

# Stamatina Mastorakou

## EDUCATION

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2003–2007:

**PhD** History of ancient astronomy, Centre for History of Science, Technology and Medicine, Imperial College, University of London.

Thesis title: “Hellenistic Popular Astronomy: Aratus’ *Phaenomena*”

Supervisor: Dr. Serafina Cuomo

2001–2003:

**MA** History and Philosophy of Science and Technology in the University of Athens, Greece.

Grade: distinction

1995–2001:

**BA** History and Philosophy of Science of the University of Athens. Grade: 8/10

## ACADEMIC POSTS AND WORK EXPERIENCE

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- **Junior Fellow**, Institute for Research in Classical Philosophy and Science at Princeton (September 2008–present)
- **Adjunct Assistant Professor**, The College of New Jersey Fall Semester 2008–  
Courses: (a) Ancient Latin, (b) Ancient Greek Mythology
- **Visiting Scholar**, New York University Classics Department (November 2007–September 2008)
- **Dictionary Assistant** at the Oxford University Press (part time: January 2007–September 2007)
- **Taught the course**: “Roman Empire” at Imperial College, London (2007)
- **Teaching assistant** for the course: “History of Science and Technology in Western Civilization” at Imperial College, London (2004–2005 & 2005–2006)
- **Private teacher of Modern Greek** in London (2004–2005 & 2006–2007)
- **Private piano teacher** (2001–2003 & 2006)

## PUBLICATIONS

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- Review of Mary Jaeger, *Archimedes and the Roman Imagination*, in *Aestimatio* 5 (2008) (forthcoming).
- Review of J. T. Ramsey, *A Descriptive Catalogue of Greco-Roman Comets from 500 B.C. to A.D. 400*, in *Classical Review* 58 (2008), 522–524.
- Review of J. L. Berggren, R. S. D. Thomas, *Euclid’s Phaenomena: A Translation and Study of a Hellenistic Treatise in Spherical Astronomy*, in *Isis* 98 (2007), 821–822.
- Review of V. Kalfas: *Philosophy and Science in Ancient Greece*, in *Cogito* 4 (2006), 120–121.

## CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

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- *March 2008*

### **Classical Association Annual Conference**

The University of Liverpool, UK

Paper presented: “Astronomy, Stoicism and Politics in Aratus’ *Phaenomena*” (funding from the Classical Association)

- *September 2006*

### **Workshop at Durham University on History of Astronomy**

Durham University, UK

Paper presented: “Star Maps on Ancient Globes” (funding from Durham University)

- *August 2006*

### **Eighth Groningen Workshop on Hellenistic Poetry**

University of Groningen, Netherlands

“Hellenistic Poetry: Nature and Science”, (respondent; funding from Imperial College)

- *July 2005*

### **The Seventh Biennial History of Astronomy Workshop**

University of Notre Dame, USA

Paper presented: “Ancient Popular Astronomy: Aratus’ *Phaenomena*” (funding from Imperial College and from the Royal Historical Society).

- *January 2005*

### **British Society of History of Science Postgraduate Conference**

Department of the History and Philosophy of Science, University of Cambridge, UK

Paper presented: “Ancient Popular Astronomy, Third Century B.C. to First Century A.D.” (funding from Imperial College).

- *July 2004*

**Summer School**, “Philosophy and Science in the Greco-Roman World”, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary (funding from the Central European University)

## GRANTS

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- Hans Rausing Bursary from Imperial College (October 2003 - January 2006)
- Grant from the Classical Association for research at the “Fondation Hardt pour l’Étude de l’Antiquité Classique” in Vandoeuvres, Geneva (16–27 October 2006)