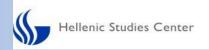


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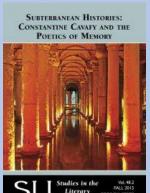
## "Cavafy's Odyssey"

which will take place at **6:15pm on April 8, 2019** in the Kopleff Recital Hall at Georgia State University. Several of Dr. Jusdanis's most important books will also be available for purchase at this event.

Cavafy's "Ithaca" is one of the most famous poems in the world. Speaking to Odysseus just before he sets off for Ithaca, it also directs itself to all readers. But the poem charts Cavafy's own odyssey as a poet as well. This lecture will examine earlier versions of this poem in order to consider the strategies Cavafy used to transform himself from an unpromising versifier in Alexandria to today's global poet.

Following the lecture, Dr. **Nick Demos** will direct the latest in his NeoPhonia music series, one in which Dr. Jusdanis's recent translation of Cavafy's poem, "Ithaca," will be set to a new musical score.

The concert will begin at **7:30pm**.



These events are free and open to the public.

