

# DUMBARTON OAKS Research Library and Collection

# BYZANTINE STUDIES NEWSLETTER SUMMER 2014

## **Greek Summer Scool**

Dumbarton Oaks had the pleasure to once again offer Byzantine Greek and paleography this summer, July 7 to August 1, 2014. We welcomed 11 students from Europe and the United States. Courses were led by Alice-Mary Talbot and Stratis Papaioannou. Students were able to make use of Deb Brown's microfilm project, completed by Saskia Dirkse.



### Life of Basil the Younger

We are also delighted to celebrate the publication of the Life of Basil the Younger, the longest book we have published since the Economic History of Byzantium. Denis Sullivan, Alice-Mary Talbot, and Stamatina McGrath began the work in Dumbarton Oaks over ten years ago in the Greek Reading Group and were here to celebrate its publication thanks to the sterling work of Joel Kalvesmaki and the beautiful design of Kathy Sparkes.



#### **Welcome Interns**

We welcomed three interns this summer working on Byzantine topics: Benjamin Selden to work on the online seals catalog, Colleen O'Leary in the Museum to work on the Coin catalog, and Caitlin Ballotta in ICFA who was researching old fieldwork projects for the ICFA oral history. As they prepare to leave, we welcome back Joe Glynias for a year to work on Arabic, monogrammatic, and ecclesiastical seals.

## **Good News**

Congratulations to Jonathan Shea (Teaching Fellow) and Betsy Williams (Textile Project) who both got married this summer, and we welcome Lisa (back) and Marek into the Dumbarton Oaks community.





# Byzantine Community at Dumbarton Oaks

Susan Boyd (emerita) Gudrun Buehl and Michael Sohn Deb Brown Örgü Dalgiç and Vasileios Marinis Fani Gargova John Hanson Scott and Carol Johnson Joel and Colette Kalvesmaki Alec Luhring Margaret Mullett and Michael McGann Cécile Morrisson John (emeritus) and Carla Nesbitt Irfan and Mary Shahid Jonathan and Lisa Shea Alice-Mary (emerita) and Bill Talbot Natalia Teteriatnikov (emerita) Betsy Williams and Marek Dospel Stephen Zwirn

### **Byzantine Summer Fellows**

Janet Atwill Christos Malatras Stavros Mamaloukos Daria Resh Peter Sarris Christos Stavrakos

### William R. Tyler Fellows

Saskia Dirkse Julian Yolles

Pre-Doctoral Residencies Daniel Kelly

**Post-Doctoral Stipendiaries** 

Thanasis Vionis Erin Jordan

# Readers

Linda Safran Manuela Studer Alex Tudorie Francesca dell Acqua