



**NEAR EASTERN  
SEMINAR SERIES  
SEMESTER 1, 2018**



**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> March**

- **Dr. David Thomas (La Trobe University)**, “Silver linings from looting – salvaging gems amidst the archaeology of despair in Afghanistan”

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> March**

- **Dr. James Fraser (Nicholson Museum)**, “Before Arabia: Lawrence at Karkemish”

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> March – ICAANE Presentations**

- **Dr. Wendy Reade (University of Sydney)**, “Scenes of the Nile – a Rare Fresco-painted Pavement from Amarna, Egypt”
- **Dr. Karin Sowada (Macquarie University) with paper co-authored by Dr Mary Ownby (University of Arizona)**, “The Old Kingdom Abroad: Petrography Results of Imported Ceramic Jars from Giza, Egypt”

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March – ICAANE Presentations**

- **Dr. Stephen Bourke (University of Sydney)**, “From Chalcolithic Village to Iron Age City-State: Highlights from the 2017 Field Season at Pella in Jordan”
- **Holly Winter (University of Sydney)**, “South Levantine ‘Courtyard’ Palaces: Questions of Form and Function”

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> April – NO PRESENTATION DUE TO ICAANE and MID-SEMESTER BREAK**

\*The seminar list for after the mid-semester break will be sent out at a later date.

Seminars are held in the Boardroom, Centre for Classical and Near Eastern Studies of Australia (CCANESA), Level 4, Madsen Building, Mondays at **4 pm**.

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