

Topics

What makes a citizen a citizen? How do citizens distinguish themselves from non-citizens in the institutions and in the social and political practices of the ancient cities? How did phenomena such as migration and integration of foreigners in the civic community affect the discourse and reality of citizenship in Antiquity? The conference will discuss such questions, comparing traditional and more innovative approaches to ancient Greek citizenship.

Citizenship has been an intensively debated topic in recent years among historians of the Greek world. The traditional approach has been challenged. Recent works, such as J. Blok, *Citizenship in Classical Athens* (Cambridge 2017), L. Cecchet and A. Busetto, *Citizens in the Graeco-Roman World* (Leiden 2017), and A. Duploux and R. Brock, *Defining Citizenship in Archaic Greece* (Oxford 2018) have clearly pointed out the necessity of re-discussing the traditional interpretative models of ancient citizenship, on the attempt to overcome the view of citizenship as a condition simply defined by institutions, privileges, rights and duties. This conference aims at bringing together institutional and non-institutional approaches to ancient citizenship, promoting dialogue between scholars who have worked on the institutional aspects of citizenship and those who have worked mainly on its discursive and performative aspects.

Looking at a wide range of source materials from Archaic Greece to the Imperial Age, the conference will provide a venue for discussing the institutions, practices and values that contributed to defining citizen status, while at the same time marking it off from non-citizen status in Greek Antiquity.

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Concept and organisation of the Conference

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The Conference will take place digitally:

- The Keynote will be streamed on www.adwmainz.de and on Youtube. No registration is necessary.

- The Sessions will be held on Zoom and will be accessible to registered participants. To register and receive the Zoom Links send an Email until the 22nd of May to veranstaltungen@adwmainz.de.

The Junge Akademie | Mainz

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THE JUNGE AKADEMIE INVITES TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE



CITIZENSHIP IMAGINED, CITIZENSHIP PRACTICED: Citizens and non-citizens in the ancient Greek world

26 – 28 May 2021

Digital Conference

26 May, 18:00 Keynote Lecture

Josine Blok: Citizenship regimes in ancient Greece

The Keynote lecture will be streamed live on Youtube. The Session will take place on Zoom and be accessible free of charge to registered participants.



Program

Wednesday, 26 May 2021

14:45 Welcome Address: Lucia Cecchet, Chiara Lasagni

15:00 – 17:15 Session I: The shaping of Greek citizenship: from Archaic to the Classical polis *Chair: Chiara Lasagni*

15:00 **Alain Duplouy (Paris I)**: One polis, multiple citizenships? On fragmented archaic cities

15:45 **Gunnar Seelentag (Hannover)**: Citizenship in the *poleis* of Archaic and Classical Crete

16:30 **Jakub Filonik (Katowice)**: Sharing in the polis: conceptualising classical Greek citizenship

17:15 Break

18:00 **Keynote Lecture: Josine Blok (Utrecht)**:
Citizenship regimes in ancient Greece
Livestream on Youtube

Thursday, 27 May 2021

09:00 – 11:15 Session II: Framing citizenship through honorific practices *Chair: Jakub Filonik*

09:00 **Alberto Esu (Mannheim)**: How should an honorable Athenian citizen behave? Honour, shame, and civic values in Lycurgus' *Against Leocrates*

09:45 **Chiara Lasagni (Turin)**: The grant of citizenship in western Greece (Aitolia, Akarnania, Epirus): a case study for Greek *politeia*, between honorific rhetoric and practical matters

10:30 **Lucia Cecchet (Mainz)**: Just for honour? Multiple citizenship in Roman Asia Minor revisited

11:15 Break

11:30 – 13:45 Session III: Citizens and outsiders in the polis

Chair: Filippo Carlà-Uhink

11:30 **William Mack (Birmingham)**: Citizens for fiscal purposes? Taxation and citizen-recognition in the Greek *poleis*

12:15 **Kai Trampedach (Heidelberg)**: Bürger und Außen-seiter zugleich: Seher und andere mantische Spezialisten in Athen (5.-4. Jh.)

13:00 **Marietta Horster (Mainz)**: Sharing civic obligations, sharing civic rights? Offices and liturgies of ›non-citizens‹ in Late Classical and Hellenistic cities

15:00 – 17:15 Session IV: Civic bodies in transformation: citizenship lost, citizenship acquired *Chair: Lucia Cecchet*

15:00 **Oliver Grote (Regensburg)**: On the integration of the Perioeci into Elian citizenship: the synoecism of 471 BC and its function

15:45 **Daniela Marchiandi (Turin)**: Citizenship and *technai*: experiments of ›selective immigration‹ in the Greek world

16:30 **Henning Börm (Konstanz)**: *Stasis* und Exklusion: Bürgerrecht und interne Konflikte im Hellenismus

17:15 Break

17:30 – 19:00 Session V: Greek citizens beyond the polis

Chair: Marietta Horster

17:30 **Christel Müller (Paris-Nanterre)**: How to be a citizen in a *koinon*? Ideology and practices of federal citizenship in the Classical and Hellenistic periods

18:15 **Filippo Carlà-Uhink (Potsdam)**: Uncanny Valley? Cicero, Archias and the enfranchisements of the Greeks after the Social War

Friday, 28 May 2021

09:00 – 11:45 Session VI: Worlds in comparison

Chair: Lucia Cecchet

09:00 **Wolfgang Blösel (Duisburg-Essen)**: Comparative considerations on civil rights among Greeks and Romans in the mirror of their dealings with free ›non-citizens‹

09:45 **Aglaia Bianchi (Mainz)**: *Veneziani* and *foresti*: the integration of foreigners in Venice's social and economic structure of the Late Middle Ages

10:30 Break

11:00 **Pasquale Pasquino (New York, NYU)**: Citizens: Ancient and Modern

11:45 Closing remarks: Lucia Cecchet, Chiara Lasagni