "central building" of the villa, has already presented us with a very complex and surprising occupation sequence and living practices. Local Roman Provincial realities, born out of economic, cultural, social and political creolization, constant and dynamic negotiation of power, and shifting populations, have outlived the ideological centers that have claimed historical ownership of these regions.

Program details:

Geophysics (GPR) Exploration and Roman Excavation (4 weeks, integrated GPR and excavation project) - Dates: June 12-July 9, 2022 (session 1); July 10-August 6, 2022 (session 2).

GPR Field Applications Workshop (5-day, GPR-only project) - Individual Session Dates: June 12-18, 2022; June 19-25, 2022; June 26-July 2, 2022; July 3-9, 2022; July 10-16, 2022); July 17-23, 2022; July 24-30, 2022; July 31-August 6, 2022.

Location (Excavation): Rapoltu Mare, Transylvania, Romania

GPR Research Target Sites: medieval Uroi Castle, medieval Sanpaul Castle, medieval fortified church of Meresti (Transylvania, Romania)

Website: <u>https://www.archaeotek-archaeology.org/applied-field-geophysics-gpr</u>

Application Form: https://www.archaeotek-archaeology.org/application-excavation-and-gpr

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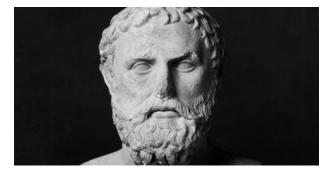


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- <u>H. Don Cameron</u>, University of Michigan, July 17, 2021
- <u>F. Carter Philips</u>, Vanderbilt, July 8, 2021
- Gerald M. Erikson, University of Minnesota, April 29, 2021

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