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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

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### Current

#### Brown University

- 2024- **Assistant Professor of Archaeology & the Ancient World and Classics**, Brown University, USA.
- 2023- **Director of Undergraduate Studies**, Archaeology & the Ancient World, Brown University, USA.
- 2013- **Co-director**, Upper Sabina Tiberina Archaeological Project, Vacone, IT.

### Previous

#### Brown University

- 2019-2024 **Visiting Assistant Professor**, Joukowsky Institute for Archaeology & the Ancient World, Brown University, USA.

#### University of Alberta

- 2018-2019 **Instructor**, Department of History and Classics, University of Alberta, CA.

#### University of Oxford

- 2017-2018 **Post-doctoral researcher**, Oxford Roman Economy Project (OXREP), Faculty of Classics, University of Oxford, UK.
- 2015-2017 **Visiting Lecturer**, Faculty of Classics, University of Oxford, UK.
- 2014-2016 **Post-doctoral research assistant**, English Landscapes and Identities Project (EngLaId), Institute of Archaeology, University of Oxford, UK.

#### University of Edinburgh

- 2015 **Visiting Lecturer**, Department of Classics, University of Edinburgh, UK.

## EDUCATION

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- 2014 **DPhil**, Classical Archaeology, Christ Church, University of Oxford, UK.  
Thesis: *The Economic Development of the Rhine River Basin in the Roman Period, 30 BC – AD 406.*
- 2010 **MSt**, Classical Archaeology, Exeter College, University of Oxford, UK.
- 2009 **MA**, Classical and Near Eastern Archaeology, Bryn Mawr College, USA.  
Thesis: *The Cult of Mars in the Roman Imperial Period.*
- 2007 **BA**, Classics and Anthropology, Hobart and William Smith Colleges, USA.

**BOOKS**

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**Published**

- 2 Gosden, C., Green, C., A. Cooper, M. Creswell, V. Donnelly, **T.V. Franconi**, R. Glyde, Z. Kamash, S. Mallet, L. Morley, D. Stansbie, and L. ten Harkel 2021. *English Landscapes and Identities: investigating landscape change from 1500 BC to AD 1086*. Oxford University Press.
- Reviews:**  
 2023 - R. Pope in [American Antiquity](#) 88.4.  
 2022 - S. Rippon in [Antiquity](#) 96.387.  
 2022 - M. Johnson in [American Journal of Archaeology](#) 126.2.  
 2021 - S. Stoddart in [Current Archaeology](#) 10.4.  
 2021 - H. Renes in [Historical Geography](#) 49.
- 1 **Franconi, T.V.**, ed., 2017. *Fluvial Landscapes in the Roman World*. Journal of Roman Archaeology Supplement 104. Portsmouth, RI.
- Reviews:**  
 2021 – S. Tuck in [Journal of Roman Archaeology](#) 34.2.  
 2019 – A. Brock in [American Journal of Archaeology](#) 123.3.  
 2018 – T. Bongers in [Bryn Mawr Classical Review](#) 2018.5.28.  
 2017 – E. Harmon in [Phoenix](#) 71 3/4.

**ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS**

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**Published**

- 25 Rice, C., Bellato, G., Bloy, D., Farney, G., and **Franconi, T.V.** 2024. “Scavi alla villa romana di Vacone (RI), 2019,” in *Lazio e Sabina* 13.
- 24\* Rice, C., **Franconi, T.V.**, Bloy, D., and Farney, G. 2024. “Excavations at the Roman Villa of Vacone by the Upper Sabina Tiberina Project, 2012-2023,” in F. Colosi and C. Sfameni (eds.) *Ville Romane nella Sabina Tiberina: il territorio di Forum Novum*. Supplemento di *Mediterranea: Studi e Ricerche sul Mediterraneo Antico*. Roma. Pp. 133-45
- 23 **Franconi, T.V.** “Do rivers make good frontiers? Environmental change and Roman military policy,” in A. Tibbs and P. Campbell, eds., *Rivers and Waterways in the Roman Empire*. Routledge. Pp. 210-228.
- 22 **Franconi, T.V.** 2023. ‘The Environmental Context of Riverine Trade in the Roman World’, in M. Bentz and M. Heinzlmann (eds.), *Sessions 4–5, Single Contributions* (Archaeology and Economy in the Ancient World - Proceedings of the 19th International Congress of Classical Archaeology, Cologne/Bonn 2018). Heidelberg, 231–234.
- 21 **Franconi, T.V.**, T. Brughmans, E. Borisova, and L. Paulsen. 2023. “From Empire-wide integration to regional localization: A synthetic and quantitative study of heterogeneous amphora data in Roman Germania reveals centuries-long change in regional patterns of production and consumption.” *PLOS ONE* 18.e0279382.
- 20 Notarian, M., G. Carpentiero, L. Michielin, **T.V. Franconi**, C. Rice, D. Bloy and G.D. Farney. 2022. “Digital Vacone: The Upper Sabina Tiberina Project’s Transition from 2B Pencils to 3D Mesh”, *Studies in Digital Heritage*, 4.2: 108–133.
- 19 **Franconi, T.V.** 2021. “The environmental imperialism of the Roman Empire in northwestern Europe,” in P. Erdkamp, K. Verboven, and J.G. Manning, eds., *Climate and Society in Ancient Worlds. Diversity in Collapse and Resilience*. Palgrave: Palgrave Studies in Ancient Economies. Pp. 321-345.
- 18 **Franconi, T.V.** 2021. contributions on ‘Climate I and II’, ‘Riverine Geographies I’, ‘Funerary evidence: Roman’, ‘Landscape Accessibility I and II’, ‘Riverine and Coastal Transport’, in C. Green and M. Creswell, eds., *The Shaping of the English Landscape: An Atlas of Archaeology from the Bronze Age to Domesday Book*. Oxford: Archaeopress.

- 17 Ledger, M.L., I. Micarelli, D. Ward, T.L. Prowse, M. Carroll, K. Killgrove, C. Rice, **T.V. Franconi**, M.A. Tafuri, G. Manzi, and P.D. Mitchell. 2021. "Gastrointestinal infection in Italy during the Roman Imperial and Longobard periods: a palaeoparasitological analysis of sediment from skeletal remains and sewer drains," *International Journal of Paleopathology* 33: 61-71.
- 16 **Franconi, T.V.** 2020. "Hydrological change and settlement dislocation along the later Roman Rhine," in P. Cimadomo, R. Palermo, R. Pappalardo, R. Pierobon, eds., *Before/After. Abandonment, Collapse, and Transformation in the Roman and Late Antique World*. Oxford: Archaeopress. Pp. 35-49.
- 15 **Franconi, T.V.**, C. Rice, D. Bloy, and G. Farney 2019. "Excavations at the Roman villa of Vacone (Lazio) by the Upper Sabina Tiberina Project, 2012-2018," in C. Sfameni and M. Volpi, eds., *Oltre la Villa: Ricerche nei siti archeologici del territorio di Cottanello, Configni, Vacone e Montasola*. Rome: Arbor Sapientiae. Pp. 101-128.
- 14 **Franconi, T.V.** and C. Green 2019. "Broad and coarse: modelling demography, subsistence, and transportation in Roman England," in P. Verhagen, J. Joyce, M. Groenhuijzen (eds.) *Finding the Limits of Limes: modelling demography, economy, and transport on the Edge of the Roman Empire*. Springer, Pp. 61-75.
- 13 **Franconi, T.V.** 2018. "The import and distribution of eastern amphorae within the Rhine provinces." *Journal of Roman Pottery Studies* 17: 1-10.
- 12 Pollari, F., G. Farney, **T.V. Franconi**, and C. Rice 2018. "Villa Romana di Vacone (RI): Nuovi mosaici dal settore urbano della villa," *Atti del XXIII Colloquio dell'Associazione Italiana per lo Studio e la Conservazione del Mosaiico*. Tivoli, Pp. 805-809.
- 11 ten Harkel, L., **T.V. Franconi**, and C. Gosden 2017. "Fields, ritual, and religion: holistic approaches to the rural landscape in long-term perspective (c. 1500 BC – AD 1086)," *Oxford Journal of Archaeology* 36.4: 413-37.
- 10 **Franconi, T.V.** 2017. "Studying rivers in the Roman world," in T.V. Franconi, ed., *Fluvial Landscapes in the Roman World*. Journal of Roman Archaeology Supplement 104. Portsmouth. Pp. 7-22.
- 9 **Franconi, T.V.** 2017. "*Pater Rhenus*: the hydrological history of Rome's German frontier," in T.V. Franconi, ed., *Fluvial Landscapes in the Roman World*. Journal of Roman Archaeology Supplement 104. Portsmouth. Pp. 85-96.
- 8 Bloy, D., G. Masci, C. Rice, **T.V. Franconi**, G. D. Farney, and M. Notarian 2017. "The Upper Sabina Tiberina Project. I risultati della seconda campagna di scavo a Vacone (RI)." *Lazio e Sabina* 11: 57-63.
- 7 C. Green, Cooper, A., C. Gosden, **T.V. Franconi**, L. ten Harkel, A. Lowerre, and Z. Kamash 2017. "Peopling the English landscape: modelling population proxies for England, 1500 BC to AD 1086," *The Archaeological Journal* 174.1: 244-80.
- 6 **Franconi, T.V.** 2016 "Querns, weights, and food production in area D," in E. Fentress, C. Goodson, and M. Maiuro, eds., *Villa Magna: an Imperial Estate and its Legacies*. Rome: Publications of the British School at Rome. Pp. 136-38.
- 5 **Franconi, T.V.** 2016. "Finds from the Castrum," in E. Fentress, C. Goodson, and M. Maiuro, eds., *Villa Magna: an Imperial Estate and its Legacies*. Rome: Publications of the British School at Rome. Pp. 339-43.
- 4 **Franconi, T.V.** 2016. "Climatic influences on riverine transport on the Roman Rhine," in C. Schäfer, ed., *Connecting the Ancient World: Mediterranean Shipping, Maritime Networks and their Impact*. Pharos: Studien zur griechisch-römischen Antike, Band 38. Rahden. Pp. 27-46.
- 3 **Franconi, T.V.** 2016. "Thames" and "Moselle" in R. Bagnall, K. Brodersen, C. Champion, A. Erskine, and S. Huebner, eds., *Blackwell Encyclopedia of Ancient History*.
- 2 **Franconi, T.V.** 2014. "Provincial cults of Mars in the Roman Empire," in L. Brody and G. Hoffmann, eds., *Rome in the Provinces: Art on the Periphery of Empire*. Boston: McMullen Museum of Art. Pp. 145-54.

- 1 **Franconi, T.V.** 2012. “Raetia” in R. Bagnall, K. Brodersen, C. Champion, A. Erskine, and S. Huebner, eds., *Blackwell Encyclopedia of Ancient History*.

## **DIGITAL DATASETS**

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- 2023 Brughmans, T., Borisova, E., Paulsen, L., and **Franconi, T.V.** (2022). “RAAD Publication GitHub Repository”. <https://github.com/Tom-Brughmans/RAAD>.
- 2021 **Franconi, T.V.** and Larkin, E. (2021). “A database of human burials in early medieval Italy” DOI: 10.5281/zenodo.5495521.
- 2021 **Franconi, T.V.** (2021). “Roman Amphorae Assemblages Database,” DOI: 10.5281/zenodo.5213724.

## **BOOK REVIEWS AND REVIEW ARTICLES**

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- 6 **Franconi, T.V.** 2019. Hodgson, Nick, Paul T. Bidwell and Judith Schachtmann (eds.). Roman frontier studies 2009: proceedings of the XXI International Congress of Roman Frontier Studies (Limes congress) held at Newcastle upon Tyne in August 2009. Archaeopress Roman archaeology, 25. Oxford: Archaeopress Publishing 2017. *Bryn Mawr Classical Review* 2019: 03.04.
- 5 **Franconi, T.V.** 2017. Seiler, S. *Die Entwicklung der römischen Villenwirtschaft im Trierer Land: agrarökonomische und infrastrukturelle Untersuchungen eines römischen Wirtschaftsgebiets*. (Wiesbaden 2015). *Bryn Mawr Classical Review* 2017.05.06.
- 4 **Franconi, T.V.** 2016. Hughes, J.D. *Environmental Problems of the Greeks and Romans*. 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. (Baltimore, 2014). *The Classical Review* 66.2.
- 3 **Franconi, T.V.** 2014. Haynes, I. *Blood of the Provinces: The Roman Auxilia and the Making of Provincial Society from Augustus to the Severans*. (Oxford, 2013). *Bryn Mawr Classical Review* 2014: 09.16.
- 2 **Franconi, T.V.** 2013. Konrad, M. and C. Witschel (edd.). *Römische Legionslager in den Rhein-und Donauprovinzen: Nuclei spätantik-frühmittelalterlichen Lebens?* (München, 2010). *Bryn Mawr Classical Review* 2013: 7.44.
- 1 **Franconi, T.V.** 2013. “Rome and the power of ancient rivers,” *Journal of Roman Archaeology* 26.2: 705-11. (Long review of Campbell, B. 2012 *Rivers and the Power of Ancient Rome*. Chapel Hill.)

## **RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS (\* denotes invited lecture)**

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- 47\* **Franconi, T.V.** and Bosselmann-Ruickbie, A. 2024 “Can I play with Metal? Visions of Heavy Metal in School and University Curricula,” *Heavy Metal & Global Premodernity II* online conference.
- 46 **Franconi, T.V.**, Bellato, G., Bloy, D., Farney, G., McLean, A., Page, J., Rice, C. 2024. “Results from the 2023 Season of Excavation at the Roman Villa of Vacone, Italy by the Upper Sabina Tiberina Project,” 125<sup>th</sup> Annual meeting of the AIA, Chicago, IL, USA.
- 45 Coto-Sarmiento, M., Brughmans, T., and **Franconi, T.V.** 2023. “Market competition in a frontier region: exploring economic trends in Germania during the Roman empire through simulation experiments,” 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the European Association of Archaeologists (EAA), Belfast, NI.
- 44\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2023. “Catastrophic(?) floods in the Roman North: chronologies, causes, and contexts.” *Catastrophes in Context: the Archaeology of Catastrophes from the 1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> CE in the Mediterranean Region*, All Souls College, University of Oxford, UK.
- 43\* van Dommelen, P., **Franconi, T.V.** 2023. “Introductions to Archaeologies of the Mediterranean,” *State of the Field: Archaeologies of the Mediterranean*. Brown University, USA.

- 42 Brughmans, T., **Franconi, T.V.**, Borisova, E., and Paulsen, L. 2023. "Aoristic temporal study of heterogeneous amphora data in Roman Germania reveals centuries-long change in regional patterns of production and consumption." Computer Applications and Quantitative Methods in Archaeology (CAA) 2023, Amsterdam, NL.
- 41 Rice, C.R., Bloy, D., Farney, G., **Franconi, T.V.**, McLean, A., Page, J. 2023. "The Upper Sabina Tiberina Project: the 2022 Excavation Season at the Roman Villa of Vacone," 124<sup>th</sup> Annual meeting of the AIA, New Orleans, LA, USA.
- 40\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2022. "Environmental change and Roman military policy on European riverine frontiers," *Zur neueren Forschung in der Alten Geschichte*. University of Basel, CH.
- 39\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2021. "The English Landscapes and Identities Project and the changing face of the English landscape from 1500 BC to AD 1086," Brown University, USA.
- 38\* Rice, C. R. and **Franconi, T.V.** 2021. "Archaeology in and of Pandemics," Brown Club of the United Kingdom. Zoom event.
- 37 Ward, D. L., Bloy, D., Farney, G., **Franconi, T.V.**, and Rice, C. 2020. A Late Roman and Early Medieval Cemetery at the Roman Villa of Vacone. 121<sup>st</sup> Annual meeting of the AIA, Washington D.C., USA.
- 36\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2019. "Looking in from the edge: on the marginality of Roman frontier economies," Brown University, USA.
- 35\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2019. "The economic lives of Roman frontiers: old models and new data," *Frontier Economies in the Roman World*, All Souls College, University of Oxford, UK.
- 34\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2019. "The environmental imperialism of the Roman Empire in northwestern Europe," *Climate and Society in the Ancient World: Diversity in Collapse and Resilience*, Vrije Universiteit Brussel, BE.
- 33\* Pollari, F., Rice, C., **Franconi, T.V.**, Farney, G. 2018 "La Villa Romana di Vacone, 2012-2018," *Oltre la Villa: Ricerche nei siti archeologici del territorio di Cottanello, Montasola, Configni, e Vacone*. Cottanello, IT.
- 32\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2018. "Big Data' and Archaeology: new light on the landscapes of Roman England," Edmonton Society of the AIA, University of Alberta, CA.
- 31\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2018. "The environmental context of riverine trade in the Roman world," 19<sup>th</sup> meeting of AIAC, *Archaeology and Economy in the Ancient World*, Köln and Bonn, DE.
- 30\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2018. "The environmental imperialism of the Roman Empire in northern Europe," Keynote lecture of *Space, Nature, and Boundaries: Humanity in the World*, University of Alberta, Edmonton, CA.
- 29\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2018. "The Environmental Imperialism of the Roman Empire," Faculty of Classics, University of Oxford, UK.
- 28 **Franconi, T.V.**, D. Bloy, G. Farney, M. Notarian, and C. Rice 2018. "The Upper Sabina Tiberina Project: sixth excavation season at Vacone," 119<sup>th</sup> Annual meeting of the AIA. Boston, USA.
- 27\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2017. "The Roman Amphorae Assemblage Database and a reassessment of the 'Annona Militaris' on the Rhine frontier," Roman Discussion Forum, University of Oxford, UK.
- 26 **Franconi, T.V.** 2017. "The Roman Amphorae Assemblage Database and the study of amphorae-borne commodities to the German frontier, a preliminary report," 27<sup>th</sup> TRAC, Durham, UK.
- 25\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2017. "Cultivating change: Roman agricultural production and soil erosion in the Thames River basin," *Finding the Limits of Limes*, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, NL.

- 24 Rice, C., D. Bloy, G. Farney, **T.V. Franconi**, 2017. "The Upper Sabina Tiberina Project: Fifth Excavation Season at Vacone," 118<sup>th</sup> Annual meeting of the AIA. Toronto, CA.
- 23\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2016. "Urban life and the built environment in the Roman world," Leiden University, NL.
- 22\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2016. "Land, water, and change: the environmental context of life along the Roman Rhine," Università degli Studi di Napoli Federico II, Napoli, IT.
- 21\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2016. "Rivers and the Roman environment," St Andrews University, UK.
- 20\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2016. "Hydrological change and settlement dislocation along the later-Roman Rhine frontier," 26<sup>th</sup> TRAC. Roma, IT.
- 19\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2016. "Reconsidering Roman frontier economies: the view from Germany," University of Toronto, CA.
- 18 Farney, G., D. Bloy, **T.V. Franconi**, and C. Rice 2016. "The Upper Sabina Tiberina Project: Fourth Excavation Season at Vacone," 117<sup>th</sup> Annual meeting of the AIA. San Francisco, USA.
- 17\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2015. "Four seasons of excavation at the Roman Villa di Orazio in Vacone, Italy," Oxford archaeological fieldwork seminar, University of Oxford, UK.
- 16\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2015. "Hydrological influence on floodplain settlement in Roman Britain and Germany," Past Landscapes and Communities, University of Oxford, UK.
- 15\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2015. "Roman frontiers as economic third spaces, the view from Germany," Roman and Late-Roman lecture series. University of Edinburgh, UK.
- 14\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2015. "Economic development along Rome's German frontier," Roman Discussion Forum. University of Oxford, UK.
- 13 Rice, C., D. Bloy, G. Farney, and **T.V. Franconi** 2015. "The Upper Sabina Tiberina Project: Third Excavation Season at Vacone," 116<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the AIA. New Orleans, USA.
- 12\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2014. "The hydrological history of the Rhine frontier in the Roman period," Shifting Fluvial Landscapes in the Roman World. All Souls College, University of Oxford, UK.
- 11 Masci, G., D. Bloy, G. Farney, **T.V. Franconi**, M. Notarian, C. Rice, 2014 "The Upper Sabina Tiberina Project: i risultati della seconda campagna di scavo a Vacone (RI)," Lazio e Sabina 2014. Roma, IT.
- 10\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2014. "Climatic and environmental factors influencing riverine navigation in the Roman West," Seminar für Alte Geschichte, Universität Trier, DE.
- 9 Rice, C., D. Bloy, G. Farney, **T.V. Franconi**, and M. Notarian 2014. "The Upper Sabina Tiberina Project: Second Excavation Season at Vacone," 115<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the AIA. Chicago, USA.
- 8\* Rice, C. and **T.V. Franconi** 2013. "Manufacture and Trade in the Roman world," Rome in the Provinces: Art on the Periphery of Empire Scholars' Day. Yale University, New Haven, USA.
- 7 **Franconi, T.V.** 2012. "New paths to economic theorization of the Roman frontier," 22<sup>nd</sup> TRAC. Frankfurt am Main, DE.
- 6 **Franconi, T.V.** 2012. "River trade and the supply of amphorae to the Rhine frontier," 113<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the AIA. Philadelphia, USA.
- 5\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2011. "*Ex Vitriariis Germaniae*: glass production in Roman Germany," Production and Supply in the Roman World. All Souls College, University of Oxford, UK.
- 4\* **Franconi, T.V.** 2011. "Glass production and the economy of Roman Germany," Roman Discussion Forum. University of Oxford, UK.

- 3 **Franconi, T.V.** 2011. “*Aequanit Latias ubi quondam Gallia Cannas*: the provinces of Roman Germany in the 4<sup>th</sup> Century AD,” *The Archaeology of Recovery: Adaptive Strategies in Response to Crisis*. University of Oxford, UK.
- 2 **Franconi, T.V.** 2010. “Mars across the Channel: similarities and differences in religious experience in Britain and the Northwest Provinces,” 9<sup>th</sup> Roman Archaeology Conference (RAC). Oxford, UK.
- 1 **Franconi, T.V.** 2010. “*Deo Marti*: votive dedications to Mars in the Imperial period,” 111<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the AIA. Anaheim, USA.

#### **POSTER PRESENTATIONS (\* denotes invited presentation)**

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- 6\* Page, J., G. Farney, C. Rice, **T.V. Franconi**, and D. Bloy, 2024. “Le terme della villa romana di Vacone (RI). Trasformazione e cambiamento dalla Repubblica al IV secolo d.C.” *Lazio e Sabina, serie seconda*. 14 Incontro di Studi, Roma, IT.
- 5\* Bellato, G., D. Bloy, G. Farney, **T.V. Franconi**, and C. Rice, 2022. “Nuove ricerche sulla villa romana di Vacone (RI),” *Lazio e Sabina, serie seconda*. 13 Incontro di Studi. Roma, IT.
- 4 Larkin, E. and **T.V. Franconi**, 2022. “Tracking the First Pandemic of *Yersinia pestis* (AD 541-750/767) through Italy,” 122<sup>nd</sup> Annual meeting of the AIA, San Francisco, USA.
- 3\* Pollari, F., G. Farney, C. Rice, and **T.V. Franconi**, 2017. “La Cd. Villa Di Orazio A Vacone (Ri). Nuovi Mosaici Dal Settore Urbano Della Villa,” XXIII Colloquio di L'Associazione Italiana per lo Studio e la Conservazione del Mosaico (AISCOM), Narni, IT.
- 2 Ward, D., D. Bloy, G. Farney, **T.V. Franconi**, and C. Rice, 2017. “Post-Occupation Burials at the Villa Romana di Vacone (Lazio, Italy),” 118<sup>th</sup> Annual meeting of the AIA, Toronto, CA.
- 1\* Rice, C., G. Farney, **T.V. Franconi**, D. Bloy, G. Masci. 2015. “La villa di Vacone (RI): testimonianze archeologiche della produzione agricoltura,” *Lazio e Sabina* 2015. Roma, IT.

#### **ORGANIZATIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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- 2023 **Co-organizer** (with P. van Dommelen) “State of the Field 2023: Archaeologies of the Mediterranean,” Brown University, USA.
- 2020 **Organizer**, “Pandemics in Antiquity” 4-part webinar series, Brown University, USA.
- 2019 **Co-organizer** (with A.I. Wilson) conference “Frontier Economies in the Roman Empire,” Oxford Roman Economy Project, University of Oxford, UK.
- 2015 **Co-organizer** (with EngLaId team) conference “Past Landscapes and Communities,” Keble College, University of Oxford, UK.
- 2014-2015 **Co-convener** (with A.I. Wilson), the Roman Discussion Forum, Institute of Archaeology, University of Oxford, UK.
- 2014 **Organizer**, conference “Shifting Fluvial Landscapes in the Roman World: new directions in the study of ancient rivers,” University of Oxford, UK.
- 2013 **Co-moderator** (with C. Rice) session on Trade and Manufacture, “Being Roman in the Provinces,” Yale University, USA.
- 2012 **Co-organizer** (with M. Weber) of TRAC panel: “Conceptualizing Frontier Markets: The free market, imperial supply, and expressions of local identity,” Frankfurt am Main, DE.
- 2012 **Co-organizer** (with C. Rice) of AIA colloquium: “New Models of Trade and Supply in the Roman Empire,” Philadelphia, USA.

## ARCHAEOLOGICAL FIELDWORK

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### Current

2013- **Upper Sabina Tiberina Project**, Vacone, Italy.  
Co-director and finds specialist.

### Previous

2012 **Tunisian-British Utica Project**, Utica, Tunisia.  
Non-ceramic finds specialist, field archaeologist.

2011 **Sacred Landscape Project**, San Giovanni in Galdo, Italy.  
Finds specialist, field archaeologist.

2008-2010 **Villamagna Project**, Villa Magna, Italy.  
Non-ceramic finds specialist, field archaeologist.

2006-2008 **Pemaquid Colonial Site**, Maine, USA.  
Field school instructor, field archaeologist.

## COURSES TAUGHT

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### Brown University

1. ARCH 322: *Somewhere Back in Time: archaeology, the ancient world, and heavy metal music*
2. ARCH 407: *Hadrian's Wall: soldiers and civilians on Rome's northern frontier*
3. ARCH 528: *Living on the edge: the archaeology of frontier communities in the Roman Empire*
4. ARCH 529: *Swords, Sandals, and Saunas: the Roman army in war and peace*
5. ARCH 680: *Water, culture, and power*
6. ARCH 1765: *Pathogens, pandemics, and plagues in the Greek and Roman worlds*
7. ARCH 1970: *Individual Study Project in Old World Archaeology and Art*
8. ARCH 1990: *Senior Honors Thesis in Archaeology and the Ancient World*
9. ARCH 2265: *Nature and society in the ancient world*
10. ARCH 2610: *From Hilltop to Caput Mundi: the archaeology of the Roman world*
11. ARCH 2635: *An Empire without Bounds: the Roman Empire in its 'global' context*

### University of Alberta

1. CLASS 102: *Greek and Roman mythology*
2. CLASS 104: *Introduction to ancient Rome*
3. CLASS 110: *The ancient world*
4. CLASS 255: *Introduction to Roman art and archaeology*

### University of Oxford

1. *Roman Archaeology I: Cities and settlements under the Roman Empire*
2. *Roman Archaeology III: Roman urban living*
3. *Texts and Contexts*
4. *Roman architecture*
5. *Art under the Roman Empire, AD 14-337*
6. *Roman Urban Systems*
7. *Roman Archaeology II: The Archaeology of the Roman Economy*
8. *The Roman Middle Imperial Period, AD 70-250*

### University of Edinburgh

1. *The Julio-Claudians and the Creation of the Roman Empire*



## UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING

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### Brown University

- 2023-2024 Kaitlyn Torres, *Women's lives in Roman Britain through written material*. Senior Honor's Thesis supervision.
- 2023-2024 Jonathan Leite, *Religious dynamism in frontier communities of Roman Numidia*. Senior Honor's Thesis supervision.
- 2023-2024 Colin Wire, *Imperial Cult in Archeological Borderlands: A Multidimensional Approach to Emperor Worship in Roman Dabkla*. Senior Honor's Thesis supervision.
- 2022-2023 Edan Larkin, *Tracking the First Pandemic in Italy from 541-750 CE: A Human History of Life and Loss*. Senior Honor's thesis co-supervision with Jonathan Conant (History).
- 2021-2022 Zhiping Ding, *The 'Antonine Plague' in Han China: contemporaneous pandemic disease on opposite ends of the old world*. Senior Honor's thesis supervision.
- 2021 Edan Larkin, *Tracking Plague in Early Medieval Italy during the First Pandemic (AD 540-750)*. Undergraduate Teaching and Research Award supervision.
- 2020 Summer Vacone remote research group apprenticeships with Zhiping Ding, Rachel Schapiro, Connor Jordan, Nathan Allen, Jonathan Leite.

### University of Oxford

- 2014-2015 Judith Moore, *The 'illiterate' curse tablets from Roman Bath: ritual and religion in provincial magic*, Balliol College.
- 2012-2013 Elizabeth McDonald, *Form, Function, and the Interpretation of the Augustan Building Program*. University College.
- 2012-2013 Jason Dwyer-Jones, *Roman Swords in the British Museum: an Analysis of five 1<sup>st</sup> Century AD Roman Swords*. Christ Church.

## DOCTORAL DISSERTATION COMMITTEES

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### Brown University

- 2023- Erynn Bentley, *The Place of Bone Craftsman in Cities of the Roman West*. Joukowsky Institute for Archaeology and the Ancient World, Brown University.
- 2022- Julia Hurley, *Foodways Across Boundaries in Iron Age and Roman-period Britain*, Joukowsky Institute for Archaeology and the Ancient World, Brown University.

## OUTREACH EVENTS

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- 2023 College Day at Brown - What Lies Beneath: How Brown's Archaeologists Uncover History, Brown University, Providence, USA.
- 2013-2022 Archaeology public days, Vacone, Italy.
- 2019 Uncover Archaeology: community archaeology day, Brown University, Providence, USA.
- 2018 Classics Open House, University of Alberta, Edmonton, CA.
- 2018 AIA day of Archaeology, University of Alberta, Edmonton, CA.
- 2016 Horatio's Garden 'Looking Out', Duke of Cornwall Spinal Treatment Centre at Salisbury District Hospital. Salisbury, UK.