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Ephoreia for Palaeoanthropology and Speleology for Southern
Greece (ΕΠΣΝΕ)

COLLOQUIUM

New Research in Greek Caves

Νέες Έρευνες στα Σπήλια της Ελλάδος
24th May 2008, Athens

Venue: Library of the Austrian Archaeological Institute at Athens, Leoforos
Alexandras 26.

9.00-9.30 GREETINGS, INTRODUCTION

Vivi Vassilopoulou (General Director of Antiquities and Cultural Heritage,
Hellenic Ministry of Culture)

Nina Kyparissi (Ephor of Paleanthropology and Speleology for Southern Greece)

Georg Ladstätter (Director, Austrian Institute)

Heinrich Hall (IHSA)

9.30-10.50 NORTHERN GREECE, THESSALY, IONIAN ISLANDS, EUBOEA

Andreasen, Niels (DIA) & Darlas, Andreas (EPSVE):

The Pilion Cave Project –

*An ethno-archaeological investigation of the Early Modern and Recent uses of
caves and rockshelters on Mount Pilion in Thessaly*

Stratouli, Georgia (17th EPKA):

*Reconstructing Social Activity in Drakaina Cave, Kefalonia: Ways of looking
at the archaeological record and space during the Neolithic*

Trantalidou, Katerina; Belegriou, Eleana & Hatzitheodorou, Theodoros (EPSNE)::

“Sources of Koromilias” on the northern bank of Livadopotamos:

Spatial arrangement and pastoral activities

Mavridis, Fanis (EPSNE) & Tankosic, Zarko (ASCSA):

The Ayia Triadha Cave, Southern Euboea:

Finds and Implications of the Earliest Human Habitation in the Area

10.50-11.20 COFFEE BREAK

11.20-12.40 ATTICA, ARGOLID

Mavridis, Fanis; Kormazopoulou, Lina; Apostolikas, Orestis (EPSNE); Papadea, Antigone (Hellenic Ministry of Culture); Yamaguchi, Daisuke (National & Capodistrian University, Athens); Tankosic, Zarko (ASCSA); Kotzamani, Georgia; Trantalidou, Katerina; Karkanas, Takis (EPSNE) & Maniatis Yannis (NCSR Demokritos):

The Cave at Schisto, Keratsini:

A Case of Diachronic Cave Occupation in Attica

Spathi, Maria (EPSNE) & Hatzilazarou, Dimitris (2nd EBA):

The cave at Schisto, Keratsini (Attica) in historical times

Kotzamani, Georgia & Kyparissi, Nina (EPSNE):

20,000 years of human activity in Franchthi:

an approach to the development and promotion of a cave

Kormazopoulou, Lina (EPSNE) & Hatzilazarou, Dimitris (2nd EBA):

The Byzantine refuge cave at Andritsa, Argolid

12.40-13.00 DISCUSSION

13.00-14.30 LUNCH BREAK

14.30-15.30 SOUTHERN PELOPONNESE

Darlas, Andreas & Psathi, Eleni (EPSVE)

Paleolithic research in the caves of Mani:

Results and prospects for a new discipline of Greek Archeology

Panagopoulou, Eleni (EPSNE):

Lakonis Cave: a Neanderthal site in Southern Greece

Yannopoulos, Vasilis (EPSNE):

Palaeontological finds from Glyfada Cave, Diros (Laconia)

15.30-16.00 COFFEE BREAK

16.00-17.00 THEMATIC

Katsarou, Stella (EPSNE):

Pots and pans in caves: Variability of uses by Neolithic man

Hall, Heinrich (IIHSA):

Strange places and odd behaviour – New perspectives on Late and Final

Neolithic Cave Activity in the Aegean region

Sporn, Katja (Uni. Freiburg):

Ritual space in Greek sacred caves

17.00-17.30 COFFEE BREAK

17.30-18.10 CRETE

Tyree, Loeta (ASCSA); Kanta, Athanasia (AIKS); Aretaki, Konstantina (HSS); Frey, Jon (Michigan State Uni.); Kamilaki, Eva (SPOK); McCoy, Floyd (Uni. of Hawaii); Eleni Nodarou (INSTAP-SCEC); Robinson, Harriet; Sphakianakis, Dimitris (SPOK) & Stamos, Antonia (INSTAP-SCEC):

An innovative and integrated approach: Skoteino Cave, Crete, 2002-2007

Haysom, Matthew (BSA):

Identifying Minoan cult caves

18.20-19.00 KEYNOTE LECTURE

Kyparissi, Nina (EPSNE):

Theopetra Cave, Thessaly –

A distinctive case of cave-use in prehistoric Greece

19.00-19.30 DISCUSSION

19.30-ONWARDS: IRISH RECEPTION

At the Irish Institute, Notara 51a

Next door to the colloquium venue

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