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## RESEARCH and TEACHING INTERESTS

Roman Historiography, Roman Oratory, Emotion, Narrative, Pedagogy

## EMPLOYMENT

2005-present. Graduate Assistant, Dept. of Classics, University of Florida

## EDUCATION

- 2012. Ph.D. Classical Philology, University of Florida (expected August 2012)
- 2009. American Academy in Rome: Classical Summer School, Rome, Italy
- 2007. M.A. Latin, University of Florida
- 2005. B.A. Classical Studies, Minor: English, University of Florida, *summa cum laude*
- 2003. College Year in Athens Summer Study: Managing the Archaeological Case, Akrotiri, Santorini, Greece

## DISSERTATION and THESIS

- 2012. "Fear Mongering in Late Republican Rome, 88 to 28 BCE," directed by Victoria E. Pagán (in progress).
- 2007. "Sallust's *Bellum Jugurthinum*: Reading Jugurtha as the Other," directed by Lewis A. Sussman.

## PAPERS DELIVERED

- 2011. "Fear: A Study in Semantics." Classical Association of the Middle West and South. Grand Rapids, MI
- 2011. "Fear Mongering in Late Republican Rome: Sallust's Speech of Lepidus." Workshop. UF-FSU Graduate Student Colloquium in Classics. Gainesville, FL
- 2008. "Amoebaeen Amor: Reading Catullus 45 as a Pastoral Signing Competition." Classical Association of the Middle West and South, Southern Section. Asheville, NC
- 2008. "Sallust, Jugurtha, and the *Metus Hostilis*." Classical Association of the Middle West and South. Tucson, AZ
- 2006. "Painting the Pastoral Picture: Theocritus and the Ekphrastic Tradition." Classical Association of the Middle West and South, Southern Section. Memphis, TN
- 2005. "Pandora and the Athena Parthenos." University Scholars Program Colloquium. Gainesville, FL

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE: INSTRUCTOR of RECORD

English Words, Spring 2012  
Beginning Latin 3, Fall 2011  
Latin Prose: Sallust, Spring 2011  
Latin Prose: Cicero, Fall 2010  
Beginning Latin 1, Spring 2010  
Beginning Latin 2, Fall 2009  
Beginning Latin 1, Spring 2009  
Accelerated Ancient Greek 2, Fall 2008

## University of Florida

Accelerated Latin 2, Summer 2008  
Beginning Latin, Spring 2008  
Beginning Latin 2, Fall 2007  
Beginning Latin 3, Summer 2007  
Beginning Latin 3, Spring 2007  
Beginning Latin 3, Fall 2006  
Beginning Latin 1, Spring 2006  
Beginning Latin 1, Fall 2005

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE: ASSISTANT

Athenian Democracy, Fall 2011  
English Vocabulary, Summer 2011  
Greek and Roman Epic, Spring 2011  
Ancient Egypt, Fall 2010  
Sallust and the Commentary, Summer 2010  
Myths of the Greeks and Romans, Spring 2010  
Women in Antiquity, Fall 2009  
The Grandeur That Was Rome, Summer 2009  
Athens: Topography & Monuments, Spring 2009

University of Florida

Ancient World in Film, Spring 2008  
Ancient Cities: Greek, Fall 2007  
Greek Identity and the E.U., Spring 2007  
Accelerated Ancient Greek 2, Fall 2006  
Satire: Horace & Juvenal, Summer 2006  
Roman History, Spring 2006  
Greek and Roman Epic, Fall 2005  
Advanced Grammar and Analysis, Spring 2005

## AWARDS and HONORS

2012. Holmes Dissertation Fellowship, University of Florida  
2011. University Women's Club Graduate Scholar, University of Florida  
2010. Graduate Student Teaching Award Recipient, University of Florida  
2009. CSAAR Financial Aid Scholarship for the American Academy in Rome  
2009. Anargyros Comnenos Award for Excellence in Greek Studies  
2009. Research Assistant Fellowship, under Dr. Victoria E. Pagán  
2008. James K. Dickison Graduate Student Award  
2005. Elected to Phi Beta Kappa  
2005. University Scholar, mentor: Dr. Mary Ann Eaverly  
2005. James K. Dickison Undergraduate Student Award  
2005. Cantinos Medal for Excellence in Greek Studies  
2005. Earls' Essay Prize: "*Graphe* in the *Hippolytus*"  
2004. George and Liberty Perry Award for Ancient Greek  
2004. Anderson Scholar of High Distinction  
2004. Charles Vincent and Heidi Cole McLaughlin Scholar  
2003. George and Liberty Perry Award for Summer Study in Greece  
2003. Eta Sigma Phi Award  
2001. National Merit Scholar

## DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

2011-2012. UF Graduate Student Council, Webmaster  
2011-2012. UF Graduate Assistants United, Department Steward  
2010-2011. Department of Classics Graduate Student Council, Member  
2010-2011. UF Graduate Student Council, Department Representative  
2010-2011. UF-FSU Graduate Student Colloquium in Classics, Organizing Committee  
2008-2009. UF-FSU Graduate Student Colloquium in Classics, Organizing Committee, Webmaster  
2003-2005. Eta Sigma Phi, President

## REFERENCES

Dr. Victoria E. Pagán      vepagan@ufl.edu  
Dr. Andrew Wolpert      wolpert@ufl.edu  
Dr. Robert Wagman      rsw@ufl.edu  
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