

Nemi: New Reflections on the Mirror of Diana

Friday 21th February 2014

Room A19, Trent Building, The University of Nottingham, University Park, NG7 2RD

This conference brings together a group of international scholars exploring different aspects of the Roman sanctuary of Diana at Nemi - a site of particular importance for the understanding of Roman religious cult, along with the reception of Roman culture in nineteenth century Britain.

The presentations focus on new means of analysing specific groups of dedications from the sanctuary (marble sculpture and anatomical votives); on the sanctuary space and its recent archaeological explorations; and on the future plans for the permanent display of the Nottingham Nemi collection at the Castle Museum.

Programme

10:30 – 11:00	Arrival and Coffee
11:00 – 11:15	Welcome Judith Mossman (Head of School, School of Humanities, The University of Nottingham) & Katharina Lorenz (Department of Classics).
11:15 – 11:45	Presentation: Katharina Lorenz (The University of Nottingham), <i>The biometrical analysis of the Fundilia portraits from Nemi.</i>
11:45 – 12:15	Presentation: Amalie Skovmøller (Ny Carlsberg Glyptotek, Copenhagen), <i>Scientific analysis of the polychromy of the portrait sculptures from the "Room of Fundilia".</i>
12:15 – 12:45	Presentation: Matthias Recke (Justus-Liebig- Universität, Giessen), <i>Anatomical Votives.</i>
12:45 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:00	Presentation: Wolfgang Filser (Humboldt Universität, Berlin – via video link), <i>The terrace space and terrace sanctuaries.</i>
15:00 – 15:30	Presentation: Francesca Diosono (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Munich), <i>Archaeological research at Nemi: recent work and results.</i>
15:30 -15:45	Coffee
15:45 – 16:15	Presentation: Ron Inglis (Nottingham Castle Museum and Galleries), <i>The Nemi Collection and its place in Nottingham Castle.</i>
16:15 – 16:45	Plenary discussion: Exploring Nemi.

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For external attendees not contributing a paper, the conference attendance charge is £15 to cover catering costs (coffee and lunch).