



# THE ROMAN PERIOD AND THE EARLY MIDDLE AGES IN THE EASTERN ALPS, NORTHERN ITALY AND THE WESTERN BALKANS

On the occasion of the 100th birthday of Jaroslav Šašel (1924–1988)

Slovenian Academy of Sciences and Arts, Novi trg 3, Ljubljana

5–6 September 2024

## Programme of the International Symposium

Thursday, 5 September 5 2024

8.30 Registration

9.00–9.20 Greeting words and introduction

9.20–9.45

**Feđa Milivojević**, From ephemerality to permanence: *lex Vatinia* and the creation of the province of Illyricum

9.45–10.10

**Renate Lafer**, *Spectacula* und private Munifizienz in der epigraphischen Dokumentation Oberitaliens – einige Überlegungen zur Finanzierung von Spielen und den dafür vorgesehenen Spiel- und Sportstätten

10.10–10.35

**Amra Šaćić Beća**, Administrative organization of Roman silver mines in Pannonia

10.35–11.00

**Reinhold Wedenig**, New epigraphic evidence concerning onomastics in the area of Noricum and Austria 2

11.00–11.20 *Coffee Break*

11.20–11.45

**Robert Matijašič**, The *Calpurnii Pisones* in Istria and Liburnia

11.45–12.10

**Andrej Gaspari, Žan Špendal**, Tombstone for Lucius Obulsius, veteran of *legio XV Apollinaris* from the northern necropolis of Emona

12.10–12.35

**Anja Ragolič**, *Theta nigrum, ... quae mortem [significat]*. Geographical distribution and onomastic analysis of the accompanying names on the funerary inscriptions in the south-eastern Alps

12.35–13.00

**Boštjan Laharnar, Milan Lovenjak**, Inscribed Roman bronze tablets discovered in Slovenia

*13.00–14.30 Lunch break*

14.30–14.55

**Julijana Visočnik**, Janez Žiga Valentin Popovič (1705–1774) and Peter Fendi (1796–1842) and their contribution to the study of Celeia

14.55–15.20

**Inga Vilogorac Brčić**, Isis and Serapis in Poetovio

15.20–15.45

**Aleksandra Nestorovič**, Roman villa with a private Mithraeum?

*15.45–16.15 Coffee Break*

16.15–16.40

**Bojan Djurič**, Ariadne at St Margaret's and the promise of a new life

16.40–17.05

**Stefano Magnani**, Dangers of traveling in the Alpine regions in Roman times: the epigraphic documentation

17.05–17.30

**Jana Horvat**, The route along the rivers Nadiža (Natisone) and Soča

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**Friday, 6 September 2024**

9.00–9.25

**Jan Dominik Bogataj, Miran Špelič**, The cradle of Latin patristic exegesis (Victorinus, Fortunatianus, Hieronymus) 3

9.25–9.50

**Alenka Cedilnik**, Theodorus, bishop of Heraclea in Thrace, in the service of Constantinople

9.50–10.15

**Aleš Maver**, Civil war as punishment?: Constantius II in the Latin Christian Historiography of the 4th and 5th Centuries

10.15–10.40

**Matej Petrič**, The battle of Frigidus in the context of Rufinus' Church History

10.40–11.10 *Coffee Break*

11.10–11.35

**Slavko Ciglencečki**, The transformation of late Roman military fortifications and fortifying of the north-eastern border of Italy

11.35–12.00

**Ana Kovačič**, Glass from the late Roman fortress *Castra* (Slovenia)

12.00–12.25

**Ana Kruh, Andrej Šemrov**, Roman finds from the slope of Gora east of Ajdovščina (*Castra*)

12.25–12.50

**Vesna Tratnik, Janka Istenič**, Late Roman conflict landscape near Ajdovščina (*Castra*)

12.50–14.30 *Lunch break*

14.30–14.55

**Hrvoje Gračanin**, Jaroslav Šašel's *Antiqui Barbari* half a century later

14.55–15.20

**Zvezdana Modrijan**, *Carnium* and *Carneola* – Anonymous Ravennate and archaeological research in recent decades

15.20–15.45

**Aljaž Sekne**, Martin of Braga as a source for the history of the Slavs in Pannonia

15.45 –16.10

**Tina Milavec**, Defense of the eastern border of northern Italy in the early Middle Ages

16.15–16.30 Concluding remarks

16.30 *Visit of the National Museum of Slovenia and the Roman lapidarium*

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