



Department of Classics

Autumn 2022 research seminars

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- 5 October · **Robert Wisniewski** · Warsaw/Reading
*Four sermons, some relics, a bishop and a curse:
Constructing the cult of saints in late antique Hippo*
- 12 October · **Jo Quinn** · Oxford
*North African monumental architecture in the
Hellenistic period within the frame of regionalism*
- 19 October · **Sam Agbamu** · Royal Holloway
Petrarch's Carthage: Between 'race' and religion
- 26 October · **Elena Giusti** · Warwick
Rome's imagined Africa
- 9 November · **Jacke Phillips** · SOAS/Cambridge
*Connecting ancient Egypt, Bubia and Ethiopia
— and even beyond*
- 16 November · **Timothy Penn** · Oxford
*The boardgames of Roman and post-Roman North Africa:
A regional perspective on personal leisure in the past*
- 23 November · **Elena Chepel** · Vienna
*Dramatic competitions in Ptolemaic Egypt: New papyrus
programme for the royal festival of Theadelphia*
- 30 November · **Giulia Biffis** · Reading
Lycophron and lyric poetry

All starting at **16:00** and taking place in **Edith Morley G44**
Also accessible via **Microsoft Teams**: bit.ly/3BYG7Td
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