

## Summary of activities for “Where East meets West”, January-December 2012

### 1. Activities in Denmark

#### **Meetings of the steering group (business meetings)**

Jan 27, Odense

Mar 8, Odense

Apr 14, Amasya; Christian absent

May 10, Odense

June 16, Odense

Sep 17, Odense

Oct 31, Kolding; Rainer Czichon participating

Nov 28, Copenhagen

#### **Seminars**

Jan 27, Odense, theme: Pompeiopolis excavations (Lâtife Summerer)

Mar 8, Odense, theme: Oymaağaç excavations (Rainer Czichon)

May 10, Odense, theme: coins (Vera)

June 16, Odense, theme: roads (Tønnes)

Sep 17, Odense, theme: Palmyra survey project (Jørgen Christian Meyer)

Nov 28, Copenhagen, theme: the Neapolis oath (Søren)

#### **Conference**

Oct 29-31, Kolding: Space, place and identity in northern Anatolia

### 2. Activities abroad

#### **Fieldwork**

Mar 19-31: Visit to eastern Pontos (Vera)

Apr 9-16: Visit to Samsun, Sinop, Kastamonu, Taşköprü, Vezirköprü and Amasya (Jesper, Kristina, Søren, Tønnes, Vera)

July 5-16: Summer campaign, Oymaağaç (Jesper, Kristina, Tønnes)

Sep 15-24: Visit to Pontos (Vera)

#### **Participation in conferences, workshops etc. abroad**

June 4-9: Conference on “The Romans on the Black Sea”, Tulcea, Romania (Tønnes)

June 18-22: “Fish and ships” summer school, Rome (Tønnes)

June 19-21: Fifth Practical Epigraphy Workshop, Oxford (Søren)

Aug 27-31: 14th International Congress of Greek and Latin Epigraphy, Berlin (Søren, Vera)

Sep 13-15: “Common Sense Geography: Implicit Geographical Knowledge in Antiquity”, Berlin (Tønnes)

Nov 16: "Art in the Round. New Approaches to Ancient Coin Iconography", Tübingen, Germany (Vera)

### **Guest lectures abroad**

Jul 26: "Von Bürgern, Kaisern und Göttern. Münzen als Quelle für die Selbstdarstellung und Selbstwahrnehmung der Städte im Pontos der Römischen Kaiserzeit", paper presented at "Nachsemesterakademie", University of Stuttgart, Germany, Institute of History (Vera)

### **3. Visitors from abroad**

Jan 26-29: Lâtife Summerer, München

Mar 7-9: Rainer Czichon, Berlin

Sep 16-19: Jørgen Christian Meyer, Bergen

Oct 29-31: Conference in Kolding; see separate list of participants

### **4. Dissemination**

#### **Lectures and conference papers**

June 7: "Thracians and Bithynians in the Roman imperial navy", paper presented at a conference on "The Romans on the Black Sea", Tulcea, Romania (Tønnes; to be published)

Jun 19: "The Black Sea in the Roman Economy", paper presented at "Fish and ships" summer school, Rome (Tønnes; to be published).

Sep 14: "Hard and soft spaces in the Roman world", paper presented at "Common sense geography" workshop, Berlin (Tønnes; to be published)

Oct 30: "Urban space: the evidence of coins", paper presented at the conference on "Place, Space and Identity in northern Anatolia", Kolding (Vera; to be published)

Oct 31: "To be or not to be Paphlagonian", paper presented at the conference on "Place, Space and Identity in northern Anatolia", Kolding (Tønnes; to be published)

Oct 31: "An insider's view: Strabo of Amaseia", paper presented at the conference on "Place, Space and Identity in northern Anatolia", Kolding (Jesper; to be published)

#### **Publications**

Tønnes Bekker-Nielsen, "Propontis", *Encyclopedia of Ancient History*, 5582-83.

### **5. Other activities**

Coin studies in the collections of the Danish National Museum and the Thorvaldsen Museum, Copenhagen (Vera)

Compilation of database of ceramic finds from the Oymağaç survey and excavation (Kristina)