

Oxford Seminar in Advanced Jewish Studies

**"ISRAEL IN EGYPT":
The land of Egypt as concept and reality for the Jews in Antiquity
and the early medieval period**

WORKSHOPS and PROJECT SEMINARS

Wednesdays 10am – 12 noon in the Clarendon Institute

Convenors: **Professor Miriam Frenkel**, **Professor Sarah Pearce** and **Professor Alison Salvesen**



- Week 1, 20 January **Professor Alison Salvesen** (OCHJS)
Workshop: *Biblical texts on Egypt: formation and reception*
- Week 2, 27 January **Professor Sarah Pearce** (University of Southampton)
Seminar: *Philo and the memory of Ptolemaic rule*
- Week 3, 3 February **Professor Jan Joosten** (Christ Church)
Workshop: *Egypt and the Historical and Theological Lexicon of the Septuagint*
- Week 4, 10 February **Professor Joan Taylor** (King's College London)
Seminar: *The Therapeutae, Gender and the Synagogue*
- Week 5, 17 February **David Friedman** (Wolfson College)
Workshop: *Jewish sources on the Jews' (putative) Egyptian origins*
- Week 6, 24 February **Dr Rachel Mairs** (Reading University)
Seminar: *Ethnicity, multi-lingualism and the Jews in Graeco-Roman Egypt: Sources and approaches*
- Week 7, 2 March **Professor Tessa Rajak** (Reading University, Emerita)
Workshop: *Josephus on the Oniads*
- Week 8, 9 March **Professor Hindy Najman** (Oriental College)
Seminar: *Joseph Returns to Egypt: Rewriting the Joseph cycle in first century Alexandria*

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