HEBREW BIBLE / OLD TESTAMENT SEMINAR
2021 Hilary Term
Convener: Prof Hindy Najman (Oriel College)
Mondays 2:30–4:00 pm (*)

Please consult the Dropbox folder for pre-circulated materials each week.
Participants are encouraged to pre-circulate questions in advance.

Week 1: Monday 18 January
Hugh Williamson (Christ Church) - *Playing with the Moabites: textual and linguistic reflections on Isaiah 15–16.*

Week 2: Monday 25 January
Professionalization session for postgraduates only: Reviewing abstract submission for SBL/AAR and other conferences. (2:30 – 4:00 pm)

Hindy Najman (Oriel College) - *Poesis, Vitality and Articulation: Practices of Reading in Judaism.*

(* Please note this session begins at 5:00 pm instead of 2:30 pm as it is a joint session with The Bible in Art, Music and Literature Seminar)

Week 3: Monday 1 February
Cat Quine (University of Nottingham) - *History, Story and Ritual: (Un)Creating Royalty in 1-2 Kings.*

Week 4: Monday 8 February
Arjen Bakker (University of Groningen) - *Raz Nihyeh and the Sectarian Question.*

Week 5: Monday 15 February
No seminar session due to Apocalyptic Thinking Conference (14th February from 6:00 to 7:00 pm and 15th February from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm)

Please follow the link below for programme and registration:
https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/apocalyptic-thinking-tickets-129867155157

Week 6: Monday 22 February
Tova Ganzel (Bar-Ilan University) - *What can we learn about Ezekiel's Visionary Temple from its Babylonian Context?*

Week 7: Monday 1 March
John Day (Lady Margaret Hall) - *The Covenant with Noah and the Noachic Commandments.*

Week 8: Monday 8 March
No seminar session due to Groningen-Leuven-Oxford Network Workshop on Hebrew Bible and Jewish Antiquity (8th and 9th March from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm).

Please follow the link below for registration:
https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/groningen-leuven-oxford-workshop-on-hebrew-bible-and-jewish-antiquity-tickets-132087273591

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