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## **After Rome: Aspects of the History and Archaeology of the 5th to 7th Centuries**

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Thursdays at 5pm in the Danson Room, Trinity College

- WEEK 1     **Philip Wood** (Oxford):  
29 April     *Nestorian identity?: The image of Chalcedon in the Chronicle of Seert*
- WEEK 2     **Aziz al-Azmeh** (CEU, Budapest):  
6 May         *Late antique Hijaz*
- WEEK 3     **Michael Maas** (Rice):  
13 May         *A forgotten ethnography: astral and environmental determinism in Late Antiquity*
- WEEK 4     **OXFORD CENTRE FOR LATE ANTIQUITY, SPECIAL LECTURE**  
20 May         **Noel Lenski** (University of Colorado at Boulder):  
*Slavery and society in Merovingian Gaul*
- WEEK 5     **Leonard Rutgers** (Utrecht):  
27 May         *New discoveries in the Jewish and early Christian catacombs of Rome*
- WEEK 6     **Luke Lavan** (Kent) & **Axel Gering** (Humboldt University, Berlin):  
3 June         *Late antique Ostia: the Kent-Berlin excavations 2008–2009*
- Week 7     **Matthew dal Santo** (Cambridge):  
10 June         *Text and image in Byzantine hagiography of the 6th and 7th centuries*
- WEEK 8     **Professor Fred Astren** (San Francisco State University):  
17 June         *Shadows of Jews in the early medieval Muslim conquests*

*Conveners: James Howard-Johnston and Bryan Ward-Perkins*