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NEW APPROACHES TO BYZANTINE ART AND ARCHAEOLOGY

Krakow Symposium on Byzantine Art and Archaeology
September 8–10, 2008

CALL FOR PAPERS

The Institute of Art History, Jagiellonian University in Krakow, and the Faculty of Church History of the Pontifical Academy of Theology in Krakow extend an invitation to all interested scholars (art historians, archaeologists, historians, philologists and theologians) to participate in the forthcoming Symposium, either by contributing a paper or by attending it as a discussant in the proceedings.

The purpose of the Symposium is to discuss new discoveries, interpretations and methodologies giving novel insights and new perspectives on the art of the Byzantine Empire. We invite papers focusing on objects of art, both unpublished and well-known, but requiring a new approach to the issues of their dating, function or meaning, as well as contributions discussing the context of creation, migration and perception of objects of art, iconographic formulas, and aesthetic ideas.

We particularly warmly invite participation of young scholars at early stages of their career.

Leading scholars of the field will be invited to give keynote lectures.

Deadline: Paper proposals not exceeding 500 words should be sent to the organizers as soon as possible and not later than December 15, 2007.

Papers: The official languages of the Symposium are: English, French and German. Paper presentations should be of approximately 20 minutes' duration. Proceedings of the Symposium will be published in 2009.

Fees and accommodation: There is no participation fee. Participants will be required to cover the cost of their transportation and accommodation in Krakow. In individual cases there will be a possibility to obtain financial support with the help of the organizers. Further information concerning these issues will be sent to participants in January 2008.

Applications and all enquiries should be sent to:

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