

# SEMINAR ON JEWISH HISTORY AND LITERATURE IN THE GRAECO-ROMAN PERIOD

Tuesdays from 2 to 3.30 pm

Room 207, Clarendon Institute Building,  
Walton Street Oxford, OX1 2HG

**Convenors:** Martin Goodman and Alison Salvesen

**Week 3: February 1** [LXX Forum]

Un Sung Kwak (St John's)

'The integration of comedy and Jewish features in the story of the three bodyguards (1 Esdras 3:1-5:6): their purpose and function'

**Week 4: February 8**

Professor Philip Alexander (Manchester)

'Oral tradition and writing in the rabbinic culture of late antiquity: between Qumran and the Cairo Genizah'

**Week 5: February 15** [LXX Forum]

Professor James Aitken (Cambridge)

'The Septuagint within Greek education' [Grinfield Lecture]

**Week 8: March 8**

Dr Laliv Clenman (Leo Baeck College)

'Intermarriage and its punishments in rabbinic sources'

Seminars will be followed by coffee, tea and biscuits in the Common Room