Early Iron Age Pottery
A Quantitative Approach

Round Table organized by
the Swiss School of Archaeology in Greece

Athens, Skaramanga 4b
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Friday 28
18h30 Karl Reber (Swiss School): Introduction
19h00 Samuel Verdan (Swiss School): Quantification in Early Iron Age pottery studies: review and prospects

Sanctuaries (1) (chairman: Karl Reber)
19h30 Michael Kerschner (Austrian Archaeological Institute): Approaching aspects of cult practice and ethnicity in Early Iron Age Ephesus by using quantitative analysis of a Protogeometric deposit from the Artemision
20h00 Ivonne Kaiser - Sara Strack (DAI): Development of a ceramic cultic assemblage? Analysing pottery from LH III C to LG Kalapodi
20h30 Discussion

Saturday 29
Sanctuaries (2) (chairman: Alexandros Mazarakis Ainian)
9h30  Catherine Morgan (BSA): Isthmia and beyond: how can quantification help the analysis of EIA sanctuary deposits?
10h00 Birgitta Eder (Freiburg University): The Early Iron Age sanctuary at Olympia: counting sherds from the Pelopion excavations (1987-1996)
10h30 Jean-Marc Luce (Toulouse University): L’aire du pilier des Rhodiens à Delphes. Essai de quantification du mobilier
11h00 Discussion

Settlements (1) (chairman: Alexandros Mazarakis Ainian)
12h00 Irini Lemos (Oxford University): Pottery quantification at Lefkandi (provisional title)
12h30 Claude Léderrey (Swiss School): Reconstructing an Iron Age settlement based on counted sherds
13h00 Vicky Vlachou (Athens University): The open vessels from buildings I and IET of the Geometric settlement at Oropos
13h30 Discussion

Settlements (2) (chairman: Nota Kourou)
16h00 Stefanos Gimatzidis (27th Ephorate): Counting sherds at Sindos: pottery consumption and construction of identities in the Iron Age
16h30 Jean-Sébastien Gros (EFA): Le mobilier céramique des fouilles de Xobourgo de Tenos. Problématique, perspective, et premiers résultats de l’analyse quantitative
17h00 Emanuela Santaniello (Scuola di Atene): Defining a typology of the Iron Age pottery from Gortyn (Crete)
17h30 Discussion

Case studies: burials and survey (chairman: Nota Kourou)
18h30 Xenia Charalambidou (Athens University): The Geometric pottery from the ancient necropolis of Tsikalario on Naxos: benefits of a typological and quantitative approach
19h00 Adonis Kotsonas (Crete University): Quantification of ceramics in Cretan Iron Age tombs
19h30 Vladimir Stissi (Amsterdam University): Finding the Early Iron Age in Field Survey: two case studies from Boeotia and Magnesia
20h00 Discussion

Sunday 30
9h00 Round table
11h00 Conclusion