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Programme

Thursday 16th & Friday 17th April 1998

School of Archaeological Studies

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Thursday 16th April 9.30 - 11.00

Archaeology Foyer, Attenborough Seminar Block

Registration

Thursday 16th April 11.00-13.00

Attenborough Lecture Theatre 1

'embodi-building' - situated approaches to the study of built space

Part 1 - Landscapes, pathways and places

Chair - Mark Gillings

Discussant - Lin Foxhall

11.00 -11.25 Richard Bayliss:

Usurping the urban image: the control of ritual topography in late Antique cities of the Near East.

11.25 -11.50 Simon Clarke:

Contact, architectural symbolism and the negotiation of identity in the military zone.

11.50 -12.15 Mark Jackson:

The pilgrimage centre and the pilgrim in late Roman Anatolia.

12.15 -12.40 John Peterson:

Original meanings in the Roman landscape.

12.40 - 13.00 General discussion

13.00 - 14.30 - Lunch

Thursday 16th April 14.30 - 16.30.

Attenborough Lecture Theatre 3

Parallel Session

Perceptions and Definitions of the Body and Gender

Chair - Patricia Baker

Discussant - Carol van Driel-Murray

14.00 - 14.25 Patricia Baker:

Soranus' gynaecology and the Pompeii speculum: the medical sociology of the female body in the Roman world.

14.25 - 14.50 Carol van Driel-Murray:

And did those feet in ancient times....:shoe symbolism and perception of self in a material category.

14.50 - 15.15 Simon James:

The community of soldiers: a major identity and centre of power in the Roman empire.

15.15 - 15.40 John Pearce:

Bodies of evidence - locating the dead in rural Roman Britain.

15.40 - 16.00 General discussion

16.00 - 16.20 Tea/coffee break

Thursday 16th April 16.20 - 17.10.

Attenborough Lecture Theatre 3

Approaches to Urbanism

16.20 - 16.45 Giovanni Ricci & Nicola Terrenato:

Urban archaeology in Rome: a quantitative approach.

16.45 - 17.10 Anna Leone:

The Late Antique Town: a proposed method of analysis.

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Attenborough Lecture Theatre 1

Parallel Session

'embodi-building' - situated approaches to the study of built space

Part 2 - Townscapes and buildings

Chair - Samantha Burke

Discussant - Lin Foxhall

14.30 - 14.55 Kenneth Aitchison:

Monumental architecture and becoming Roman in the first centuries BC and AD.

14.55 - 15.20 Ralph Häussler:

Ritual places in imperial landscapes.

15.20 - 15.40 - Tea/coffee break

15.40 - 16.05 Louise Revell:

Constructing Romanitas: Roman public architecture and the archaeology of practice.

16.05 - 16.30 Ruth Young:

Upstairs at Pompeii.

16.30 - 17.00: General discussion

17.00 - 18.00 Wine Reception in Archaeology Foyer

19.00 - 23.00 Bar - Fifth Floor, Charles Wilson Building

Friday 17th April 9.00-12.30.

Attenborough Lecture Theatre 1

Negotiating Identities and the End of Roman Britain

Chair - Simon Esmonde-Cleary

Discussants - Ken Dark and Simon Esmonde-Cleary

9.00 - 9.25 Andrew Gardner:

Military Identities in late Roman Britain.

9.25 - 9.50 David Petts:

The strange death of Roman Britain.

9.50 - 10.15 Howard Williams:

Fighting with the dead: Mortuary practices at the end of Roman Britain.

10.15 - 10.40 Keith Matthews:

What's in a name? Britons, Angles and material culture from the fourth to seventh centuries.

10.40 - 11.00 Tea/coffee break

11.00 - 11.25 Colin Wallace:

Romans, 'Saxons' and their pottery.

11.25 - 11.50 Geoffrey Harrison:

'Quoit Brooches and the Roman-Medieval Transition'

11.50 - 12.15 Craig Cessford:

Pre-Roman and Roman artefacts as post-Roman symbols.

12.15 - 12.30 General discussion

Friday 17th April 13.30-17.20.

Attenborough Lecture Theatre 1

Discrepant Discourses - Constructing Roman Histories

Chair/Discussant - David Mattingly

13.30 - 13.55 Ray Laurence:

Rethinking Rome.

13.55 - 14.20 Rob Witcher:

Liv(y)ing in the mountains: history and archaeology in Central Italy.

14.20 - 14.45 Mary Downs:

Re-figuring social categories on the Spanish frontier.

14.45 -15.10 Colin Forcey:

The Boudicca script: facts, factoids and fantasy in first century Britain.

15.10 - 15.20 General discussion

15.20 - 15.40 - Tea/coffee break

15.40 - 16.10 Jane Webster:

Mystics or freedom-fighters? Deconstructing Classical portraits of the Druids.

16.10 - 16.35 Garrick Fincham:

Don't blame it on the drainage: investigating the native perspective on the Roman occupation of Fenland.

16.35 - 17.00 Gary DeVore & Damian Robinson:

Everyday morality and the Pompeian vice trade.

17.00 - 17.20 General discussion

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Thursday Att 1	Registration		'Embodi-building' Part 1		Lunch		'Embodi-building' Part 2		Reception	
Thursday Att 3						Body and Gender		Urbanism		
Friday Att 1	Negotiating Identities			Lunch		Discrepant Discourse				

Att 1 - Attenborough Lecture Theatre 1

Att 3 - Attenborough Lecture Theatre 3

Tea/Coffee/Reception - Archaeology Foyer