Cohabitation, Cooperation, and Conquest in Archaic and Early Roman Italy

23. November 2023, Cape Town

A *Debating Early Rome* event, in conjunction with the Annual Conference of the Classical Association of South Africa

11:00 – 12:30 Polities and Politics

Nicola Terrenato (University of Michigan): The 6th and early 5th Century as a Watershed Moment in the Urban History of Central Italy

Simon Lentzsch (University of Trier, via Zoom): The Beginning of a Beautiful Friendship? – Rome, Massalia and the Western Mediterranean in the 5th and 4th Centuries BCE

Marian Helm (University of Münster): The Ties that Bind. Rome and the Latin Leagues

14:30 – 16:00 Religious Connectivities

Roman Roth (University of Cape Town): The Case of Etruria

Parrish Wright (University of South Carolina): Indigenous and Greek Interactions in Southern Italy

Marion Bolder-Boos (Technische Universität Darmstadt, via Zoom): Sanctuaries in the Early Colonies in Latium and Neighbouring Regions

16:00 – 16:30 Responses

Jeremy Armstrong and Sheira Cohen (via Zoom)

Chaired by Hans Beck

