

WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN WHAT THE SUMERIANS REALLY THOUGHT ABOUT HEMATITE?



THEN CONSIDER JOINING THE ASTRONOMY DEPARTMENT'S
OBSCURE ANCIENT LANGUAGES GROUP

MONDAYS DURING LUNCHTIME THIS SUMMER IN ROOM 301

**WE WILL LEARN THE BASICS OF THE SUMERIAN LANGUAGE AND CUNEIFORM SCRIPT
AND READ A TRANSLATION OF A "GEOLOGICALLY INTERESTING" SUMERIAN MYTH,
WHERE A GOD FIGHTS A VOLCANO (MAYBE) AND LECTURES ROCKS (YES, ROCKS)**

NO EXPERIENCE OR KNOWLEDGE OF ANCIENT LANGUAGES IS NEEDED!

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED,
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