

Seminar Series in Classics and Ancient History  
2009



Seminars meet at 5.15 for a 5.30 start and papers should run 40-45 minutes. Seminars will be held in A.D Hope Building G41 and wine will be provided.

March 12 – Rhiannon Evans (University of Melbourne)  
Barbarian Nation: ethnic terms in Caesar's *Bellum Gallicum*

April 9 – Tony Pollock  
Nature of Legionary service in Republican Rome: Breaking Myths

May 7 – Jessica Dietrich, Corinna Box & AJ Williams  
Presentation of work undertaken for honours seminar

June 4 – Douglas Kelly  
Cicero and the Prosecution of T. Munatius Plancus (52 B.C.)

August 13 – Chris Ransom (University of Sydney)  
Beginning Epic with Epic Beginnings: Metapoetry, Programmatics and Tradition in Latin Epic

September 10 – Beryl Rawson  
Socialisation in imperial Rome: how did children learn to be adults, foreigners to be Roman, slaves to be citizens?

October 15 – Joan Stivala  
The Un-Murder Mystery of the Death of Seneca the Younger: Why did it take so long for Seneca to die?

November 5 – Susan Ford  
Mental maps, mind maps and real maps: tracing geographic knowledge in Homer and Herodotus

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