

CV FOR BENJAMIN GRAHAM

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Michigan

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Early Middle Ages, Mediterranean, Environment, Food

COURSES TAUGHT

Medieval Europe, World History to 1500, Roman World, Omnivore's Past: A Global History of Food and Eating, Reading Courses in Medieval Balkans, Early Christianity, and Early Medieval Ireland

MONOGRAPH

Benjamin Graham, *Dark Age Olives: Culture and Environment in Early Medieval Italy* (University of California Press, under contract)

ARTICLES AND CHAPTERS

Benjamin Graham, "Olives and Lighting in Dark Age Europe," *Early Medieval Europe*, vol 28, no. 3 (2020)

Benjamin Graham and Paolo Squatriti, "Roofing Rome: Church Coverings and Power in the Postclassical City," in *Leadership and Community in Late Antiquity: Essays in Honour of Raymond Van Dam*, eds. Young Richard Kim and A.E. T. McLaughlin, CELAMA 26 (Turnhout: Brepols, 2020), pp. 189-220

Benjamin Graham and Raymond Van Dam, "Modelling the Supply of Wood Fuel in Ancient Rome," *Late Antique Archaeology*, vol. 13 (2018), pp. 148-159

Benjamin Graham, "The Columbian Exchange," encyclopedia entry for *The Sea in World History: Exploration, Travel, and Trade*, vol. 1, ed. Stephen Stein (ABC-CLIO, 2017), pp. 427-430

Benjamin Graham, "Trees in the Global Medieval," in *A Cultural History of the Environment*, vol. 5 The Age of Emperors, ed. E. Arnold (London: Bloomsbury, forthcoming)

Benjamin Graham, "Woodland in Early Medieval Europe," in *A Handbook of Medieval Environmental History*, Vol. 1: 400–1000, eds. T. Newfield, R. Oram, and P. Slavin (Brill, forthcoming)

Warren Eastwood, Hugh Elton, Benjamin Graham, John Haldon, Adam Izdebski, Anneley McMillian, Lee Mordechai, Tim Newfield, Johannes Preiser-Kapeller, Çetin Şenkul, "Sustainability and Adaptation in Pre-Modern Times," (under review)

BOOK REVIEWS

Review of E. Lugli, *The Making of Measure and the Promise of Sameness* (University of Chicago Press, 2019) in *Speculum: A Journal of Medieval Studies*, vol. 95, no. 3 (July, 2020)

Review of W. Scheidel, ed. *The Science of Roman History: Biology, Climate, and the Future of the Past* (Princeton University Press, 2018) in *American Journal of Archaeology*, vol. 123 no. 2 (April, 2019)

Review of C. Pilsworth, *Healthcare in Early Medieval Northern Italy* (Brepols, 2014) in *Journal of the History of Medicine and Allied Sciences*, vol. 71, no. 4.1 (October, 2016), pp. 469-471

Review of R. Hoffman, *An Environmental History of Medieval Europe* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2014), in *Environmental History*, vol. 23, no. 3.1 (July 2015), pp. 533-535

Review of D. Curtis, *Coping with Crisis: The Resilience and Vulnerability of Pre-Industrial Settlements* (Ashgate, 2014), in *The Medieval Review* (online database, entry 15.10.28)

CONFERENCES

"From Annona to Domusculata: The Ideology of Food Distribution in Post-Classical Rome," at the 93rd Annual Meeting of the Medieval Academy, Atlanta, GA, March 2, 2018

"Fueling Late Ancient Rome," at the Late Antiquity Faculty Research Seminar through University of Tennessee Knoxville Humanities Center, November 10, 2017

"Dendrophori and the Preservation of Italian Forests in Late Antiquity," at the Climate Change and History Research Initiative, Princeton, NJ, May 5, 2017

"Environmental Logic: Cutting Wood for Fuel in Ancient Rome," at Human- Environment Dynamics in the Peloponnese and beyond: Ideas, Methods, Results, PELOPS Group, Athens, April 5, 2017

"Slow Foods: Olives and Ecological Strategy in the Early Medieval Lucchesia," International Medieval Congress, Leeds, UK, July 6, 2016

ADMINISTRATION/SERVICE

Phi-Alfa Theta Advisor, Marcus Orr Center for the Humanities—Faculty Advisory Committee Member, Undergraduate Studies Committee, Lead Shovel for History Garden

HONORS AND AWARDS

2020 Early Career Research Award—College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Memphis, 2017 and 2018 Nominee for Alumni Teaching Award (top 20 vote-getters at the University of Memphis), 2017/2018 Marcus Orr Center for the Humanities, Faculty Fellowship.