

CURRICULUM VITAE

Iris Sulimani

Undergraduate and Graduate Studies

| Period of Study | Name of Institution and Department | Degree | Year of Approval of Degree |
|-----------------|---|--------|----------------------------|
| 1997-2004 | Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Department of History | Ph.D | 2004 |
| 1990-1996 | University of Haifa, Department of General History | M.A. | 1996 <i>cum laude</i> |
| 1986-1990 | University of Haifa, Department of General History; Department of Political Science | B.A. | 1990 <i>cum laude</i> |

Academic Ranks and Tenure in Institutions of Higher Education

| Dates | Name of Institution and Department | Rank/Position |
|-------------------|---|---------------------------|
| 2015-present | Open University of Israel, Department of History, Philosophy and Judaic Studies | senior lecturer |
| 2012-2014 2015 | Open University of Israel, Department of History, Philosophy and Judaic Studies | visiting faculty lecturer |
| 1993-2003 | University of Haifa, Department of | adjunct |

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| 2005-2012 | General History | lecturer |
| 2006-2011 | University of Haifa, School of History | adjunct lecturer |
| 2003-2011 | Hebrew University, Department of History | adjunct lecturer |
| 2010-2011 | Hebrew University, Department of Classical Studies | adjunct lecturer |
| 2010 | University of Haifa, Department of Multi-Disciplinary Studies | adjunct lecturer |
| 1991-2003 | University of Haifa, Department of Foreign Languages | adjunct lecturer |

Participation in Scholarly Conferences

A. Active Participation

| Date | Name of Conference, Place of Conference | Subject of Lecture | Role |
|-----------------|--|---|----------|
| 2–5 August 2022 | The 14th Annual Conference of the International Society for Cultural History (ISCH): Cultures of Belief and Unbelief University of Verona, Italy | Incorporating Mythography in Universal History: Believing in Myths or Suspending Disbelief? | Lecturer |
| 29 October 2021 | Émotions & Pratiques Mythographiques / Emotions & Mythographical Practices | Anger and Clemency in Diodorus' Mythography | Lecturer |

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| | (online) | | |
| 2 – 6 September 2021 | The 12th International Congress of the International Plutarch Society – Plutarch and his Contemporaries: Sharing the Roman Empire Warsaw, Poland (online) | Beyond the Limits of Biography: A Comparative Analysis of Plutarch's <i>Lycurgus</i> | Lecturer |
| 5 – 7 September 2019 | Religiöse (De-) Legitimationsansätze von Gewalt in der Antike Mainz, Germany | Religious Legitimization of Violence in Diodorus' Mythography | Lecturer |
| 11 – 14 July 2018 | The 11th Celtic Conference in Classics – Mythography not Mythology: Boundaries and Commentaries St Andrews, Scotland | Diodorus' Authorial Mythography | Lecturer |
| 25 – 28 May 2017 | Third Interdisciplinary Symposium on the Heritage of Western Greece with special emphasis on Μίμησις – Mimēsis: imitation, emulation, representation, re-enactment | Emulation in Diodorus Siculus: The Role of History and Sicilian Role-models | Lecturer |

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| | Syracuse, Sicily | | |
| 22 – 25 June, 2016 | 9th Celtic Conference in Classics – Oppositional Tendencies in Myth and Mythography Dublin, Ireland | Barbarians vs. Greeks: The Myth of Dionysus in Diodorus | Lecturer |
| 10 – 12 March 2016 | Utopias in Ancient Thought Leuven & Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium | Utopia in Diodorus Siculus: The Imaginary Becomes Real | Lecturer |
| 25 – 28 June 2014 | 8th Celtic Conference in Classics – New Directions in Greco-Roman Mythography: Texts, Contexts and Intertexts Edinburgh, Scotland | Mythography and Biography: Plutarch's <i>Lykourgos</i> | Lecturer |
| 31 July – 2 August 2013 | Sixth Bristol Myth Conference: Greek Myths on the Map Bristol, England | Imaginary Islands in Diodorus Siculus: Geography, Mythology and Utopia | Lecturer |
| 31 August – 2 September 2011 | Diodorus Siculus: Shared Myths, World Community, and Universal History Glasgow, Scotland | The Importance of the Absence: Speeches in Diodorus' First Pentad | Lecturer |
| 4 – 6 July 2011 | Trade Routes & Seafaring in the Ancient Near East | Egyptian Heroes Travelling in Hellenistic Road | Lecturer |

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| | Oxford, England | Networks: The Representation of the Journeys of Osiris and Sesostris in Diodorus | |
| 22 November 2007 | Conference in Memory of Professor Alexander Fuks The Hebrew University of Jerusalem | Mythology, Geography and History in Diodorus Siculus' first Books (in Hebrew) | Lecturer (invited lecture) |
| 8 – 9 June 2005 | The Thirty-fourth Conference of the Israel Society for the Promotion of Classical Studies University of Haifa | The Journeys of Semiramis and Alexander: Myth Follows History or Vice Versa? (in Hebrew) | Lecturer |
| 2 – 3 June 2004 | The Thirty-Third Conference of the Israel Society for the Promotion of Classical Studies Ben-Gurion University of the Negev | The Journey of Sesostris according to Diodorus Siculus: Egyptian Hero in Hellenic Costume (in Hebrew) | |
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PUBLICATIONS

Books

Diodorus' Mythistory and the Pagan Mission: Historiography and Culture-heroes in the First Pentad of the Bibliothēke, Leiden and Boston 2011 (Mnemosyne Supplements, 331), xvi, 409 pp.

Articles in Refereed Journals

1. "Diodorus' Mythography: The Distinctive Features of Mythology within Universal History", *Polymnia*, 4 (2019), 1-32.
2. "Egyptian Heroes Travelling in Hellenistic Road Networks: The Representation of the Journeys of Osiris and Sesostris in Diodorus", *ARAM periodical*, 27:1&2 (2015), 81-96.
3. "Speeches in Diodorus' First Pentad", *Ancient World*, 45 (2014), 174-192.
4. "Diodorus' Source-Citations. A Turn in the Attitude of Ancient Authors towards Their Predecessors?", *Athenaeum*, 96 (2008), 535-567.
5. "Myth or Reality? A Geographical Examination of Semiramis' Journey in Diodorus", *Scripta Classica Israelica*, 24 (2005), 45-63.

Articles in Conference Proceedings (Refereed)

1. "All Over the World: The Utopian Idea in Diodorus Siculus", in Pierre Destrée, Jan Opsomer and Geert Roskam (eds.), *Utopias in Ancient Thought*, Berlin: De Gruyter 2021, 231-254.
2. "Mimēsis in Diodorus Siculus: The Role of History and Sicilian Role models", in H.L. Reid and J. DeLong (eds.), *The Many Faces of Mimēsis: Selected Essays from the 2017 Symposium on the Hellenic Heritage of Western Greece*, Sioux City IA: Parnassos Press 2018, 201-214.
3. "Imaginary Islands in the Hellenistic Era: Utopia on the Geographical Map", in G. Hawes (ed.), *Myths on the Map: The Storied Landscapes of Ancient Greece*, Oxford: Oxford University Press 2017, 221-242.

Chapters in Books

1. "Diodorus Siculus, *Library*", in S.M. Trzaskoma and R.S. Smith (eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of Greek and Roman Mythography*, Oxford: Oxford University Press 2022, 178-185.

2. "Imaginary worlds: Maritime Fictional Spheres Located at Cardinal Points", in Marie-Claire Beaulieu (ed.), *A Cultural History of the Sea in Antiquity (500 BCE-800 CE)*, London: Bloomsbury Academic 2021, 173-192.

Book Reviews

"Review of *Diodorus Siculus and the World of the Late Roman Republic* by Charles Edward Muntz", *Phoenix*, 71 no. 3/4 (2017), 409-411.

"Review of D. Mendels, *Memory in Jewish, Pagan and Christian Societies of the Graeco-Roman World*, London and New York 2004", *Zmanim*, 93 (2006), 114-118. [Hebrew]

"Review of I. Malkin, *The Returns of Odysseus*, Tel Aviv 2004", *Zmanim*, 90 (2005), 102-105. [Hebrew]

Open University Books

The Constitutions of the Greek Polis, The Open University of Israel, 2022 [Hebrew]