Curriculum Vitae DENNIS HUGHES

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Special Interests:

1) Greek religion, ritual, myth
2) Greek literature
3) Latin poetry

Education:

Georgetown University, 1969-1973 A.B., Classics, Magna cum Laude, Phi Beta Kappa, 1973

The Ohio State University, 1976-1986 Ph.D., Classics, 1986

Dissertation:

"Human Sacrifice in Ancient Greece: the Literary and Archaeological Evidence."

Teaching Experience:

Graduate Teaching Associate, The Ohio State University, Department of Classics, 1976-1981:

Individualized Latin; Introductory and Intermediate Latin; Introductory Greek

Instructor, Georgetown University, Classics Department, 1985-1986:

Introductory Latin I and II

Instructor, The Ohio State University, Department of Classics, 1986-1987:

Introductory Greek; Honors Greek Civilization; Latin Literature in Translation; The Hero in Classical Mythology

Assistant Professor, Grinnell College, Department of Classics, 1987-1995; Associate Professor, 1995-:

Review of Latin; Roman Historians; Greek Lyric Poetry; Humanities 101; Vergil; Classics Senior Seminar; Introductory and Intermediate Latin; Attic Orators; Roman Lyric Poetry; Introductory and Intermediate Greek; Freshman Tutorial (Plautus); Greek Drama; Homer; Herodotus; Roman Satire; Freshman Tutorial (Greek Religion); Roman Letters; Roman Comedy; Greek Prose Authors; The Ancient Novel (in translation); Freshman Tutorial (epic); Roman Elegy; Freshman Tutorial (Women in Greek Tragedy).

Academic Awards:

Louis E. Lord Scholarship, American School of Classical Studies at Athens, Summer 1979.
Presidential Fellowship, The Ohio State University, 1981-1982.
Participant, NEH Summer Seminar, "The Greek City: An Interdisciplinary Approach", Summer, 1990.
Harris Fellowship, Grinnell College, 1993-1994.
Short-term Research Fellowship, Center for Epigraphical and Paleographical Studies, Columbus, Ohio, Spring, 1997.

Publications:

"A Gravestone from Thera", Zeitschrift für Papyrologie und Epigraphik 133 (2000), 122.
"Hughes on Hamilton on Hughes", Bryn Mawr Classical Review 3.3 (July, 1992), 247-50.
Human Sacrifice in Ancient Greece, Routledge: London and New York, 1991.
"Hero cult, heroic honors, heroic dead: some developments in the Hellenistic and Roman periods", in Ancient Greek Hero Cult, ed. Robin Hägg, Skrifter Utgivna av Svenska Insitutet i Athen, series altera in 8°, XVI (Stockholm, 1999), 167-75.
Review of R. Garland, Introducing New Gods. The Politics of Athenian Religion (Cornell University Press, 1992), in Journal of Ritual Studies 7.1 (Winter, 1993) 183-4.
Review of J. Neils et al., Goddess and Polis: the Panathenaic Festival in Ancient Athens (Hanover, N.H., and Princeton, 1992) in Religious Studies Review 20.1 (January, 1994) 53.
Review of S. H. Lonsdale, Dance and Ritual Play in Greek Religion (Johns Hopkins, 1993), in Religious Studies Review 21.4 (October, 1995) 325.
"Sacrifice and the Cult of the Dead in Ancient Argos", in Greek Sacrificial Ritual, Olympian and Chthonian, ed. Robin Hägg and Brita Alroth, Skrifter Utgivna av Svenska Insitutet i Athen, series altera in 8°, XVIII (Stockholm, 2005), 75-83.
I sacrifici umani nell' antica Grecia, trans. Luca Falaschi, Salerno Editrice: Rome, 1999.

Papers:

"Horses, Concubines and Cupbearers: Lucian De Luctu 14 and Greek Funerary Practice." American School of Classical Studies at Athens, May 9, 1984; revised version: American Philological Association, Annual Meeting, Toronto, December 30, 1984.

"Horses and Men ἐπιμίξ: the Funeral of Patroclus and Some Historical and Archaeological Parallels." American School of Classical Studies at Athens, February 16, 1983; revised version: American Philological Association, Annual Meeting, San Antonio, December 30, 1986.

"Elision and Artistry in the Eclogues." Classical Association of the Middlewest and South, Annual Meeting, New Orleans, April 8, 1988.

"Greek Pharmakos Rituals." University of Iowa, Department of Classics Colloquium, April 27, 1989.

"A Human Sacrifice in Theophrastus, On Piety (fr. 13.22-6 Pötscher)." American Philological Association, Annual Meeting, New Orleans, December 29, 1992.

"Hero Cults, Heroic Honors, Heroic Dead: Some Developments in the Hellenistic and Roman Periods." Fifth International Seminar on Ancient Greek Cult: "Ancient Greek Hero Cult", Göteborg University, Göteborg, Sweden, April 23, 1995.

"Heroes of Their Time: Hero Cult and Heroization in Hellenistic and Roman Greece." University of Iowa, Department of Classics Colloquium, April 26, 1996.

"Sacrifice and the Cult of the Dead in Ancient Argos." Sixth International Seminar on Ancient Greek Cult: "Greek Sacrificial Ritual, Olympian and Chthonian", Göteborg University, Göteborg, Sweden, April 26, 1997.

"From Funeral to Festival: The Heroized Dead in Hellenistic and Roman Greece." Joint Classical Archaeology and Ancient History Seminar: "Death Revisited", University of Oxford, June 7, 2004.

In Preparation:

Greek Heroic Epitaphs.

"Plutarch and the Cult of Aratus at Sicyon."

"Propertius and Sulpicia at the Hunt (Propertius 2.19 and [Tibullus] 3.9)"