

Hosted by the Center for Hellenic Studies April 29-30, 2011

Friday, April 29 (Undergraduate Symposium)

Time	Event	Location
7:30-8:15 am	Breakfast	Common Room
8:30-9:00 am	Opening Comments	House A
9:00-10:00 am	First Session	House A

Roman Society and Latin Literature

- "The Foundation of the Roman Imperial Cult," [Katherine Crawford](#) (St. Olaf College)
- "Oppression through Reform: Masters, Slaves, and Roman Society," [David van den Berg](#) (Rollins College)
- "Lucretius, Ovid, and Pythagoras in the Renaissance: Ronsard Evaluates the Metamorphoses, Book XV, 62-272," [Martha Crockett](#) (University of Richmond)
- "Personified Poetry: Horace's Idea of Immortality and Ode 3.30," [Vergil Parson](#) (Washington and Lee University)

10:00-10:30 am	Discussion	House A
10:30-11:00 am	Break	Common Room
11:00 am-12:00 pm	Second Session	House A

Greek Literature and Art

- "Rationale of Epithets and the Irrational of Patronymics," [Victoria Belarde](#) (Agnes Scott College)
- "Statistical Analysis and Comparison of Texts in Ancient Greek," [Rachel Hogue](#) (Union College)
- "Appropriating the Homeric Ethos: Looking Beyond Gendered Obligations in Euripides' Medea," [Brandi Buckler](#) (Millsaps College)
- "The Vengeance of Achilles: The Impact of Viewing Context and Reception on Visual Narrative," [Rachel Starry](#) (University of Richmond)

12:00-12:30 pm	Discussion	House A
12:30-2:00 pm	Lunch	Dining Room
2:00-2:30 pm	Third Session	House A

Oratory and Philosophy

- "Demosthenes and the Great Man in 'Against Conon'," [Trey Frye](#) (Southwestern University)
- "Aristotle and Thomistic Metaphysics: Cause or Creator?" [Andrew Waller](#) (Southwestern University)

2:30-2:45 pm	Discussion	House A
3:00-8:00 pm	Sightseeing and Dinner for Sunoikisis Students and Faculty	Washington, DC

- Includes a visit to the Natural History Museum's exhibit, "[Cyprus: Crossroads of Civilization](#)"

Saturday, April 30 (Fellow Symposium)

Time	Event	Location
7:30-8:15 am	Breakfast	Common Room
8:30-9:00 am	Opening Comments	House A
9:00-9:30 am	First Session	House A

Art

- "Couched in Death: Klinai and Identity in Anatolia and Beyond," [Lizzie Baughan](#) (University of Richmond)
- "Ancient Iconoclasm: Destroying the Power of Images in Greece, 480-31 B.C.," [Rachel Kousser](#) (Brooklyn College)

9:30-9:45 am	Discussion	House A
9:45-10:15 am	Second Session	House A

Philosophy

- "The Physiology of Character in Aristotle," [Mariska Leunissen](#) (University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill)
- "The City-State Commensurate: Plato and Pythagorean Political Philosophy," [Phillip Horky](#) (Durham University)

10:15-10:30 am	Discussion	House A
10:30-11:00 am	Break	Common Room
11:00 am-12:00 pm	Third Session	House A

History

- “Reading the Papyri of a Priestly Family: Social Relations and Cultural Negotiation Under Roman Rule,” [Todd Hickey](#) (University of California, Berkeley)
- “Law courts and judicial administration in Hellenistic Athens,” [Nikolaos Papazarkadas](#) (University of California, Berkeley)
- “Wealth, poverty & social change in fourth-century Attica,” [Claire Taylor](#) (Trinity College Dublin)
- “Loving Humanity, Learning, and Being Honored,” [Norman Sandridge](#) (Howard University)

12:00-12:30 pm	Discussion	House A
12:30-2:00 pm	Lunch	Dining Room
2:00-3:00 pm	Fourth Session	House A

Language and Literature

- “The Homeric Hymns and the Development of Greek Lyric Traditions,” [Jose Gonzalez](#) (Duke University)
- “Tragic ‘Homericity’ and Vocal Virtuosity: Text Mining Heroic Speech in Epic & Tragedy,” [Allen Romano](#) (Florida State University)
- “An African Oresteia/The Octavia and the East,” [Mark Usher](#) (University of Vermont)
- “Conceptualizing dance and theater in the Roman imperial period,” [Karin Schlapbach](#) (University of Ottawa)

3:00-3:30 pm	Discussion	House A
3:30-4:00 pm	Break	Common Room
4:00-5:00 pm	Fifth Session	House A

Language and Literature

- “Impossible Voices: Archaic Poetics and Archaic Epigram,” [Donald Lavigne](#) (Texas Tech University)
- “Greek imperial epigram,” [Regina Hoeschele](#) (University of Toronto)
- “Indo-iranian Myths and Phraseology in the Orphic Cosmogonic Poetry,” [Alexis Pinchard](#) (Lycée Militaire d’Aix en Provence)
- “Greece and Mesopotamia: dialogues in literature,” [Johannes Haubold](#) (Durham University)

5:00-5:30 pm	Discussion	House A
6:00-8:00 pm	Dinner for Participants	Director’s Residence

