

# Achaemenid Anatolia: Persian Presence and Influence in the Western Satrapies 546–330 BC

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## SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM

### Thursday - 7 September

- 09.15–09.30 Welcome from organizers and introduction (Johan Mårtelius, Ashk Dahlén)
- 09.30–10.15 From Sardis to Persepolis: Communications and Exchanges between Asia Minor and the Center(s) of the Empire (Pierre Briant)
- 10.15–11.00 Impacts of Empire in Achaemenid Anatolia (Elspeth R. M. Dusingberre)
- 11.00–11.30 *Coffee*
- 11.30–12.00 Achaemenid Presence or Influence at Labraunda? The Relief Sculpture of a Chariot (Pontus Hellström)
- 12.00–12.30 What age were you when the Mede came? Cyrus the Great and Anatolia (Lynette Mitchell)
- 12.30–14.00 *Lunch*
- 14.00–14.30 Pillar Tombs and the Beginning of Achaemenid Rule in Lycia (Martin Seyer)
- 14.30–15.00 The Andron of Maussollos at Labraunda and its Architectural Sculpture. Aesthetic Fluidity and Cultural Allegory in Hekatomnid Karia (Jesper Blid)
- 15.00–15.30 Daskyleion in the Achaemenid period: Reflections on Persian Presence and Influence in a Multicultural Society (Kaan İren, Sedef Çokay-Kepçe)
- 15.30–16.00 *Coffee*

### Friday - 8 September

- 09.30–10.00 Cilicia, 550–330 BC: Persians and Locals (Charles Gates)
- 10.00–10.30 From Communal Feasts to Temple States: Patterns of Persian Religion in Achaemenid and post-Achaemenid Anatolia (Albert De Jong)
- 10.30–11.00 *Coffee*
- 11.00–11.30 Xanthus of Lydia, Aesop, and Persian Storytelling (Richard Stoneman)
- 11.30–12.00 The Upright Tiara of the Persian King and other Headdresses (Susanne Berndt-Ersöz)
- 12.00–13.30 *Lunch*
- 13.30–14.00 From a Local Karian Sanctuary to a Topos of Persian Royal Display: New Thoughts on Labraunda in Karia (Oliver Henry)
- 14.00–14.30 Herodotus on Persian Wine Drinking: A Critique of Cultural Sophistication and Luxury Lifestyle? (Ashk Dahlén)
- 14.30–16.00 Discussion and concluding remarks (Elspeth R. M. Dusingberre)
- 16.00 *Reception*