

The Mediterranean City



Connectivity

The final of three workshops jointly organised by SSMLL and the British School at Rome

Saturday, 23rd November, 2013

Colin Matthew Room, History Faculty, Broad Street, Oxford, OX1 2RL

Provisional Programme

10:00am - 10:20am Arrival and Coffee 10:20am - 10:30am Welcome (David Rundle) 10:30am – 11:45am Session I: Nicholas Purcell (Brasenose College, Oxford), 'The Greco-Roman city between welcoming and resisting connectivity' Georg Christ (University of Manchester), 'Alexandria, Damietta and Cairo as connectors of long-distance trade networks. Symbiosis and competition' Coffee 11:45am - 12:15pm Session II: 12:15pm - 1:30pm Andrew Jotischky (University of Lancaster), 'Acre, a connected east Mediterranean city' Simon Keay (University of Southampton), 'Hispalis (Seville): an ancient Mediterranean city in an Atlantic context' 1:30pm - 2:30pmLunch 2:30pm - 3:45pm Session III: Magdalena Skoblar (University of York), 'Beyond the City Walls: Dubrovnik and its Network of Contacts in the Eleventh Century' Mike Carr (Royal Holloway, London), 'Embargoes and Exemptions: Papal Trade Policy in the Medieval Mediterranean' 3:40-3:45- 4:15pm Tea 4:15pm - 5:30pm Session IV: Jeremy Johns (Wolfson College, Oxford), 'Palermo: varying connectivities under Muslim, Norman and Hohenstaufen rule' Joanna Kostylo (British School at Rome), 'Venice and Rome in the early modern communication system' 5:30pm - 6:15pm Session V: Open Discussion Chair: Prof. Christopher Smith (BSR) 6:15-6:45pm Drinks