

DISCIPLINES OF HISTORY CLASS

Wed. 3.30-5 pm (wks. 3 and 6), Ioannou Centre, Outreach Room

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This is a class for AMH finalists, aiming to provide additional support in handling ancient history material for the compulsory 'Disciplines of History' paper in AMH Finals.

Classes this term deal with topics in Section A of the paper ('making historical comparisons'). We will be talking about 'Empires and imperialism' in wk. 3, and 'Slavery and exploitation' in wk.6. There will be two more classes dealing with topics in Section B of the paper ('Making Historical Arguments') in Hilary Term, provisionally on Marxist historiography and the writing of political history.

The sessions will consist mostly of group discussion, and students are encouraged to think about the topics beforehand, and to prepare outline plans for relevant questions from past exam papers (lists will be circulated).