Definition and Redefinition of Celtic Identities in the Ancient World. An Interdisciplinary Approach

International Conference

Florence, 5th September Edinburgh, 16th September 2022









Florence, 5th September 2022 Via San Gallo 10, Palazzo Fenzi - Aula Magna

Time Zone: GMT+2 Rome

9:00 - Introduction

9:20 - 10:00 KEYNOTE LECTURE: Paola Piana Agostinetti (INASA), Definition and Redefinition of Celtic Identities. The archaeological documentation of Italian Celts: dressing, weapons, coins

10:00 - 10:30 Discussion

10:30 ROUND 1

10:30 - 10:50 (online) John Collis (Sheffield), Late Roman Celts

10:50 - 11:10 Discussion

11:10 - 11:30 Coffee Break

11:30 ROUND 2

11:30 - 11:50 Miguel Esteban Payno (Palma de Mallorca), More questions than answers: Celtiberians, ethnicity problems and political concerns

11:50 - 12:10 Réjane Roure, Benjamin Girard (Montpellier), Mediterranean Celts: a wider perception of the South of France in Iron Age

12:10 - 12:50 Discussion

12:50 - 14:40 Lunch

14:40 ROUND 3

14:40 - 15:00 Carlo Ferrari (Pisa), How to become a god in 1st century AD Gaul

15:00 - 15:20 Eric Franc (Udine), The problem of ancient Celtic identity in light of a relational and dynamic theory of ethnicity: notes on some key points

15:20 - 15:40 Patrizia Solinas (Venezia), The inscriptions of the necropolis of Cerrione: between Celtic identity and Romanization

15:40 - 16:40 Discussion

16:40 - *Coffee Break*

17:00 - 17:40 KEYNOTE LECTURE: Patrizia De Bernardo Stempel (Universidad del País Vasco), Celtic Language across Time and Space

17:40 - 18:10 Discussion

18:10 - Conclusions

Approx. 18.30 – End

Chair: Andrea Pierozzi (Università degli Studi di Firenze)

Edinburgh, 16th September 2022 Teviot Place, Old Medical School, Doorway 4, Meadows Lecture Theatre (MST G.07)

Time Zone: GMT+1 London

9:00 - Introduction

9:15 - 9:55 KEYNOTE LECTURE (online): Alexander Falileyev (Institute for Linguistic Studies, RAS), "Eastern Celts" - in search of their linguistic identity

9.55 - 10:25 Discussion

10:25 ROUND 1

10.25 - 10.45 (online) Manuel Fernández-Götz (Edinburgh), The Puzzle of Celtic Languages: Reviewing Models of Language Spread through a Multidisciplinary Approach

10.45 - 11.00 Discussion

11:00 - 11.20 Coffee break

11:20 ROUND 2

11.20 - 11.40 Julian Gieseke (Bielefeld), How Greek can it be? The identity and representation of Galatian rulers at the turn of the 3rd to the 2nd century BC

11.40 - 12:00 Kevin Parachaud (Limoges/Toulouse), What does it mean to be Galatian? Construction of an ethnic identity in Asia Minor

12.00 - 12.20 Oleg Gabelko (Moscow), Were the Prausoi Brennus' Tribe?

12.20 -13.05 Discussion

13.05 - 14.05 Lunch

14.05 ROUND 3

14.05 - 14.25 Kyohei Sakeshima (Edinburgh), The Power of Fear: a Comparative Perspective on Perceptions of the Nature of the "Barbarians" in Ancient Greece

14.25 - 14.45 Richard Kendall (Edinburgh), τήν τῶγ Γαλατῶν ώμότητα: the 'Celts' in the Northwest Black Sea

14.45 - 15.05 (online) Gennadii Kazakevych (Kyiv), "Celtoscythians" and the cultural contacts in the Baltic Pontic region (2-1 cc. BC)

15.05 - 15.50 Discussion

15.50 - 16.10 Coffee break

16.10 - 16.40 (online) KEYNOTE LECTURE: Altay Coşkun (Waterloo), Virtual Galatian Identities in Livy's account of Cn. Manlius Vulso's Campaign

16.40 - 17.10 Discussion

17.10 - Conclusions

Approx. 17.30 – End

Chair: Giovanna Pasquariello (University of Edinburgh)

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For the session in Florence (in person):

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For the session in Edinburgh (in person):

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For any questions, please feel free to write to the organisers:

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In the background: a detail from an Etrurian skyphos from Spina (Emilia-Romagna) presumably depicting a Celtic warrior – Ferrara, Museo Archeologico Nazionale.

The picture comes from M. Harari, Immagine inedita di un guerriero celta su un frammento vascolare da Spina, in D. Vitali (a cura di), Celti ed Etruschi nell'Italia centrosettentrionale dal V secolo a.C. alla romanizzazione. Atti del colloquio internazionale, Bologna 12-14 aprile 1985, Imola 1987, 167-170.