- 1. Call to order of the business meeting
- 2. Officers' introductions and reports
  - a. Fall minutes
  - b. Treasurer's report by Cliff Broeniman
  - Tournaments, contests, and awards reports from those committee chairs
    N.B. Some committees have had difficulties making awards due to lack of nominations and submissions, ergo more publicity needed.)
- 3. Intro of new folks, guests, first-timers
- Announcements, promotions, items for the good of the group, including reminders to visit the silent auction which raises funds for grants for members for professional development
- 5. First speaker Dr. Elza Tiner, University of Lynchburg, gave a wonderful and thoughtful talk on "Performing Latin: The Dialogue as Dramatic Form" focusing on medieval Latin.
- 6. Break for lunch and our group photograph
- 7. Results of the silent auction, a reminder to pay and collect your plunder, and to take advantage of the "donations accepted" and "free to good homes" tables.
- 8. Second speaker Dr. Chris Motz, University of Richmond archaeologist, enlightened us on the intricacies of the garum industry with his topic "Connecting Ecology, Economy, and Craft in the Roma Fish-Salting Industry" but alas, there were no tasting samples.
- 9. For the third speaker, our host Dr. Amy Cohen, Randolph College, we adjourned to the Ehlert Room so that she could both tell and show us "Modern Methods in Ancient Mask Production" based on her and her students' ongoing work in creating and recreating Athenian theater masks. From the extensive collection of masks from prior and current productions, attendees could see the development and progression of the research and crafting techniques.
- 10. Spring meeting adjourned and we look forward to the Fall meeting in October.