1998 ANNUAL MEETING AND PROGRAM

The 1998 Annual Meeting of the American Society of Greek and Latin Epigraphy will begin at 8:30 AM on Wednesday, December 30, immediately preceding the Society's AIA/APA Joint Colloquium, in the Maryland C room of the Marriott Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, D.C.

The Society is pleased to announce that its annual paper session will be an APA/AIA Joint Panel Session in tribute to Herbert Bloch, who will be made an honorary life member of the Society. All friends and admirers of Professor Bloch are invited to attend. The program will include the following papers.

Introduction: "Diana Recepta: A New Metrical Inscription from Cosa" John Bodel, Rutgers University.

"Herbert Bloch and the New CIL XV.1" E.M. Steinby, University of Oxford.

"Warrior, War-band, and Goddess" Paul B. Harvey, Jr., Pennsylvania State University.

"A New Identification for the Porticus Aemilia?" Steven L. Tuck, University of Evansville.

"The Arch of Augustus and the Roman Triumph" Russell T. Scott, Bryn Mawr College.


OTHER PAPERS OF INTEREST TO EPIGRAPHERS AT THE AIA/APA MEETINGS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28

8:30 AM. APA Session 4.

The So-Called "Athenian Coinage Decree" Reconsidered. Leah R. Johnson, Wayne State University.

11:00 AM-1:30 PM. AIA Session 1H.


1:30 - 4:30 PM. AIA Session 2G.


TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29

1:30 - 4:30 PM. AIA Session 4D.


WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30

11:30 AM. APA Session 65.


NEWS OF AND FROM MEMBERS

Angelos Chaniotis published, as an appendix to an article about Aphrodiasia in Caria, "Inscriptions from Bücak Köyü (Ancient Syneta?)," in American Journal of Archaeology 102 (April 1998), 248-50.

Henry R. Immerwahr has finished a preliminary version of his Corpus of Attic Vase Inscriptions (CAVI). This preliminary edition is in five volumes and contains 8,137 items. There is a Greek index. Except for merchants' marks, the aim has been to include all writing, painted or scratched, found on Attic pottery. Hard copies of the corpus exist at present at the University of North Carolina, the American School of Classical Studies in Athens, and the Beazley Archive, Ashmolean Museum, Oxford. An electronic copy has been sent to the Packard Humanities Institute for inclusion in the next version of the PHI disk containing the Greek inscriptions.

Members may be interested in Elias Kapetanopoulos' Website at <http://www.history.ccsu.edu/elia/erian.htm>. The section entitled DHMOSIEUSEIS contains various items of interest and use to epigraphers, among them an updatable list of Athenian archons from the time of Augustus on, and a list of the ephetic catalogues known from the time of the Roman Empire.

The recent Journal of Roman Archaeology (Volume 11, 1998) contained several items of interest to epigraphers, mostly review articles or long reviews:


Francisco Beltrán Lloris, "Las inscripciones romanicas de Barcelona," pp. 605-610.


CALL FOR PAPERS FOR 1999:
EPIGRAPHY AND RELIGION

ASGLE will sponsor a session of papers at the December 1999 Annual Meetings. The topic will be Epigraphy and Religion. This panel aims to provide a representative sampling of the ways in which inscriptive evidence contributes to our knowledge of ancient, especially Greek and Roman, religions. To this end papers on a wide variety of themes are invited and a balance of topics among them will be sought. Abstracts of 500 to 800 words, for papers 15 to 20 minutes in length, are invited from all interested scholars. You do not need to be a member of ASGLE to participate in this panel. Please send three copies, to arrive by February 1, 1999, to John Bodel, Department of Classics, Rutgers University, 131 George St., New Brunswick, NJ 08901-1414. For further information, please see the July 1998 issue of this Newsletter.

CALL FOR PROPOSALS

As an affiliated group of the American Philological Association, ASGLE may sponsor a paper session at the annual joint meetings of the APA and AIA. Suggestions for appropriate topics for meetings after the 1999 Annual Meeting are welcome and should be addressed to the vice-president, whose responsibility it will be to select a topic or theme and to issue a call for papers. Submissions will be refereed anonymously.
SPECIAL ISSUE OF THE AMERICAN JOURNAL OF PHILOLOGY ON THE SENATUS CONSULTUM DE PISONE PATRE

AJP 120.1 (1999), which is scheduled to appear in March 1999, will be devoted to papers concerning the SC de Pisone.

Contents:

Preface of the Editor.
Cynthia Damon and Sarolta Takács:
   Introduction
   The Text of the Senatus Consultum de Pisone Patre
   Translation of the Senatus Consultum de Pisone Patre
   Plates I-VIII: The A text of the Senatus Consultum de Pisone Patre

John Bodel, "Punishing Piso"

D. S. Potter, "Political Theory in the Senatus Consultum de Pisone Patre"

Richard J. A. Talbert, "Tacitus and the Senatus Consultum de Pisone Patre"

Harriet I. Flower, "Piso in Chicago: A Commentary on the APA/AIA Joint Seminar on the Senatus Consultum de Pisone Patre"

Edward Champlin, Review article: Werner Eck, Antonio Caballos, and Fernando Fernández, Das senatus consultum de Cn. Pisone patre

Julián González, "Tacitus, Germanicus, Piso and the Tabula Siaresnis"

Cynthia Damon, "The Trial of Cn. Piso in Tacitus' Annals and the Senatus Consultum de Pisone Patre: New Light on Narrative Technique"

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POST-DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS AT OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

The Center for Epigraphical and Palaeographical Studies at The Ohio State University offers short-term fellowships (of one to four months duration) to support visitors pursuing post-doctoral research in Greek and Latin history and epigraphy. The fellowships pay for travel to and from Columbus and a living expense of $1,500 per month. Recipients are expected to be in residence during the tenure of the award and are encouraged to participate in the activities of the University.

The Center’s holdings include, in addition to a comprehensive library to support the study of Greek and Latin inscriptions, Arthur and Joyce Gordon’s photographs and squeezes of Latin inscriptions, J.K. Evans’s photo archive of Latin inscriptions from north Italy, J.M.R. Cormack’s papers, photographs, and squeezes of inscriptions from Macedonia, Sterling Dow’s and A.G. Woodhead’s collections of offprints, and other materials, including numerous squeezes of Greek inscriptions.

Applications are now being received for academic year 1999-2000. There is no application form, and instead applicants are requested to submit a CV and a brief research proposal (not to exceed three pages) to Professor Stephen V. Tracy, Center for Epigraphical and Palaeographical Studies, The Ohio State University, 190 Pressey Hall, 1070 Carmack Road, Columbus, OH 43210-1002. The applicant should also arrange to have two letters of recommendation sent to the Director. Deadline for receipt of application materials: January 31, 1999.
WEB PROBLEMS:  
epigraph-l and Cornell Greek 
Epigraphy Project Offline  
by Tom Elliott  
(November 24, 1998)

Two separate and unrelated web server crashes have recently affected the epigraphic world. David Meadows, who administers the epigraph-l discussion list, reports that his server is down due to a hardware failure. Until he can have the system repaired, the epigraph-l list will be on hiatus. Kevin Clinton reports that the web server hosting the Cornell Greek Epigraphy Project's web site, Nancy Kelly's Delphi Bibliography, John Mansfield's Infimae Aetatis page (checklists of sources for ICE/ICI on the PHI Documentary CD #7), and other resources have suffered a catastrophic disk failure. The Project is currently exploring options: to replace the disk, or replace the entire server. Until a solution is found and implemented, these resources will be unavailable.

Changes in these situations will be announced as soon as they are known at:

<http://asgle.classics.unc.edu/anne98.html#crash>

CORRECTIONS TO THE LIST OF MEMBERS

Last July we sent out a member list with mail and email addresses. Please note the following corrections and updates in email addresses.

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