

Oxford Centre for Hebrew and Jewish Studies

Oxford Seminar in Advanced Jewish Studies

Hilary Term 2018

**Greek Expanded, Greek Transformed. The Vocabulary  
of the Septuagint and the Cultural World of the Translators**

Convenors: **Professor Jan Joosten, Professor Philomen Probert and Professor Teresa Morgan**

**The seminars will be held at the Clarendon Institute  
on Wednesdays from 10.30am-12 noon, unless otherwise stated**



Engraving depicting the lighthouse erected by Ptolemy on the Island of Pharos near the Port of Alexandria (Johann Bernhard Fischer von Erlach [1656-1723])

Week 1, 17 January

**Professor Jan Joosten and Professor Teresa Morgan** (Oxford)

*Introduction to the project*

Week 2, Tues 23 Jan at 5pm (G/R Seminar)

**Dr Patrick Pouchelle** (Centre Sèvres, Paris)

*Expressing divine education in Greek, with special reference to the pair paideuô/elegchô*

Week 3, 31 January

**Jean Maurais** (McGill University)

*Impiety in Greek Deuteronomy Laws: On the background and ideology of the Translation*

Week 4, Tues 6 Feb at 5pm (G/R Seminar)

**Dr Dominika Kurek-Chomycz** (Liverpool Hope)

*Zealous and merciful but not regretful? Divine jealousy in the Septuagint*

Week 5, 14 Feb (Grinfield Lecture)

**Professor Gilles Dorival** (Aix-Marseille)

*Spiritual and Theological Use of the Septuagint Vocabulary by the Fathers*

Week 6, Tues 20 Feb at 5pm (G/R Seminar)

**Professor Robert Parker** (Oxford)

*Greek "Sacred Laws"*

Week 7, 28 February

**Hallel Baitner** (Hebrew University)

*The Lexical Exegesis of the Rabbis and the vocabulary of the Septuagint*

Week 8, Tues 6 March at 5pm (G/R Seminar)

**Dr Maria Sokolskaya** (Universität Bern)

*Paideia in the Septuagint and in Philo*

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