

SECRECY SEMINAR

Programme

6 September 2013

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9.15 **Introduction**

Sine Grove Saxkjær & Eva Mortensen
Past secrets—secret pasts

9.40 **Keynote speaker**

Dr. Hugh Bowden
The secret, the unknown, and the unknowable in
ancient Greek religion

10.30 Coffee & tea

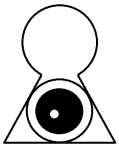
11.00 **Writing to reveal or conceal** (chair: *Maria Louise
Munkholt Christensen*)

Nick Marshall
Secrecy in ancient Greek philosophy

11.25 *Trine Arlund Hass*
Clarity and obscurity in bucolic poetry

11.50 *Søren Søndergaard Jensen*
Why God has secrets – concealment and revelation
in early Christian-Muslim encounters

12.15 Lunch



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- 13.15 **The domain of the secret** (chair: *Eva Mortensen*)

Troels Myrup Kristensen
Secrecy and revelation in sacred travel: Staging movement from Classical Greece to Late Antiquity
- 13.40 *Maria Louise Munkholt Christensen*
"The Lord has bidden us to pray in secret"
- 14.05 *Lærke Maria Andersen Funder*
Secrecy in museums – revealing other people's secrets
- 14.30 Coffee & tea
Fruit & cake
- 15.00 **Secrets of the dead?** (chair: *Sine Grove Saxkjær*)

Jane Hjarl Petersen
Secrecy and privacy in tomb architecture: The Via Laurentina necropolis as a case study
- 15.25 *Signe Krag*
The secrets of funerary buildings in Roman Palmyra
- 15.50 *Niels Bargfeldt*
Lucius Iulius Optatus: Hidden or exposed on a Roman gravestone
- 16.15 Final discussion

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