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TEACHING CLASSICAL CULTURAL HERITAGE A SEMINAR ON CLASSICAL CULTURAL HERITAGE TEACHING STRATEGIES

Children growing up today are part of a globalized world and global world heritage is offered to them as never before. Consequently, old national, European or indeed western values are not as obviously special to the young as they may have been before. Classicists insist that knowledge of the classical world is integral to the values of modern society and at a time when many young people struggle to find a place in modern society, it is important to teach future generations so. The seminar brings together institutions and teachers of classical culture to discuss strategies and aims. How do we catch the next generation and ensure that the best minds continue to be open to the importance of the Classical heritage?

Venue: The Danish Institute at Athens, Herefondos 14, Plaka.

Date: Friday the 4th of October 2019.

PROGRAMME

16.30 *Welcome* by Kristina Winther-Jacobsen, Director of the Danish Institute at Athens

16.45 *Welcome* by Polyxeni Adam-Veleni, Director of the General Directorate of Antiquities and Cultural Heritage

17.00 *Teaching classics in the Danish Gymnasium (lykio)* by Thomas Aagaard Kristensen, Lecturer at Sct Knuds Gymnasium

17.30 *Teaching classical archaeology at Scandinavian Universities* by Søren Handberg, Associate Professor at Oslo University, Co-Director of the current excavations at Kalydon

18.00 *Decolonizing Cultural Heritage: Teaching the Past Locally and Globally in Ancient Corinth* by Ioulia Tzonou, Associate Director of the Corinth Excavations

18.30 *Engaging young students in classical cultural heritage - the role of the ephorates* by Maria Tsoulakou, Ephorate of Antiquities of Messini

19.00 Panel discussion moderated by Antonis Lionarakis, Dean School of Humanities of the Hellenic Open University.