

The Open University Classics Department Postgraduate Work In Progress Day

5th May, 2016, CMR15

Programme of events

10.00 COFFEE

10.25 Welcome (Dr Emma Bridges).

Session 1, Chair: Sophie Raudnitz

10.30 Stuart Mckie (PhD) - The Legs, Hands, Head and Arms Race: Gestures and Movements as Magical Weapons in the Roman World.

11.00 Adam Parker (PhD) - Toil and Trouble in Roman York: Magic, Mysteries and Material Culture.

11.30 Silvana Delatte (MA) - Old people refusing to act their age: Representation of old age in Old Comedy and other sources in Classical Athens .

12.00 Dominic Solly (PhD) - The Curse of Spanish Gold (395-410 CE).

12.30 LUNCH

Session 2, Chair: Stuart Mckie

1.30 Sophie Raudnitz (PhD) - 'Emotion recollected in tranquility': Memory, Rhetoric and Politics in Euripides' *Trojan Women*.

2.00 Catherine Hoggarth (PhD) - A multisensory exploration of movement across Rome's urban bridges.

2.30 Mair Lloyd (PhD) - Living Latin: exploring the communicative approach to Latin teaching through a sociocultural perspective on language learning.

3.00 TEA

Session 3, Chair: Mair Lloyd

3.15 Sian Beavers (PhD) - Perceptions of Authenticity in Historical Drama and Historical Video Games.

3.45 Claire Greenhalgh (PhD) - Depictions of Slavery in Ancient World Television Drama: A Comparative Character Study of Starz's *Spartacus* (2010-13)

4.15 CLOSE