

Institute of Classical Studies

Mycenaean Seminar Series 2026-27

Wednesday 14 October 2026; 15:30 Room 264, Senate House and online via Zoom	Dominic Pollard (University of Cambridge)	<i>Datasets across the Divide: Quantitative and Spatial Approaches to Cretan History across the LBA-EIA Transition</i>
Wednesday 2 December 2026; 15:30 Room 264, Senate House and online via Zoom	Sylviane Déderix (presenter, University of Warsaw), Katerina Boukala-Karkagianni, Niki Papakonstantinou, and Francesca Porta	<i>Old Excavations, New Perspectives: Minoan Pithos Burials on the Islet of Afendis Christos (Malia)</i>
Wednesday 10 February 2027; 15:30 Room 264, Senate House and online via Zoom	Vesa-Pekka Herva (University of Oulu)	<i>The labyrinth and “weirding perspectives” on the Aegean Bronze Age</i>
Wednesday 10 March 2027; 15:30 Room 264, Senate House and online via Zoom	Vasilis Petrakis (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens)	<i>Between the lines: textual clues and institutions at the palatial/non-palatial interface in Mycenaean Pylos (and elsewhere)</i>
Wednesday 21 April 2027; 15:30 Room 264, Senate House and online via Zoom	Florence Gaignerot- Driessen (University of Cincinnati)	<i>Homer in Crete: The Tumulus Necropolis at Anavlochos</i>

MICHAEL VENTRIS MEMORIAL LECTURE

Wednesday 19 May 2027; 17.00. Room 349, Senate House and via Zoom	Philipp Stockhammer (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München and Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology Leipzig)	<i>From Chamber Burials to Kin groups? Relatedness in Mycenaean Greece from an Integrative Archaeogenetic Perspective</i>
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