



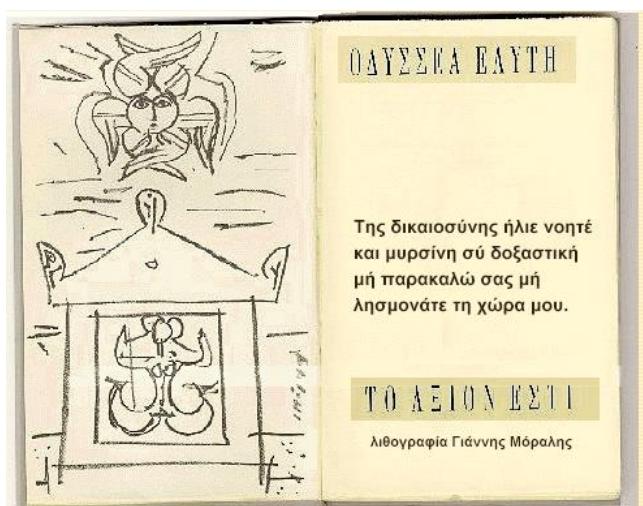
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Τον Οκτώβριο ο Ελληνισμός απανταχού γης γιορτάζει το έπος του 1940.

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A. ΔΡΑΣΕΙΣ ΤΟΥ ΓΡΑΦΕΙΟΥ ΕΚΠΑΙΔΕΥΣΗΣ & ΤΩΝ ΗΜΕΡΗΣΙΩΝ ΣΧΟΛΕΙΩΝ

1. Αγιασμός Σχολής Βυζαντινής Μουσικής Λονδίνου.

Τη Δευτέρα 6 Οκτωβρίου 2014 στον Καθεδρικό Ναό της Κοιμήσεως της Θεοτόκου, Wood Green Βορείου Λονδίνου τελέσθηκε παρουσία του Σεβασμιωτάτου Αρχιεπισκόπου κ. Γρηγορίου ο αγιασμός για το νέο σχολικό έτος 2014-15 της Σχολής Βυζαντινής Μουσικής. Τη Σχολή διευθύνει ο Πρωτοπρεσβύτερος Ιωσήφ Παλιούρας του Γραφείου Συντονιστή Εκπαίδευσης Λονδίνου και τελεί υπό την αιγίδα και χορηγία της Ιεράς Αρχιεπισκοπής Θυατείρων και Μεγ. Βρετανίας.



Τα μαθήματα θα διδάσκονται κάθε βράδυ, Δευτέρα, Τρίτη, Τετάρτη και Πέμπτη στους χώρους του Καθεδρικού Ναού της Κοιμήσεως της Θεοτόκου, 21 Trinity Road, London N22 4LB. Η φοίτηση στην Σχολή είναι δωρεάν, εκτός από την εγγραφή και τα εξέταστρα που βαρύνουν τους μαθητές.

Παραρτήματα της Σχολής λειτουργούν και στους πιο κάτω Ναούς:

Εντός Λονδίνου:

- Καθεδρικός Ναός Αγίων Πάντων, Camden Town, ΒΔ Λονδίνου
- Καθεδρικός Ναός Αποστόλου Ανδρέου, Kentish Town, ΒΔ Λονδίνου
- Ιερός Ναός Αγίων Δώδεκα Αποστόλων, Hertfordshire, Βορείου Λονδίνου
- Ιερός Ναός Αγίου Παντελεήμονος, Harrow, ΒΔ Λονδίνου
- Ιερός Ναός Αγίου Νεκταρίου, Battersea, ΝΔ Λονδίνου
- Ιερός Ναός Αγίου Ελευθερίου Leyton
- Καθεδρικός Ναός Γενεσίου της Θεοτόκου, N. Λονδίνου

Εκτός Λονδίνου:

- Ιεροί Ναοί Αγίας Τριάδος & Αποστόλου Λουκά στο Birmingham
- Ιερός Ναός Αγίας Μαρίας της Μαγδαληνής, Eastbourne & Brighton
- Ιερός Ναός Παναγίας Ελεούσης, Nottingham

Όσοι επιθυμούν να παρακολουθήσουν τα μαθήματα ή να λάβουν περισσότερες πληροφορίες για τη λειτουργία της Σχολής, τη συμμετοχή στις χορωδίες της κλπ θα πρέπει να επικοινωνούν με την Γραμματέα της Σχολής κα. Γεωργία Λαζάρου στο τηλ. 020 8881 4740.

2. Αγιασμός στο Ελληνικό Σχολείο του Mansfield.

Την Κυριακή, 28 Σεπτεμβρίου 2014, τελέσθηκε στον Ιερό Ναό της Κοινότητάς μας ο καθιερωμένος Αγιασμός για το νέο σχολικό έτος. Οι ιερείς μας, πατήρ Φωκάς και πατήρ Ηλίας, ευλόγησαν τους μαθητές, τις

4. 2ος Πανελλήνιος Διαγωνισμός Ιστορικού Ντοκιμαντέρ.

«Προσεγγίζουμε κριτικά το παρελθόν: Στιγμές του 20ου και του 21ου αιώνα».



Το Μεταπτυχιακό Πρόγραμμα «Ιστορική Έρευνα, Διδακτική και Νέες Τεχνολογίες» του Ιονίου Πανεπιστημίου και η Επιστημονική Ένωση «Νέα Παιδεία» προκηρύσσουν Πανελλήνιο Μαθητικό και Φοιτητικό Διαγωνισμό Ιστορικού Ντοκιμαντέρ με θέμα **«Προσεγγίζουμε κριτικά το παρελθόν: Στιγμές του 20ου και του 21ου αιώνα».**

Ο διαγωνισμός απευθύνεται σε

- α) μαθητές του Γυμνασίου, της Α, Β' και Γ' Γενικού και Εσπερινού Λυκείου και ΕΠΑΛ, τους μαθητές των Σχολείων Δευτερης Ευκαιρίας της Ελλάδας και της Κύπρου, καθώς και σχολείων της Ομογένειας,
- β) προπτυχιακούς και μεταπτυχιακούς φοιτητές των ιστορικών και των άλλων τμημάτων κοινωνικών και ανθρωπιστικών επιστημών, των ελληνικών και κυπριακών πανεπιστημίων.

Θεματικό πεδίο του διαγωνισμού είναι η Σύγχρονη Ελληνική, Ευρωπαϊκή και Παγκόσμια Ιστορία.

Ειδικότερα:

ΓΙΑ ΤΑ ΜΑΘΗΤΙΚΑ ΝΤΟΚΙΜΑΝΤΕΡ:

O 20ος αιώνας, ο αιώνας των αντιφάσεων

ΓΙΑ ΤΑ ΦΟΙΤΗΤΙΚΑ ΝΤΟΚΙΜΑΝΤΕΡ:

Η Ελλάδα της κρίσης-από το παρελθόν στο παρόν

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<http://www.neapaideia-glossa.gr>

Γ. ΣΕΜΙΝΑΡΙΑ

5. The Cambridge Hellenic Learned Society

Professing Greek Culture: some ancient and modern controversies!



Prof. Paul Cartledge

A.G. Leventis Professor of Greek Culture!
Univ. of Cambridge

The Centre at St Paul's

Sunday, October 12th, 2014. 6pm
Hills Road, Cambridge CB2 1JP

Contact:

camlearnhelsoc@gmail.com

6. Modern Greek Seminar Michaelmas 2014

30 October

TITIKA DIMITROULIA

(ARISTOTLE UNIVERSITY OF THESSALONIKI)

Economy, politics, and literary publishing in Greece: from the fall of the dictatorship to the 2008 crisis

6 November

DAVID WILLS

Reinventing Paradise: the Greek Crisis and contemporary British travel narratives

20 November

SARAH EKDAWI

(UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD)

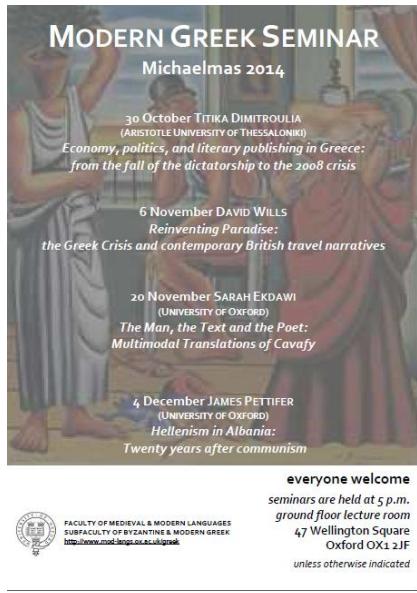
The Man, the Text and the Poet: Multimodal translations of Cavafy

4 December

JAMES PETTIFER

(UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD)

Hellenism in Albania: Twenty years after communism



Everyone welcome
Seminars are held at 5 p.m.
Ground floor lecture room
47 Wellington Square
Oxford OX1 2JF

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<http://www.mod-langs.ox.ac.uk/greek>

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7. The Hellenic Centre – Upcoming Event.

"Greece at War: marking 70 years since the end of 'Hitler's Greece'"

Tuesday 28th October 2014, 6.30-8pm

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This evening of short talks (in English) commemorates the 70th anniversary of the withdrawal of Nazi forces from mainland Greece in October and November 1944. Though it was far from the end of hostilities and suffering for the Greek people – quite apart from the devastating Civil War, some islands were *not* liberated until 1945 – this landmark signaled the end of 4 years of Axis occupation.

Participants:

- ◎ **Dr Violetta Hionidou** (Newcastle University), author of *Famine and Death in Occupied Greece, 1941-44* (2006)
- ◎ **Alan Ogden**, author of *Sons of Odysseus: SOE Heroes in Greece* (2012)
- ◎ **John Carr**, author of *The Defense and Fall of Greece 1940-41* (2013)
- ◎ **Dr David Wills**, Treasurer of the Society for Modern Greek Studies and editor of *Greece and Britain since 1945* (2nd edition 2014)

**Great Hall - The Hellenic Centre
16-18 Paddington Street, London W1U 5AS**



Free entry - Booking essential on
02075639835
or at
press@helleniocentre.org.

8. Arts & Humanities Festival 2014: Underground

The [Arts & Humanities Festival 2014: underground](#) is taking place between Wednesday 15 October and Friday 24

October, and the Centre for Hellenic Studies will be taking part:



Saturday 18 October, 19.30-21.00

'Rebetika & the Eastern Mediterranean underground'

Presented by the Centre for Hellenic Studies & the Department of Music

Tutu's, Macadam Building, Strand Campus

<http://www.kcl.ac.uk/artshums/ahri/eventrecords/2014-2015/Festival/rebetika.aspx>

Roderick Beaton (Director, CHS) and Martin Stokes (King Edward Professor of Music) will explore the musical underground, focusing on rebetika and broader Eastern Mediterranean soundscapes. With performances by Cigdem Aslan & Friends and Oxford Maqam.

Friday 24 October, 18.30-20.00

'Hellish persons: personifications of the underworld from antiquity to the present'

Presented by the Centre for Hellenic Studies & the Departments of Classics and Theology & Religious Studies

Nash Lecture Theatre (K2.31), King's Building, Strand Campus

<http://www.kcl.ac.uk/artshums/ahri/eventrecords/2014-2015/Festival/hellishpersons.aspx>

Emmanuela Bakola (Department of Classics) will examine personifications of Hades in the classical Greek tradition, and Emily Pillinger (Departments of Classics & Liberal Arts) will then investigate the Roman expressions of this figure. Sophie Lunn-Rockliffe (Department of Classics) will explore the Christian Sheol/Hades of late antiquity and the early middle ages, and David Ricks (Centre for Hellenic Studies) will consider the figure of Charos in modern Greek poetry.

Both events are free of charge, but booking is required. Please follow the appropriate link for details

Please direct enquiries to
chsevents@kcl.ac.uk.



Members of the Rizos Rangavis family at Bad Nenndorf before the war. Alexandros and Penelope are first and second from the left. Aristides is second from the right.

[Photo credit: George Vassiadis]

Alexandros Rizos Rangavis (1880-1972), grandson and namesake of the celebrated polymath, was Greek Ambassador in Berlin from 1933-1941. When Germany invaded Greece, Alexandros, his wife Penelope, daughter Elmina and son-in-law John Argyris (stepson of Liberal leader Themistocles Sophoulis), were interned by the Nazis. Elmina and John were permitted to leave the Reich six months later, but Alexandros and Penelope remained in restrictive custody in Germany and Austria until their liberation by the Allies in the summer of 1945. Other members of the Rizos Rangavis family lived out the war in the UK, Vichy France and occupied Europe. Amongst them was Alexandros' half-German nephew, Aristides, who enlisted in the Greek army on the outbreak of war and fell victim to a Nazi reprisal killing on Crete in 1942. Drawing upon unpublished archival sources including Penelope's diaries covering the period 1941-1945, Alexandros' personal papers and memoirs, and oral testimonies, we will see how the harsh realities of World War II affected a family belonging to the Greek elite and in particular how its fate was influenced by arbitrary decisions made by members of Hitler's inner circle.

9. Event - "HONOURED PRISONERS OF THE REICH": the Rizos Rangavis family, 1941-1945

On Monday, 20 October 2014, George Vassiadis (Royal Holloway, University of London) will be delivering a lecture entitled "*Honoured prisoners of the Reich": the Rizos Rangavis family, 1941-1945.*

The lecture will take place in the Small Committee Room (K0.31) on the first floor of the main building of **King's College London, Strand at 5:30pm** and will be followed by an informal reception.

Location: Small Committee Room (K0.31)

Category: Public Talk, Seminar

When: 20/10/2014 (17:30-18:30)

Contact: This event is open to all and free to attend.

George Vassiadis is an alumnus of King's College London, where he completed his PhD, published as *The Syllogos Movement of Constantinople and Ottoman Greek Education 1861-1923* (Athens: Centre for Asia Minor Studies, 2007). He later taught at Brown University, held a Visiting Research Associateship at King's College London, and is now Lecturer in Modern Greek History at Royal Holloway, University of London. His interests include the history of Greece and the Greek Diaspora during the 19th and 20th centuries, Greek and Levantine families, and the architectural and urban history of the Levant.

http://www.kcl.ac.uk/artshums/ahri/event_records/2014-2015/CHS/prisoners.aspx

10. Festival of Ideas – Greek Events

The Modern Greek Section of the University of Cambridge is delighted to announce the following upcoming events that have been organized for the 2014 Cambridge Festival of Ideas.



"A true intellectual feast", as stated in its official site, the **Festival of Ideas** includes over 250 events for all ages and interests, ranging from evening talks and panel discussions to exhibitions, music, theatre, film screenings and participatory workshops.

<http://www.festivalofideas.cam.ac.uk/>

The 2014 Festival runs from Monday 20th October to Sunday 2 November.

The events organized by the Modern Greek Section are:

Singing Greek Poetry



Tuesday 21 October: 7:00pm - 8:30pm

**Museum of Classical Archaeology, Room G.19,
Sidgwick Avenue, CB3 9DA**

Poetry meets music in this event where timeless poems written by acclaimed Modern Greek poets and set to music by *Greece's* most famous composers are recited and performed by the music group Ergon. Join us and experience the words and lyricism of poets like Seferis, Gatsos, Ritsos and Cavafy, coming alive through the distinctive and mystifying sounds of Greek music.

Readings of the poems will be in Greek and English

Booking required

Age: Adults, Talk, Arrive on time, Free

For a map to the location and more information please follow the link:

<http://www.festivalofideas.cam.ac.uk/events/singing-greek-poetry>

Greece on the Edge



Friday 31 October: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Alison Richard Building, Sidgwick Site7 West Road, CB3 9DT

Join Maria Margaronis, one of Greece's most outspoken journalist, in her talk on why Greece has been at the epicentre of the European crisis; though it's no longer on the world's front pages, its economic, political and social life remain devastated by the events of the last 3 years. What's particular and what's general about the Greek story? What can we learn from it about the possible futures that await us all?

No need to book.

Age: 12+, Talk, Arrive on time, free

See more at:

<http://www.festivalofideas.cam.ac.uk/events/greece-edge>

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