## CLASSICAL STUDIES NEWSLETTER Fall 2024



It's a new year – and a new look for our newsletter!

Professor Halleran retired in Spring 2024. We will miss his sage advice, generosity, and sense of humor. Don't worry, though, he'll still be in Williamsburg and we hope to see him at our events. He may even teach from time to time! He recently published a translation of the <u>Alcestis</u> with Swem's Open Access scholarship program.



Congratulations to
Professor Panoussi,
who will be at the
American Academy in
Rome this year on a
Rome Prize. She's
writing a book about
Isis in Roman
literature. Read more
here.



Save the date!
Homecoming Open
House
Oct 19, 10-noon,
Classical Studies
library. rsvp to Joyce
Holmes
jrholm@wm.edu.

Call for Papers! We are hosting a conference about ancient performance this Spring. Read more here



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We've started a new project, featuring student and student-faculty research on the lives of people around the Mediterranean basin: The Mosaic Lab.

Check out <u>this exhibit</u> that Prof Swetnam-Burland and Julia Bowers '23 put together about Palmyrene portraits.

Lydia Li '23 and students in "Ancient Athens" toured the city using Virtual Reality through Prof. Paga's partnership with W&M's Studio for Teaching and Learning.



Check out our new series of alumni profiles! – Monica Davis '02 and Amber Kreiensieck '19 got us off to a great start. We aim to feature alumni at various career stages and in many professions. We're interested in all kinds of careers. Please get in touch if you are willing to participate!



more coming soon!



We also gather news from our alumni/ae on our website, <a href="mailto:here">here</a>. you have a life event or update to share, please reach out! <a href="mailto:mswetnam@wm.edu">mswetnam@wm.edu</a> Chair, Department of Classical Studies

Outreach! Last year, our faculty visited students in person and virtually at Hampton High School, the VCJL, and the Governor's Latin Academy. Do you teach high school in Virginia? Reach out if you are interested in a virtual visit!