Spinning Fates and the Song of the Loom.

The use of textiles, clothing and cloth production as metaphor, symbol and narrative device in Greek and Latin literature II



6th-7th JUNE 2013

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Provisional Programme

Thursday 6th June:

- 13:00 13:30 Welcoming and registration (Marie Louise Nosch, Mary Harlow & Giovanni Fanfani
- 13:30 15:20 Miguel Ángel Andrés Toledo, "Indo-Iranian Weavers of Old and New Hymns"

Judith Fletcher, "The Curse as a Garment in Greek Tragedy"

Emmanuela Bakola, "Textile Symbolism and the Wealth of the Earth: an Eco-Critical. Reading of the Carpet Scene in Aeschylus' *Oresteia*

- 15:20 15:45 Coffee and tea
- 15:45 17:30 Giovanni Fanfani, "Some Patterns of Textile-like Structures in Archaic Greek Poetry"

Luca Sansone di Campobianco, *"Even if Under the Earth"*. Inventing a Colour for Immortality"

Jennifer Swalec, "Weaving a cloak for the demos? The 'Wool Metaphor' of Aristophanes' *Lysistrata* revised"

- 17:30 18:00 Wine reception
- 18:30 Dinner at CTR

Friday 7th June:

- 9:00 9:20 Coffee and tea
- 9:20 10:30 Ann Glennie, "Patterning Poetry: Weaving and the Construction of Didactic in *De Rerum Natura* Book 1"

Matthew Johncock, "Untying the Weaving Metaphor in Lucretius"

- 10:30 11.00 Coffee and tea
- 11.00 12:45 Magdalena Ohrman, "From *Calathos* to *Carmen*. Metapoetics in Ovid's Story of the Daughters of Minyas (Ov. *Met.* 4)

Martina Finnskog, "The Defiant Spinners and Weavers: Three Examples from Ovid's *Metamorphoses*"

Danielle Frisby, "Rejecting Epic: Polyneices and his Cloak in Statius' Thebaid"

- 12:45 13.30 Lunch
- 13:30 15.00 Christian Troelsgård, "Cloth and Nakedness in Byzantine Aghiography"

Carolina Mac Mahon, "'Clothed in Deathless Fire': Garment Imagery in Egyptian Manichaeism"

15.00 Closing remarks: Mary Harlow & Marie Louise Nosch