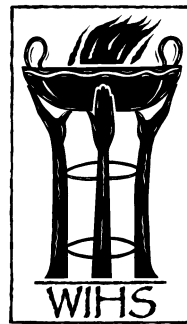


The organizers are grateful to the following bodies,
whose support has made this conference possible:

The Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada
The Parochial Polis Project, McGill University
The John MacNaughton Chair of Classics, McGill University
The Office of Research, University of Waterloo
The Faculty of Arts, University of Waterloo
The Waterloo Institute for Hellenistic Studies



McGill



THE JOHN MACNAUGHTON
CHAIR OF CLASSICS



Social Sciences and Humanities
Research Council of Canada

Conseil de recherches en
sciences humaines du Canada

Canada

Localism in the Hellenistic World

25–28 April 2018

Delta Hotel Waterloo
Waterloo ON Canada

Wednesday, April 25.

7:00 – 9:00 **Opening wine and cheese reception:**
Solé Restaurant and Wine Bar, 83 Erb. St. W., Waterloo.

Thursday, April 26: The Laurel Creek Room, Delta Hotel Waterloo.

8:30 – 9:00 Breakfast and welcome.

Session 1. Introduction and an Unusual Example.

Chair: Sheila Ager.

9:00 – 9:45 Hans Beck, McGill University: *Localism and the Local in the Hellenistic World: A Conceptual Introduction.*

9:45 – 10:30 Ruben Post, University of Pennsylvania: *Localism and Environmental History in the Hellenistic Kopaic Basin.*

10:30 – 11:00 Break.

Session 2. Institutions: Creating the Local in Communities and Networks.

Chair: Peter Funke.

11:00 – 11:45 Alex McAuley, Cardiff University: *Bridging the Gulf: Local Proxenia between Boiotia and Euboa.*

11:45 – 12:30 Sara Saba, Fraunhofer Institut IBP: *Localism and Matrimonial Strategies in 'Old' and 'New' Hellenistic Communities.*

12:39 – 1:30 Lunch.

Session 3. Identity and Independence: The Local in the Shadow of Power.

Chair: Chandra Giroux.

1:30 – 2:15 Denver Graninger, University of California: *Rome, Macedonia, and the Lash in Hellenistic Larisa: Festival Perspectives.*

2:15 – 3:00 Joan Connelly, New York University: *The Island Beyond the Island: Localism and Identity of Place on Ptolemaic Yeronisos.*

3:00 – 3:30 Break.

Session 4. Localism in the Hellenistic West: The Unique Situation of Sicily.

Chair: James Roy.

3:30 – 4:15 Claudia Antonetti, University Ca' Foscari: *Localism in Western Sicily: Legacy and Memory of the Greek Poleis.*

4:15 – 5:00 Mark Thatcher, Boston College: *Being Syracusan in the Hellenistic World.*

Friday, April 27: The Laurel Creek Room, Delta Hotel Waterloo.

8:30 – 9:00 Breakfast.

Session 5. Hellenistic Sparta: Conflict, Competition, and Local Identity.

Chair: Alex McAuley.

9:00 – 9:45 Elena Franchi, University of Trento: *(G)localism in Hellenistic Sparta: The Spartan Kings' Attitude to Argos.*

9:45 – 10:30 Sebastian Scharff, University of Mannheim: *'Sparta is My Country.' Competitive Localism in Hellenistic Sparta.*

10:30 – 11:00 Break.

11:00 – 11:45 Chelsea Gardner, University of British Columbia: *The Hellenistic Mani: Autonomy and Independence from Ancient Sparta.*

12:00 – 1:00 Lunch.

Session 6. Making a Home: The Local as a Place of Mind.

Chair: Claudia Antonetti.

1:00 – 1:45 Chandra Giroux, McGill University: *Hellenistic Localism: The Case of Chaeronea.*

1:45 – 2:30 Selina Stewart, University of Alberta: *The Poetics of Home-Imagines in the Hellenistic World.*

2:30 – 3:00 Break.

Session 7. The Local and the League: Aitolia, Arkadia, and Achaia.

Chair: Ruben Post.

3:00 – 3:45 Joseph Scholten, University of Maryland: *Localism and the Paradox of the Hellenistic Aitolians.*

3:45 – 4:30 Peter Funke, University of Münster: *Aligning the Dots: Local Self-Assertion in a Politically Expanding World.*

4:30 – 5:15 James Roy, University of Nottingham: *Megalopolis as a Case Study of Tyranny in the Hellenistic Polis of the Third Century BC.*

6:00 – 9:00

Banquet:

Proof Restaurant, Delta Hotel Waterloo.

Saturday, April 28: The Laurel Creek Room, Delta Hotel Waterloo.

8:30 – 9:00 Breakfast.

Session 8. Localism and Duality: The Local in the Face of Empire.

Chair: Joan Connelly.

9:00 – 9:45 Fabienne Marchand, University of Fribourg: *Local Response to Early Roman Presence in Greece: The Case of Boiotia.*

9:45 – 10:30 Tim Howe, St. Olaf College: *Leadership, Legitimacy, and Public Works in Roman Rough Cilicia.*

10:30 – 11:00 Break.

Session 9. Where Does the Local End?

Facilitators: Sheila Ager and Hans Beck.

11:00 – 12:00 Final Discussion.