

BSA COURSE IN GREEK NUMISMATICS: MONDAY MAY 21 to SATURDAY JUNE 2, 2018

Students will arrive at the BSA on Sunday May 20 and leave on Sunday June 3.

There will normally be two morning sessions (9.30-11.00, 11.30-1.00), with a break for refreshments between 11.00 and 11.30.

Lunch will normally be provided at 1.00 p.m., and the two afternoon sessions will take place between 2.30 and 3.45, and 4.15 and 5.30.

Unless otherwise indicated classes will take place in the Museum of the BSA.

NKR = Keith Rutter; SG = Simon Glenn

9.45-11.00	11.30-12.45	2.30-3.45	4.15-5.30
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**Monday May 21**

General orientation (Assistant Director, Dr. Chryssanthi Papadopoulou)	Numismatic orientation (incl. distribution of (4) coins per student)*. Resources for the study of numismatics 1: printed (NKR)	Brief presentations by students to introduce themselves and their work	The beginning of coinage in Asia Minor (NKR)
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**Tuesday May 22**

Describing a coin; categories of coin types (NKR)	Coins in context: Site finds (Dr. Sophia Kremydi)	Resources for the study of numismatics: internet and online databases 1 (Dr. Evangeline Markou)	Resources for the study of numismatics: internet and online databases 1 (Dr. Evangeline Markou)
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**Wednesday May 23**

Introduction to the study of hoards (NKR)	The coins of early and classical Athens (NKR)	Metrology; monetary networks, coins of Aegina and Corinth (NKR)	Coinages of mainland Greece (NKR)
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**Thursday May 24**

Introduction to Alpha Bank collection (NKR)	(From 11.00) Visit to the Alpha Bank collection of Greek coins (Dr. Dimitra Tsangari)	Die studies and quantification of coinage (SG)	Metal analysis and methods of production (SG)
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**Friday May 25**

Tour of the Numismatic Museum, the building and its displays of Greek coins	Overstrikes and countermarks (NKR)	Students' coin presentations (1)
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**Saturday May 26**

Visit to Lavrion: silver mines and Athenian owls; lunch at Sounion followed by visit to the site	
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**Sunday May 27**

Free day
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**Monday May 28**

Coinages of Italy (NKR)	Sicily 1: Archaic and Classical (NKR)	Sicily 2: 'Signing Artists' (NKR)	Coins of the Persian Empire (NKR)
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**Tuesday May 29**

Visit to the Basil Demetriadi Library (9.30)	The coinages of Macedonia (Dr. Selene Psoma)	Coins of the Kingdoms of Cyprus 1 (Dr. Evangelina Markou)	Coins of the Kingdoms of Cyprus 2 (Dr. Evangelina Markou)
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**Wednesday May 30**

The coinage of Philip II of Macedon (NKR)	Visit to the KIKPE Collection of Greek bronze coins (Benaki Museum)	The coinage of Alexander (SG)	Introduction to the Hellenistic world (NKR)
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**Thursday May 31**

Practical activity: coin hoards (Numismatic Museum)	Coinages of the Ptolemies (SG)	Coinages of the Seleucids (SG)
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**Friday June 1**

Morning visits to the Agora Museum (coin conservation) and the Agora	The coinage of the kingdom of Bactria (SG)	Forgers and forgeries (SG)
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**Saturday June 2**

Students' coin presentations (2)	Discussion: review of course	
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\*At the beginning of the course each of the students will be given 3 coins from the BSA collection for identification. In addition to simple identification they will be asked to do a small amount of research on each of their coins and make a short presentation to their fellow-students.