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THURSDAY, March 31st – American School of Classical Studies at Athens

9:30 – 10:00 Welcoming Remarks

Natalia Vogeikoff-Brogan, American School of Classical Studies at Athens Despina Lalaki, City University of New York – CUNY Zinovia Lialiouti, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

10:00 - 12:30

Transnational Heritage-Making

Chair: Natalia Vogeikoff-Brogan

Ingrid Berg. Materializations of the history of archaeology: Swedish-Greek entanglements and the creation of a professional heritage

Alexandra Kankeleit. Ancient Olympia and the 1936 summer Olympics in Berlin

Frederick Whitling. Founding a foreign school in wartime Athens

Constanze Güthenke. American Classical Scholarship and the Archaeological Archive

Eleni Anna Chlepa. The perception of Byzantine architectural heritage in Modern Greece under European influences: Evidence from archival collections of the state and archaeological institutions.

13:00 - 15:30

Civilization, Empire and Competing Identities

Chair: Gilles de Rapper

Angelos Dalachanis, Mercedes Volait. The materiality of Hellenism: Diaspora elites and art collecting in early 20th-century Alexandria

Stelios Lekakis. Archaeology on the front line. Cultural politics and archaeological projects in the land of Ionia (1919-1922)

Louis A. Ruprecht Jr. "Greece" in Hegel's Philosophy of History and in the Greek War for Independence

Stephan G. Schmid. Social Networks of (late) 19th-century archaeologists – the case of Charles Waldstein

George Topalidis. "There is no such thing as Ottoman Greeks!": Mapping the Social Construction of Ottoman Greek Identity through Space and Time

16:00 - 17:00

Chair: Despina Lalaki

Brian Boyd, Vassilis Lambropoulos. Book presentation

Raphael Greenberg, Yannis Hamilakis. Archaeology, Nation, and Race: Confronting the Past, Decolonizing the Future in Greece and Israel. Cambridge University Press, 2022.

FRIDAY, April 1st – British School at Athens

Welcoming Remarks, Amalia Kakissis, British School at Athens

9:00 - 11:30

Civilizing and De-Civilizing Processes

Chair: Nikos Vafeas

George Souvlis. The Authoritarian Modernity of the 4th of August regime: Genuine Fascism or a Pre-fascist dictatorship? Eleftheria Akrivopoulou. Archives and the city: Thessaloniki during the Metaxas dictatorship and the German occupation, through the archives of the Archaeological Service

Tassos Kostopoulos. Ruins of national discomfort. The Prespa monuments in the 20th century Greek archaeological narrative **Carl Mauzy.** 'Unsterbliches Hellas' – culture, photography and a desirable past

Marilena Pateraki. Monumentalizing Ottoman structures in interwar Greece: Cultural policies and state consolidation in the aftermath of the Lausanne Treaty

Emilia Salvanou. Making an archive for national inclusion: Interwar refugees in Greece

12:00 - 14:30

Cultures of consumption, heritage markets and archaeologies of tourism

Chair: Giorgos Tsimouris

Christina Mitsopoulou, Marie Stahl. Archaeological aesthetics for pre-World-War II tourism strategies in Greece: Gilliéron, once more

Despina Nazou. Tourists Border Zones and Heritage-scapes. The Island of Delos intersecting with the locality, the state and the market in a globalized world

Giorgos Vavouranakis. Greek archaeological heritage in dire straits: The 1954-1958 years

Konstantina Kalfa, Christos-Georgios Kritikos. Between a holy rock and a hard place; on the debate about Anafiotika across the 1970s and 1980s

Despoina Koutsoumba, Panagiotis Sotiris. Fighting for the past – struggling for the future: contemporary movements against the destruction of archaeological heritage in Greece

15:00 - 17:00

Gender, agency and nation-state building

Chair: Zinovia Lialiouti

Susan Heuck Allen. Harriet Boyd, engagement, and the Greek state

Amanda Kubic. Koula Pratsika and The National Dance School: Choreographing the national body in 20th-century Greece Alexia Toutountzi. Women at the service of national ideology: Folk art connecting Greek modern era with classical antiquity in the work of the folklorist Ageliki Hatzimichali

Despina Lalaki. Soft power, cultural diplomacy and the new women of power

Maria Spiliotopoulou. Cultural agents in the field: the archaeologists J.D.S. Pendlebury and T.J. Dunbabin in WWII Crete

17:00 - 18:00

Chair: Alexandra Kankeleit

Kostis Karpozilos. Book presentation

Paraskevas Matalas. Cosmopolitan Nationalists: Maurice Barrès and his "Disciples" around the World. University of Crete Press, 2021.

SATURDAY, April 2nd – British School at Athens

9:00 - 11:30

Cold war narratives of modernization, development and democracy

Chair: Despina Lalaki

Zinovia Lialiouti. Archaeology and Nation Building in the eve of the 'American Century': Greece and 'the Inquiry' 1917-1919

Areti Adamopoulou. International, European and Greek: Art Exhibitions and national identity in cold war Greece

Christos Mais. Perspective in Greece. A Ford Foundation project "in the footsteps of the Marshall Plan"

Pavlos Moulios. "Will we all become Americans?": material life and identity in the thought of the Greek intellectuals, during the 1950s

Dionysis Mourelatos. The collection of the icons of Sinai in the cold war

12:00 - 14:30

Education, museums, national imagination-building

Chair: Pavlos Moulios

Ioanna Galanaki, Elias Messinas. Emerging narratives-changing meanings: Greek Synagogues, Greek Jewish memory and Modern Greek identity - A view from the archaeological archives

Ioulia Bouza. Archaeological Studies and National identity in 19th century Greece. The role of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

Campus Novel, (artist collective - Ino Varvariti, Giannis Delagrammatikas, Yiannis Sinioroglou) Katerina Konstantinou. AD INTERIM tracing relativities from monument to territory: Notes on a project investigating the monumental landscape of the Corinth Canal

Ioanna Antoniadou. Ignore the modern Greeks while you record their ancient past

Alexander Nagel. Engaging with Western Civilization: Origins and traditions' and the making of Greece at the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C. in the U.S. through the archives

Katerina Mavromichali. Museums and the shifting landscape

15:00 - 17:30

Hellenism and intra-civilizational processes in the age of nationalism

Chair: Konstantina Kalfa

Alex R. Tipei Greece Viewed from Paris: Korais, the Egyptian Campaign, and the scientification of difference

Ilias Papagiannopoulos. On a stasis of memory. Fallmerayer revisited

Leonidas Moiras. The Archaeological Excavations in Samothrace (1873 & 1875) between Greek Romanticism and Ottoman Classicism

Chryssanthi Avlami. Considering ancient Greece in the light of the young Kingdom of Greece: historical temporalities and national imaginary

Myrto Lamprou. An ancient (re) birth among glorious ruins: intellectuals and antiquity during Otto's autocracy

Panayotis Tournikiotis. Lucien Magne, antiquity, Byzantium and modernity: Interlaced discontinuities

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