

# IMPACT OF EMPIRE

Workshop III, The Presentation and Perception of Roman Imperial Power  
Rome, March 20-23, 2002  
Netherlands Institute in Rome  
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## PROGRAMME

### WEDNESDAY MARCH 20, 2002, NETHERLANDS INSTITUTE IN ROME (= NIR)

From 15.30 NIR, Registration of participants by N. de Haan, G. de Kleijn, S. Mols.

**17.30-18.00 Opening by**

H. Geertman, director of the Netherlands Institute in Rome and  
L. de Blois, chairman of the international network Impact of Empire.

**18.00-20.15 Session 1, The representation of imperial power in the city of Rome.**

**chair:** L. de Blois

18.00-18.45 G. Alföldy, Heidelberg, Germany, 'Die Repräsentation der  
kaiserlichen Macht in Inschriften Roms und des Imperium Romanum'.

18.45-19.30 S. Panciera, Rome, Italy, 'Umano e divino. Le divinità auguste  
nell'epigrafia latina di Roma'.

19.30-20.15 A. Wallace-Hadrill, British School at Rome, UK,  
'Representations of imperial power in town-planning and building-policies  
in Rome: an example'.

**21.00 joint dinner.**

### THURSDAY MARCH 21, 2002, NIR

**Morning**

**9.00 - 13.00 Session 2, Rome and the provinces: the representation and perception of  
Roman imperial power.**

**chair:** J. Rich

9.00 - 9.30 J.S. Richardson, Edinburgh, UK, 'Imperium Romanum between Republic and  
Empire'.

9.30 - 10.00 P. Botteri, Triëste, Italy, 'Ancyra, Antiochia e Apollonia. La rappresentazione  
delle *Res Gestae Divi Augusti*'.

10.00 - 10.30 L. de Blois, Nijmegen, NL, 'The perception of Roman imperial authority in  
Herodian's work'.

10.30 - 11.00 Coffeebreak.

11.00 - 11.30 W.Eck, Cologne, Germany, 'Nähe und Ferne kaiserlicher Macht: Das Beispiel  
Köln'.

11.30 - 12.00 G. de Kleijn, Nijmegen, NL, 'The Emperor and Public Works in the City of  
Rome'.

12.00 - 13.00 Discussion.

**13.00 - 14.30 lunchbreak, NIR.**

**THURSDAY MARCH 21, 2002, NIR**

**Afternoon**

**14.30-19.00 Session 3, Rome and the provinces: the representation and perception of Roman imperial power.**

**chair:** A.R. Birley

14.30 - 15.00 D. Slootjes, Chapel Hill, USA, 'Imagery and representation of the governor: Roman imperial routine seen through the eyes of provincials'.

15.00 - 16.00 B.H. Stolte, Groningen & W.J. Zwolve, Leiden, NL, 'In the name of the emperor (representation of Roman imperial power in the administration of justice)'.

16.00 - 16.30 O.J. Hekster, Oxford, UK, 'Defining Audiences. The Transmittance of Imperial Ideologies'.

16.30 - 17.00 Teabreak.

17.00 - 17.30 A. Chaniotis, Heidelberg, Germany, 'The representation and perception of Roman imperial power in inscriptions from Aphrodisias'.

17.30 - 18.00 R.J.A. Talbert, Chapel Hill, USA, 'The orbis terrarum mapped: the creation and purpose of the Tabula Peutingeriana'.

18.00 - 19.00 Discussion.

from 19.00 Drinks at the Netherlands Institute, and dinner (everybody finds his/her own restaurant).

**FRIDAY MARCH 22, 2002**

**Morning**

**9.00 - 13.00 Session 4, Roman Emperors: the Representation and Perception of Imperial power in Individual Reigns.**

**chair:** W.Eck

9.00 - 9.30 J. Rich, Nottingham, UK, 'Augustus, War and Peace'.

9.30 - 10.00 Y. Perrin, St. Etienne, France, 'Aux marches du palais: le Palatin et la domus tiberiana de Claude à Vitellius'.

10.00 - 10.30 E.M. Moormann, Amsterdam, NL, 'Representations of Nero'.

10.30 - 11.00 Coffeebreak.

11.00 - 11.30 J. Coulston, St. Andrews, UK, 'Overcoming the Barbarian. Rome's Enemies in Trajanic Monumental Art'.

11.30 - 12.00 L. Polverini, Rome, Italy, 'La percezione dell' impero nell' epistolario di Plinio'.

12.00 - 13.00 Discussion.

13.00 - 14.30 lunchbreak, catering, lunch in the Netherlands Institute.

**During lunchbreak: poster presentations by**

- K. Haegemans (Leuven, Belgium): Representation and perception of imperial power. The year A.D. 238, the numismatic evidence.
- J.H.M. de Jong (Nijmegen, NL): Representation and perception of imperial power. The year A.D. 238, Greek papyri.
- A. Kriekhaus (Düsseldorf, Germany): Senatoren als Repräsentanten kaiserlicher Macht: Das Beispiel der Minicii Natales aus Barcino.

**FRIDAY MARCH 22, 2002**

**Afternoon**

**14.30 - 18.30 Session 5, Roman Emperors: the Representation and Perception of Imperial Power in Individual Reigns.**

**chair:** E. Lo Cascio

- 14.30 - 15.00 A.R. Birley, Düsseldorf, Germany/ UK, 'Hadrian's Travels'.
- 15.00 - 15.30 S.T.A.M. Mols, Nijmegen, NL, 'The Cult of Roma Aeterna in Hadrian's Politics'.
- 15.30 - 16.00 C. Vout, Nottingham, UK, 'A revision of Hadrian's portraiture. Is there more to the man than his beard?'
- 16.00 - 16.30 Teabreak.
- 16.30 - 17.00 Chr. Bruun, Toronto, Canada, 'Contemporary nicknames of Roman emperors'
- 17.00 - 17.30 A.J.L. van Hooff, Nijmegen, NL, 'Death of the Emperor. Perception and Performance'.
- 17.30 - 18.30 Discussion.

**19.00 - 20.00 Meeting of the board of the network Impact of Empire (members who participate in the workshop)**

NIR, Hoogewerff hall north.

Dinner (everybody finds his/her own restaurant).

**SATURDAY MARCH 23, 2002**

**Morning, NIR**

**9.00 - 13.30 Session 6, The Representation and Perception of Roman Imperial Power: General Issues, 'Nachleben' and Theoretical Aspects**

**chair:** E.M. Moormann

- 9.00 - 9.30 C. Neira Faleiro, Madrid, Spain, 'La plenitudo potestatis e la ueneratio imperatoris come principio dogmatico della politica della tarda antichità; un esempio chiaro: la notitia dignitatum' (abstract in Spanish, lecture in Italian).
- 9.30 - 10.00 F. Lopez-Sanchez, Zaragoza, Spain, 'Right and Left on the coins. Two positions for two very different political purposes. Their signification in obvers and revers from the third to the fifth century A.D.' (lecture in French).
- 10.00 - 10.30 H. von Hesberg, Cologne, Germany, 'The Roman Ornament as Language - the gentle Presence of Power'.
- 10.30 - 11.00 Coffeebreak.

- 11.00 - 11.30 H.W. Singor, Leiden, NL, 'Jesus Christ as Sol and Constantine as his Companion and Consort'.  
11.30 - 12.00 R. Haensch, Cologne, Germany, 'Römische Amtsinhaber als Vorbild für christliche Bischöfe'.  
12.00 - 12.30 O. Bucci, Rome/ Campobasso, Italy, 'La percezione del potere imperiale nelle opere di scrittori dalle province del Est nel tardo antico'.  
12.30 - 13.15 Discussion.

**13.15 - 13.30 Closing of the workshop by L. de Blois**

**Afternoon**

13.30 - 14.30 lunch, NIR

**14.30 Excursion to Portus**, departure from NIR by bus. Guided tours at Portus: H.Geertman & S. Mols. Transportation and dinner included in the price (E 57).  
Aperitif, somewhere, followed by a dinner in a restaurant in Fiumicino.