

Emily Cole

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- 2015 Ph.D. Near Eastern Languages and Cultures, University of California, Los Angeles
2011 Papyrological Summer Institute, American Papyrological Association, Provo, Utah
2010 M.A. Near Eastern Languages and Cultures, University of California, Los Angeles
2007 B.A. (First Class) Oriental Studies, University of Oxford

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

- 2016-2018 Visiting Assistant Professor, Institute for the Study of the Ancient World, New York University
2015-2016 Lecturer, Department of Near Eastern Languages and Cultures, University of California, Los Angeles

PUBLICATIONS

- 2016 Review of *Ägyptologische „Binsen“-Weisheiten I-II. Neue Forschungen und Methoden der Hieratistik*, edited by Ursula Verhoeven, in *Die Welt des Orients* 46(1): 115-118.
2014 “Picking up the Pieces – The Hood-Hearst Papyrus,” *Bancroftiana: Newsletter of the Friends of the Bancroft Library* 145: 10-11.
2013 “The Gendered Individual in Funerary Papyri of the Graeco-Roman Period,” *Journal of the American Research Center in Egypt* 49: 201-214.
2013 W. Wendrich, E. Cole, R. Cappers, D. Jones and S. Holdaway. “The Fayum Desert as an Agricultural Landscape: Recent Research Results,” in C. Arlt and M. Stadler (eds.) *Das Fayum in Hellenismus und Kaiserzeit: Fallstudien zu multikulturellem Leben in der Antike*. Wiesbaden: Harrassowitz-Verlag.

GRANTS

- 2016-2018 Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Postdoctoral Fellowship, UBC [declined]
2014-15 The Rosenfield-Abrams Dissertation Year Fellowship, Graduate Division, UCLA
2013-14 Bancroft Library Study Award, University of California, Berkeley
2013 Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Dienst (DAAD) Research Grant, held at the Karls-Ruprecht-Universität Heidelberg
2013 Research Travel Grant, Graduate Division, UCLA

- 2012-13 Collegium of University Teaching Fellows, Teaching Program, UCLA
 2008-12 Steinmetz Travel Grant for Archaeological Research, Cotsen Institute of
 Archaeology, UCLA [Awarded yearly]

AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2014 3rd Prize Best Student Paper Award at the *American Research Center in Egypt 65th Annual Meeting*, Portland OR for “Marginal Notes: The translation and commentary of P. BM 10252”
 2011 1st Prize Best Student Paper Award at the *American Research Center in Egypt 62nd Annual Meeting*, Chicago IL for “The Narmouthis Ostraca: Bilingual Texts from the Fayum”
 2007-8 Dean’s Fellowship, UCLA
 2007 Arthur Lenman Memorial Senior Prize for First Class in Final Examinations, Oxford
 2006 Helen Mary Allen Scholarship, St-Hilda’s College, Oxford
 2005 Helen Mary Allen Exhibition, St-Hilda’s College, Oxford

CONFERENCE PAPERS

- 2016 “Conveying Authority with Language: Inscribing Multilingual Decrees in Ptolemaic Egypt,” *Inscribing Power in Antiquity*, Munich, Germany, 20-23 October [Accepted]
 2016 “Imitating Translation to Access Prestige,” *TOPOI-Tagung “Übersetzen in Altertum und Altertumswissenschaften – Methoden, Praktiken, Phänomene,”* Berlin, Germany, 2-3 June
 2016 “Identity and Language in Ptolemaic and Roman Egypt,” *American Research Center in Egypt 67th Annual Meeting*, Atlanta GA, 15-17 April
 2015 “Negotiating Elite Identity through Linguistic Display – Language Use in Ptolemaic and Early Roman Egypt,” *Elite Identity and Self-Representation among the Ancient Cultures of the Mediterranean and Near East*, Fondation Hardt, Geneva, Switzerland, 23-24 October
 2015 “Contextualizing Coffin Text 335,” *XIth International Congress of Egyptologists*, Florence Italy, 23-30 August
 2015 “Translation as a Means of Textual Composition in the Bilingual Funerary Papyri Rhind I and II,” *146th Annual Meeting of the American Philological Association*, New Orleans LA, 8-11 January
 2014 “Commentary in Graeco-Roman Texts,” *12th International Congress of Demotic Studies*, Würzburg Germany, 31 August-4 September
 2014 “Marginal Notes: The translation and commentary of P. BM 10252,” *American Research Center in Egypt 65th Annual Meeting*, Portland OR, 4-6 April
 2013 “Translation or Commentary? P. Rhind I and II,” *Current Research in Egyptology XIV*, Cambridge UK, 19-22 March
 2011 “Recent Excavations at Karanis: Storing Agricultural Yield and Stacking Archaeological Information,” *Das Fayum in Hellenismus und Kaiserzeit: Fallstudien zu multikulturellem Leben in der Antike*, Würzburg Germany, 4-7 May
 2011 “The Narmouthis Ostraca: Bilingual Texts from the Fayum,” *American Research Center in Egypt 62nd Annual Meeting*, Chicago IL, 1-3 April
 2009 “The Well Ordered Universe: Temple Texts from the Inner Sanctuary at Dendara,” *American Research Center in Egypt 60th Annual Meeting*, Dallas TX, 24-26 April

CONFERENCE PANELS

- 2016 “Materiality of Communication,” *Meeting of the American Schools of Oriental Research*, San Antonio TX, 16-19 November with Alice Mandell [panel accepted]

INVITED LECTURES

- 2016 “New archaeological work at the Graeco-Roman sites of Karanis and Qarah el-Hamra in the Fayum,” Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany, 1 June 2016
- 2016 “Interpreting the Past: Egyptian Practices of Translation,” *American Research Center in Egypt, Orange County Chapter*, Los Angeles CA, 12 March 2016
- 2014 “Layers of Meaning: Commentary and the Book of Nut,” *Egypt Exploration Organization, Southern California Chapter*, Los Angeles CA, 20 September 2014
- 2014 “Gendered Life after Death: The Individual in Egyptian Funerary Texts of the Graeco-Roman Period,” Department of Classics and Ancient History, University of Auckland, Auckland New Zealand, 6 May 2014
- 2014 “An Ancient Library at The Bancroft Library,” *Friends of the Bancroft Library Meeting*, San Francisco CA, 5 March 2014
- 2012 “Translation into Death,” *Egypt Exploration Organization, Southern California Chapter*, Los Angeles CA, 10 November 2012
- 2011 “Recent Excavations at Karanis,” *American Research Center in Egypt, Orange County Chapter*, Los Angeles CA, 14 May 2011

CAMPUS LECTURES

- 2014 “Reading Between the Lines: Translation in Ancient Egypt,” *Bancroft Library Roundtable*, Berkeley CA, 20 February 2014
- 2013 “Gendered Funerary Papyri,” *Death and the Afterlife in Ancient Egypt*, Los Angeles CA, 7 December 2013
- 2012 “Bilingualism in Hellenistic Egypt,” *Egypt in the Days of Cleopatra – A Study Day on Ptolemaic Egypt*, Los Angeles CA, 8 December 2012
- 2011 “Off the Record: Discarded ostraca from the Narmouthis temple complex,” *Wepwawt in Westwood, UCLA Conference of Egyptological Studies*, Los Angeles CA, 22 May 2011
- 2010 “Demotic and Greek Ostraca from Roman Narmouthis,” *St. Shenouda-UCLA Conference of Coptic Studies*, Los Angeles CA, 16-17 July 2010
- 2008 “Statistics of Nubian Cemeteries” and “Reconstructions, Some General Principles,” *Wepwawt in Westwood, UCLA Conference of Egyptological Studies*, Los Angeles CA, 12 April 2008

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record

- 2016 Introduction to Middle Egyptian B and C
- 2016 Egyptian Civilization B – Second Intermediate Period to Roman Period
- 2015 Introduction to Middle Egyptian A
- 2015 Graduate Seminar in Egyptian Palaeography

- 2015 Egyptian Hieroglyphs, Summer Intensive
- 2013 Mixed Messages: Identity in the Hellenistic World
- 2012 Egyptian Religion
- 2010 Egyptian Art and Architecture A – Prehistory to Middle Kingdom
- 2010 Practical Field Archaeology – US-Egyptian Field School in Egypt
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Assistant

- 2012 Egyptian Religion, Teaching Fellow
- 2012 Discovering the Greeks, Teaching Associate
- 2011 Egyptian Civilization A – Prehistory to Middle Kingdom, Teaching Associate
- 2011 Egyptian Civilization B – Second Intermediate Period to Roman Period, Teaching Associate
- 2011 Egyptian Religion, Teaching Associate
- 2010 Egyptian Religion, Teaching Assistant
- 2009 Egyptian Religion, Teaching Assistant
- 2008 Practical Field Archaeology, Teaching Assistant

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND MATERIAL CULTURE ANALYSIS

- 2015-present Co-Director, UCLA Fayum Project at Qara el-Hamra, Egypt with Bethany Simpson
- 2007-2015 Archivist and Database Manager, UCLA-RUG-UoA Fayum Project at Karanis, Egypt; directors Rene Cappers, Simon Holdaway and Willeke Wendrich
- 2007-2011 Excavator, UCLA-RUG-UoA Fayum Project at Karanis, Egypt; directors Rene Cappers, Simon Holdaway and Willeke Wendrich
- 2009-10 Field School Director, UCLA-RUG-UoA Fayum Project at Karanis, Egypt; directors Rene Cappers, Simon Holdaway and Willeke Wendrich
- 2009 Consultant, Valley of the Queens Site Management Project of the Getty Conservation Institute; directors Neville Agnew and Martha Demas
- 2008 Pottery Illustrator, for pottery specialist Nadine Moeller from the excavations at Abu Rawash, Egypt
- 2007-8 Excavator, Royal Ontario Museum and University of Khartoum excavations at Meroe, Sudan; directors Krzysztof Grzymiski and Ali Osman Mohamed Salih
- 2007 Excavator, University of Chicago excavations at Zincirli, Turkey; director David Schloen
- 2004 Excavator, University of Barcelona excavations at Clunia, Spain; director Francesc Tuset

CURATORIAL AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2014 Terrace Research Associate in Egyptian Art at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts
- 2012 Researcher Assistant, *Magic Database* for Jacco Dieleman
- 2012 Participated in the 1st Papyrus Conservation Seminar at the University of Michigan
- 2009 Research Assistant, *UCLA Encyclopaedia of Egyptology (UEE)*
- 2005-7 Research Assistant, *Topographical Bibliography of Ancient Egyptian Hieroglyphic Texts, Statues, Reliefs, and Paintings*, Griffith Institute, Oxford

2006 Curatorial Intern, Egyptian Department, Royal Ontario Museum, Canada
2004 Curatorial Intern, Graeco-Roman Department, Royal Ontario Museum, Canada

LANGUAGES

Modern: English (native speaker), French (fluent), German and Arabic (proficient)

Ancient: Greek (Attic, Koine); Egyptian (Old, Middle, Late and Ptolemaic), Hieratic, Abnormal Hieratic, Demotic, Coptic (Sahidic, Bohairic, Akhmimic, Subakhmimic)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Research Center in Egypt
American Society of Papyrologists
Archaeological Institute of America
Society for Classical Studies