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**AUSTRALIAN, CLASSICS SCHOLAR TO VISIT UM**

**Missoula --**

The public is invited to attend a lecture by classics scholar John Penwill at The University of Montana.

Penwill will present "Images of the City in Virgil, Calpurnius and Calvino" on Monday, Feb. 23. The talk will be held in room 302 of the Liberal Arts Building at UM from 3:30 to 5 p.m.

Penwill is coordinator of western traditions at LaTrobe University in Bendigo, Australia. He also teaches classics and is associate editor of *Ramus: Critical Studies in Greek and Roman Literature*, a classical literary journal. Penwill is currently on a study leave from the university and is traveling the United States, including California, where he recently has lectured.

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