

Classics, Classical Studies, Ancient History, Ancient Art & Archaeology at Columbia University

Intensive Introductory Week

August 29-September 1, 2006



(aka Boot Camp)

A five-day program aimed at providing entering students in fields concerned with antiquity with:

- 1) An introduction to Columbia and to faculty concerned with antiquity;
- 2) Some basic information about the classical profession;
- 3) Some current topics in ancient studies;
- 4) A first acquaintance with some of New York's resources, including libraries, museums and computer resources
- 5) Fun, fun, fun!

Tentative Schedule:

Monday August 28	Tuesday August 29	Wednesday August 30	Thursday August 31	Friday September 1
Free Day	<p>11:00-12:00 Introduction for Postbac Students (Wouters)</p> <p>GSAS Orientation 301 Philosophy Hall 11:00-12:30 PhD 1:00-2:30 MA</p> <p>12:00-2:00 Lunch in the Department</p> <p>2:00-3:00 What's Up? (Gerry Visco)</p> <p>3:00-4:00 General Intro. To Columbia and the Profession (Steiner)</p> <p>4:00-6:00 Diagnostic Exam (graduate students and postbacs)</p>	<p>10:00-11:00 History of Linguistics (Dickey)</p> <p>11:00-12:00 Greek Literature (Worman)</p> <p>12:00 Lunch in the department</p> <p>2:00-3:00 Greek Literature II (Foley)</p> <p>3:00-5:00 Individual Meetings with: Prof. Foley (<i>grad students in Classics</i>) Prof. Wouters (<i>postbacs</i>)</p> <p>Prof. Billows (<i>grad students in Classical Studies</i>)</p> <p>Prof. Volk (<i>grad students MA only</i>)</p>	<p>1:00-2:00 Ancient Philosophy (Mann?)</p> <p>2:00-2:45 Butler Library Tour (K. Green)</p> <p>2:45-3:30 Manuscripts & Paleography (Dutschke)</p> <p>3:30-4:15 Electronic Tools (Bob Scott)</p> <p>4:15-4:45 Papyrology (Bagnall)</p>	<p>10:00-11:00 Roman Literature (Milnor)</p> <p>11:00-11:45 Ancient History (Billows)</p> <p>11:45-12:30 CAM/Ancient History II (Harris)</p> <p>12:30 Lunch in the Department</p> <p>3:00 Visit the Metropolitan Museum of Art 5th Ave/82nd St</p>

Don't forget!

The fab fall party is on Friday, Sept. 15th, 8pm, at Prof. Cameron's home!

