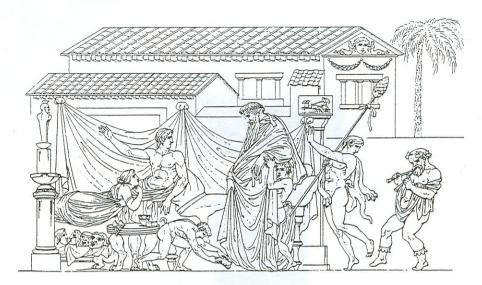
## Σκηνή πᾶς ὁ βίος

Theatre in the Ancient World



The graduate students in the Department of Classics at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill are pleased to announce their sixth annual colloquium to be held on Saturday, March 22, 1997.

This colloquium is intended to encompass a broad range of topics on Greek and Roman drama, music, and poetry: literary criticism, aspects of performance, the archaeology of the ancient theater, art history and iconography, the history of drama, religion and drama, and the role of the dramatic arts in society. In conjunction with the colloquium, the Aquila Theatre Group will give a Saturday evening performance of Aristophanes' Birds. Therefore topics related to Aristophanes and/or the Birds are particularly welcome.

We invite scholars at the graduate and post-doctoral level to submit abstracts of original research for presentation at the colloquium. Presentations should average 15-20 minutes in length. Abstracts should be 200-500 words in length and double-spaced. Please do not print your name or affiliation on the abstract, but include a cover sheet containing your name, address, phone number, and email address. Abstracts must be postmarked no

later than January 6, 1997.

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Saturday, March 22, 1997 9:00 to 4:30

Toy Lounge, Dey Hall UNC-Chapel Hill 8:00 - 9:00: Breakfast and Coffee

Session I 9:00 - 10:30: Interpreting Drama

Comedy in the Courtroom: Cicero's use of Caecilius in *Pro Roscio Amerino* and *Pro Caelio*Doug Clapp, UNC-Chapel Hill (15 min.)

Aeschylus in the Lion's Den: Astronomy and the Agamemnon James M. Pfundstein, University of Minnesota (15 min.)

Home Improvement: The Symbolic Division and Reunion of Houses in Terence's Adelphoe

Karen Schoenfeld, University of Pittsburgh (15 min.)

10:30-11:00 Break

Session II 11:00 - 12:30: Archaeology of the Theater
Who's On Stage? The scaenae frons in fourth style
Roman painting
Meredith Bieber, UNC-Chapel Hill (20 min.)

The Uncompleted Theaters of Rome Constance L. Campbell, The University of Georgia (20 min.)

The Problems of Roman Theater Design:
The Trajanic theater at Bosra
Alex Retzleff, UNC-Chapel Hill (20 min.)

12:30 - 1:45 Lunch break

Session III 2:00 - 3:30: Performance and Dramatic elements

The Inheritance of Clytemnestra: Mirroring of Cassandra and

Clytemnestra in Aeschylus' Agamemnon

Jeff Winkle, Northwestern University (15 min.)

Performance questions in Seneca John Starks, UNC-Chapel Hill (15 min.)

Rescuing Aristophanes: Staging Old Comedy for a New Audience Peter Meineck of Aquila Productions

3:30 - 5:00 Reception in Toy Lounge