Call for Papers


Medieval Epigraphy and Iconography in Central and South-Eastern Europe
Mittelalterliche Epigraphik und Ikonographie in Mittel- und Südosteuropa

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The volume attempts to assemble the epigraphic approach in a schema or interpretative paradigm able to merge in its assessment both the epigraphic constituent, the text transmitted by inscriptions, and the iconographic component.

The volume will focus on various epigraphic and iconographic themes and aspects of Medieval Epigraphy and Iconography in Central and South-Eastern Europe such as, but not restricted to:

1. Epigraphic scripts, also referring to the various types of letters used in medieval and premodern inscriptions of the studied area – Romanesque, Gothic majuscule and Lombardic script, Gothic minuscule, Early Humanistic Capitalis, Renaissance Capitalis, Fractura and Humanistic minuscule.
2. Epigraphic formulary and various types of formulae - introductory or exit formulae, names, titles and epithets implying the social and political role or position, as well as dating formulae.
3. Memory legitimation, focusing on ius inscriptionis in its connections, on the transmission of good fame and good memory, the glorious death and the good deeds, mors repentina.
4. Epigraphic Self Representation of towns and villages as well as of their elites.
5. The normative function of epigraphic monuments.
6. The iconography of the epigraphic monuments – funerary monuments, altars, bells, baptismal fonts, etc.
7. Medieval art and architecture.
8. Visual and iconographic analysis in medieval art.

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Final articles will accord to the submission requirements of the journal Studia Universitatis Cibiniensis. Series Historica.

Deadline extended: 31st May 2017
The academic studies / articles should not exceed 15,000 words and reviews 5,000 words in length.

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Works written in English and German will be accepted.

Article title: Please format with maximum capitalisation, that is all words should be capitalised with the exception of definite and indefinite articles and prepositions.

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Abstract: 150-200 words;

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