

Greek Coinage II

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Heberden Coin Room, Ashmolean Museum

Thursday 12:00 – 13:00 / Weeks: 1-8

Essential for the CAAH paper on 'Greek and Roman Coins' and for the M. St. and M. Phil. options in Greek Coinage / Greek Numismatics, but open to all with an interest in Greek history or coinage.

The lectures aim to provide an introduction to Hellenistic coinage and to the ways we study them. The series continues the 'Greek Coinage I' lectures from Michaelmas Term that focused on Archaic and Classical Greek coins.

- 1) Cooperative Coinage
- 2) The Coinages of Philip II and Alexander the Great
- 3) Hellenistic Ruler Portraits
- 4) Hellenistic Monetary Policies
- 5) State and Finance in the Hellenistic Period
- 6) Case Study: The (Hellenistic) Mint of Miletus
- 7) Greek Coinage under the Roman Republic
- 8) History from Coins? Evidence of the Graeco-Bactrian and Indo-Greek Kingdoms (S. Glenn)

There will be an opportunity at the end of each lecture to examine a selection of relevant coins. No reading is required. The handout for each lecture contains the relevant bibliography and a description of the handling coins.

Earlier recorded versions of the lecture series are accessible through Canvass under:

<https://canvas.ox.ac.uk/courses/220226/pages/635-greek-and-roman-coins-lectures>