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### English Version

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Dear Members,

Welcome to your second Newsletter of 2017, brought to you by SIGILLVM. We hope that this regular bulletin will help you to keep up not only with the advertised activities of our association but also with all other news relevant to the study of seals in the widest sense. Feel free to tell us about anything that might interest our members (publications, conferences, exhibitions, visits, and websites – anything), please use our contact form: <http://www.sigillvm.net/contact-us/>.

The SIGILLVM Newsletter is produced for you – but also thanks to you! Once again, many thanks in advance for your input.

#### BOARD MEETINGS

The next meeting of the SIGILLVM Board is currently being scheduled for late autumn 2017. Details will be announced soon in the News and Events section of the website.

#### CONFERENCES AND EXHIBITIONS

##### International Medieval Congress 2017, University of Leeds (UK) 3-6 July 2017 Session 1008: Seals and Social Strata in Northern Europe

Sponsor: SIGILLVM: International Network for the Study of Seals & Sealing Practices Organiser: Dr Matthew Sillence, Faculty of Arts & Humanities, University of East Anglia Moderator/Chair: Dr Elizabeth New, Department of History & Welsh History, Aberystwyth University

- English 'Peasant' Seals, c. 1300 (Language: English), Phillipp R. Schofield, Department of History & Welsh History, Aberystwyth University
- Friends and Neighbours: Using Digisig to Investigate Regional Affinities in the British Isles in the 13th-Century (Language: English), John McEwan, Center for Digital Humanities, Saint Louis University, Missouri

Session Time: Wednesday 05 July - 09.00-10.30

For members and friends attending our session, we will be planning a SIGILLVM meal in the evening of 5 July 2017. If you would like to join us, please contact Dr Matthew Sillence at [webmaster@sigillvm.net](mailto:webmaster@sigillvm.net) with your dietary requirements by Friday 23 June 2017.

The deadline for registration to the conference is 29 June 2017. Details can be found on the registration page: <http://www.leeds.ac.uk/ims/imc/IMC2017/registration.html>

##### Call for the International Medieval Congress 2018: 2-5 July 2018

The theme for the conference at Leeds 2018 (2-5 July 2018) is Memory. The theme includes:

- Memory and beauty: aesthetic relevance and impact of memorization and remembering
- Objects of memory
- Lieux de memoire - communities and identity
- Construction and reconstruction of the past
- Memory: order and disorder
- Memory: sense and sensibility
- Commemoration and re-enactment
- Memory and immortality

John Cherry is considering planning a session on 'Seals and Memory'. Anyone who wishes to contribute a talk should contact him at [johncherry555@gmail.com](mailto:johncherry555@gmail.com).

#### EXHIBITIONS

Le sceau, marque de l'histoire, Archives départementales de la Moselle (1, allée du château – 57070 Saint Julien lès Metz).

The Archives départementales de la Moselle poseses a collection of over 4600 wax seals, dating mostly from the Middle Ages. Running until 16 September 2017, this exhibition allows visitors to discover the wealth of seals held in the archives and learn more about the techniques of conservation.

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## PUBLICATIONS

Bedos-Rezak, Brigitte Miriam 2017. "The ambiguity of Representation. Semiotic Roots of Political Consent in Capetian France," in *The Capetian Century, 1214-1314*, ed. William Chester Jordan and Jenna Phillips (Turnhout: Brepols), pp. 151-182.

Bolom-Kotari, Martina. 2016. *Peceti hradiských premonstrátu v pozdním stredoveku a raném novoveku* (Cervený Kostelec: Pavel Mervart).\*

Harðardóttir, Guðrun. 2016 "Myndheimur íslenskra klausturinnisigla," in *Íslensk klausturmenning a miðöldum*, ed. Haraldur Bernharðsson (Reykjavik: Miðaldastofa Haskola Íslands), pp. 201-225.

Our thanks to SIGILLVM members for reporting these titles.

\*Dr Martina Bolom-Kotari has also noted that another publication on medieval seals in Hungary with English and German summaries that is still available to purchase from the Univerzita Hradec Králové: <http://eshop.uhk.cz/>

Glejteck, Miroslav. 2013. *Stredoveká cirkevná pecat. Pramen krest'anskej ikonografie. Hradec* (Králové: Filozofická Fak. Univ. Hradec Králové).

## VARIA

### Websites

Paul Collins, writing for Apollo: The International Art Magazine this month, considers the imagery of stamp and cylinder seals in an article that looks at mythical beasts in a range of objects from Mesopotamia.

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### Conservation by SIGILLVM Site

A new seal conservation Facebook page is now live. If you are interested in learning more about conservation techniques and activities, sign up to the Facebook group.

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### Members' Publications

SIGILLVM encourages members to submit their latest publications to our bibliography section of the website, which can be found by logging into the Membership area: <http://www.sigillvm.net/login/>. A <media 82 \_blank external-link-new-window "Opens external link in new window">video guide</media> is available on the website to help you add to our Bibliography.

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