From the Editors

In our continuing program of up-grading the publication of Nestor, we are changing the bibliographic program used to generate the bibliographic entries. This will enable more accurate listings in the print edition of the monthly issues of Nestor, and should facilitate faster conversion of the bibliographic files for uploading to the searchable on-line Nestor database. The editors of Nestor thank subscribers and readers for their patience during this conversion.

Grants and Fellowships

On 23 February 2007 applications are due for the 2007 Michael Ventris Memorial Award for Mycenaean Studies of up to £2000, to be awarded to postgraduate students or young scholars who have obtained a doctorate within the past five years in the field of Mycenaean civilization or kindred subjects, to promote research in (1) Linear B and other Bronze Age scripts of the Aegean and Cyprus and their historical and cultural connections, or (2) all other aspects of the Bronze Age of the Aegean and Cyprus. Typewritten applications should be sent to the Secretary, Institute of Classical Studies, Senate House North Block Room 312, Malet Street, London WC1E 7HU, United Kingdom. Applications should include age, qualifications, academic record, an outline of the proposed work, and the names and addresses of two referees, who should at the same time be asked to write independently in support of the application. Further information is available at http://icls.sas.ac.uk/institute/.

Calls for Papers

On 1 February 2007 new section proposals are due for the American Schools of Oriental Research Annual Meetings (ASOR 2007), to be held in San Diego, CA from 14-17 November 2007. Individuals interested in organizing new academic sections are encouraged first to contact the Chairs of the Program Committee: Jennie Ebeling, Department of Archaeology and Art History, University of Evansville, 1800 Lincoln Avenue, Evansville, IN 47722; telephone: (812) 488-1019; fax: (812) 474-4079; e-mail: je55@evansville.edu, and Yorke Rowan, The Binational Fulbright Commission in Jordan, P.O. Box 850215, Amman 11185, Jordan; e-mail: ymrwan@hotmail.com. On 1 April 2007 individual submissions of the Participation/Abstract Forms are due via the ASOR website (http://www.asor.org) to the chair of the section most appropriate to the research, and of preregistration payment to the ASOR Boston office. Presentations that do not fit into established or new sections are also invited, and should be designated as for the “Individual Submission” section on the online Participation/Abstract form; questions about this section may be directed to Laura Mazow, 225 Flanagan, Department of
Anthropology, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC 27858; e-mail: mazowl@ecu.edu. Submissions must be made by the Abstract/Participation form on the ASOR website at http://www.asor.org. On 1 May 2007 submissions are due from section chairs of Program Summaries to the Annual Meeting Program, ASOR at Boston University, 656 Beacon Street, 5th floor, Boston, MA 02215-2010; e-mail: asor@bu.edu, including all Program Summaries, Participation/Abstract Forms, and Session Request Forms. On 18 September 2007 applications for Lindstrom Student Service Scholarships and Dorot Annual Meeting Travel Scholarships are due. Further information, including rules for participation, sections planned for ASOR 2007, format of and procedure for submitting abstracts, and all necessary forms are available at http://www.asor.org.

On 11 March 2007 abstracts for presentations are due for the 109th Annual Meeting of the Archaeological Institute of America (AIA 2008), to be held in Chicago, IL from 3-6 January 2008. Proposals are invited for presentations in the forms of individual papers and field reports (10, 15, or 20 minutes), poster presentations (4 x 8 foot space for display of materials), and organized sessions including colloquia (three to six papers of 10, 15, or 20 minutes each, not to exceed 3 hours total) and workshops (one and one-half to three hours consisting of a group of brief, informal oral presentations/demonstrations concerning a common topic or theme combined with discussion or further demonstration.) On 15 September 2007 abstracts are due for roundtable sessions (informal discussion of designated topics held around dining tables during the course of a brown-bag lunch.) Submissions must be made by means of online submission forms available from the AIA website at http://www.archaeological.org; further information, including detailed guidelines of information required for submissions, forms appropriate to each type of presentation, applications for travel funds, and membership requirements, are available at the same URL. Abstracts (250 words maximum for individual papers or roundtable discussions, 250-400 words for colloquia and workshops) will be available at the AIA website in December 2007, or in print at the meeting. Further information is available from the AIA website, or from the Conference and Meetings Manager, Archaeological Institute of America, 656 Beacon Street, Boston, MA 02215-2006; e-mail: meetings@aia.bu.edu; telephone: (617) 353-9361; fax: (617) 353-6550; or from Garrett Fagan, Chair, Program for the Annual Meeting Committee, e-mail: ggf2@psu.edu; telephone: (814) 863-0091.

On 30 April 2007 paper, session, round table, and poster proposals (500-600 words in .doc or .pdf format) and applications for grants are due for the 13th Annual Meeting of the European Association of Archaeologists (EAA 2007), to be held in Zadar, Croatia on 18-23 September 2007. On 31 May 2007 individual presentation abstracts are due. Further information and pre-registration, proposal, and grant application forms are available at http://www.e-a-a.org/ or from the Meeting Secretariat: University of Zadar, EAA Annual Meeting Secretariat, Mihovila Pavlinovića bb, 23000 Zadar, Croatia; telephone: (+385 23) 200 534, 200 578; fax: (+385 23) 200 605; e-mail: eazadar07@unizd.hr; website: http://www.unizd.hr/eaa2007. The meeting is planned in three thematic blocks:

Managing the Archaeological Record and the Cultural Heritage
Archaeology and the Modern World: Theoretical and Methodological Perspectives
Archaeology and Material Culture: Interpreting the Archaeological Record

Future Lectures and Conferences
On 8-9 February 2007 the conference The Central-North Anatolia in Hittite Period : New Perspectives at the Light of Recent Investigations will be held at the University of Florence, Facoltà di Lettere e Filosofia, Sala Comparetti, Via degli Alfani 37, Florence, Italy. Papers of interest to Nestor readers will include:

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A. M. Jasink, “The ‘Ahhiyawa Question’: A Database in the DBAS Project”

On 8-11 February 2007 the conference In Poseidons Reich XII: Wrecks: expressive testimonies of ancient ship catastrophes will be held in Cologne, sponsored by the Deutschen Gesellschaft zur Förderung der Unterwasserarchäologie (DEGUWA). The proceedings will be published in the journal SKYLLIS. Further information and registration forms are available at http://www.deguwa.org/en/conferences/. Papers of interest to Nestor readers will include:

D. Sakellariou, “Integration of Sub-Bottom Profiling and Side Scan Sonar Data in Deep Water Archaeological Research: The Discovery of two Ancient Wrecks in the Aegean Sea”
S. Wachsmann, “Deep-Submergence Archaeology: The Final Frontier”

On 9 February 2007 at 19.00 Ά. Μιχαηλίδου will address the Minoan Seminar on “Η μέτρηση του βάρους στο Αιγαίο της Ύστερης Εποχής του Χαλκού: Τα εργαλεία της μέτρησης και ο άνθρωπος” at the Archaeological Society, Panepistimiou 22, Athens. Further information is available at http://www.minoanseminar.gr. Those wishing to attend are requested to e-mail secretary@minoanseminar.gr.

On 31 March - 1 April 2007 an international conference entitled Being Peloponnesian: Cohesion and Diversity through Time will be held at the University of Nottingham sponsored by the Centre for Spartan and Peloponnesian Studies. Further information and registration forms are available at http://www.nottingham.ac.uk/classics/ or from Mrs. Sheila Jones, Humanities Research Centre, The University of Nottingham, University Park, Nottingham NG7 2RD, UK; e-mail: Sheila.Jones@nottingham.ac.uk; telephone: +44 (0)115 9514838; fax: +44 (0)115 9514818. Papers of interest to Nestor readers will include:

C. Gallou, “Ove la storia è muta, parlan le tombe: cohesion and diversity in the deathscapes of prehistoric Peloponnese”
C. Mee, “Cohesion and Diversity in the Prehistoric Peloponnese: what the pottery tells us”
C. Morgan, “Expressing identities at Peloponnesian sanctuaries: alternatives to the polis”

Past Lectures and Conferences


Electronic News and Notices

The Collaboratory for GIS and Mediterranean Archaeology (CGMA) has announced the release of the Mediterranean Archaeology GIS (MAGIS), an on-line, browser-based GIS inventory of completed and ongoing regional archaeological surveys in the greater Mediterranean area at http://cgma.depauw.edu/MAGIS. MAGIS contains survey metadata, including project name, researchers, methodologies, geographic coordinates, chronological coverage, special studies (e.g., lithics or epigraphy), bibliography, and the environmental characteristics of the study areas. The database can be searched spatially using an interactive map or by queries based on specific fields in the database. Comments and suggestions may be sent to cgma@depauw.edu. Researchers responsible for survey projects are asked to check, correct and expand the information about their project(s); metadata for projects not yet listed can be entered through the Data Entry page and will be stored in a holding database until vetted and released to the online database by CGMA personnel. An extensive on-line help file explains how to navigate and use the site, as well as precise definitions of the metadata categories.
ARTICLES AND BOOKS


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