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REPORTS FROM THE FIELD

Monday, September 16th, 2024, 5:30 pm PDT
Doe Library 308 A, UC Berkeley

Leah Packard-Grams (Ancient History and Mediterranean Archaeology)
Tanya Bertone (Department of Anthropology)
Sandra Oseguera (Department of Anthropology)

We are pleased to begin our programming this year by hearing from UC Berkeley graduate students who have spent part of the past year working on archaeological projects at various sites around the world. **Leah Packard-Grams** will discuss her work in Egypt over the winter at the site of Amheida, a Roman town in the remote Dakhla Oasis in the Western Desert, and specifically will focus on her work with ceramics, translation of ostraca, and a larger interest in writing in the town. **Tanya Bertone** will discuss the 2024 field season of the Clear Lake Archaeological Project (CLAP), a low-cost summer field school in Clearlake, California. **Sandra Oseguera** will discuss her 2024 archaeological field season in San Juan Luvina, Oaxaca, focusing particularly on three of the project's objectives: strengthening ties with the Indigenous community, establishing a collaborative methodology for a long-term archaeological project, and collecting soil samples.



**Topic: Ethical and equitable pedagogical methods for teaching
with ancient Egyptian objects in museums**

Monday, October 7th, 2024, 5:30 pm

Location: 3335 Dwinelle Hall, UC Berkeley

Dr. Lissette Jiménez

Associate Professor
Museum Studies Program
San Francisco State University

Details to be announced soon.



TOPIC: Ancient Greece

November- Exact Date TBA

UC Berkeley Campus- Location TBA

Dr. Camille Acosta

Assistant Professor of Art History, Archaeology and Visual Studies
University of California, Irvine

Details to be announced soon.



OTHER EVENTS AND LECTURES *of* INTEREST IN FALL 2024

The Mario Del Chiaro Center for Ancient Italian Studies:

For more information on the conference click:

<https://ahma.berkeley.edu/campus-facilities/associated-research-centers/mario-del-chiaro-center-studyancient-italy>

September 26-27, 2024, 315 Wheeler Hall (Maude Fife Room), UC Berkeley
Conference: The Last Generation of the Roman Republic at 50 Years

Pritchett Lecture (UC Berkeley AHMA):

For more information, click: <https://ahma.berkeley.edu/news-events/w-kendrick-pritchett-lecture/202425-pritchett-lecture>

Monday, November 4, 5pm 370 Dwinelle, UC Berkeley

Title TBA

Dr. John Ma (Columbia University)

Ancient Art Council Lectures

For more information on the lectures, click: <https://www.ancientartcouncil.org>

September 14, 2024 at 2:00 PM, Hybrid

“Archaic Wooden Sculpture in Augustan Temples: Greek and Etruscan cult images in new and refurbished architectural settings: 33-20 BC”

Speaker: Dr. Christopher Hallett Professor Emeritus, Departments of History of Art and Ancient Greek and Roman Studies, University of California, Berkeley

October 19, 2024 at 2:00 PM, Live Stream only

“Rome Reborn: Ars Antiquaria Meets Ars Electronica”

Speaker: Dr. Bernard Frischer Professor Emeritus, Luddy School of Informatics, Computing, and Engineering, Indiana University

November 2, 2024 at 2:00 PM, Hybrid

“Dramatic Reading of Euripides' "Iphigeneia in Tauris”

Speaker: Carey Perloff, artistic director emerita, American Conservatory Theater, producer, playwright, author, and educator

December 14, 2024 at 2:00 PM, Hybrid

“Alma Spreckels, the Queen of Greece, and the Antiquities Collection”

Speaker: Dr. Renee Dreyfus George and Judy Marcus Distinguished Curator and Curator in Charge, Ancient Art, Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco

American Research Center in Egypt (ARCE), Northern California Chapter events, see

<https://www.arce-nc.org/>

Newsletters by email: The SF Society newsletter is available for download from:

<https://www.archaeological.org/society/san-francisco/>. This website will also list the AIA lectures.

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