Join us for the Colloquium on Ancient and Modern Political Inquiry, featuring Kip Averitt, Peter Aicher, and Sandra Postel on the Baylor University campus.

This year’s colloquium is presented as a free event for the public through the efforts of the Baylor Honors College, Department of Classics, Center for Reservoir and Aquatic Systems Research (CRASR), Institute of Ecological, Earth and Environmental Sciences (TIE³S), Department of Environmental Science, Environmental Health Science Program, College of Arts and Sciences, School of Engineering and Computer Science, and Office of the Vice Provost for Research. All presentations will be held in either the Cashion Academic Center or the Alexander Reading Room.

The Honorable Kip Averitt earned a BBA and MBA in economics and finance from Baylor University. After serving nine-and-a-half years in the Texas House of Representatives Averitt was elected to the Texas Senate in April 2002. Averitt is chairman of the Senate Committee on Natural Resources. During the 80th Session, Averitt crafted and passed Senate Bill 3, a powerful tool in his ongoing efforts to ensure a clean, adequate, and affordable supply of water for future generations of Texans. Senate Bill 3 also advances the development of Texas water policy by protecting instream flows, encouraging conservation of existing water resources, and allowing new water projects identified by the State Water Plan to meet our future water needs.

Dr. Peter Aicher is a Professor of Classics at the University of Southern Maine. He is the author of the books *Guide to the Aqueducts of Ancient Rome* and *Rome Alive: A Source-guide to the Ancient City*, and he is a contributor to a forthcoming UNESCO volume on ancient water supplies in cultural contexts. He has lectured widely on ancient water technology at diverse venues throughout the United States, including the Getty Villa, Hanover College's River Institute, and the American Water Association. His expertise in ancient aqueducts and the city of Rome has been featured on television documentaries broadcast by NOVA, Discovery Channel, and National Geographic.

Dr. Sandra Postel, founding director of the Global Water Policy Project, directs the independent Global Water Policy Project and lectures, writes, and consults on international water issues. Author of several acclaimed books, Postel also is a Freshwater Fellow of the National Geographic Society, serving as lead water expert for the Society's freshwater initiative. In 2002, Postel was named one of the “Scientific American 50” for her contributions to water policy.

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In the 21st century, people again see the importance of understanding the history and political institutions that gave rise to our own. Baylor University’s Colloquium on Ancient and Modern Political Inquiry (CAMPI) seeks to promote a conversation between those engaged in contemporary politics and scholars grounded in the study of the ancient world. CAMPI seeks to present the best scholarship concerning ancient and modern politics with bearings upon the pressing political and cultural issues of our time.