

Late Roman and Byzantine Coins II
March 9, 2024

Pera Museum is offering a seminar on Late Roman and Byzantine Coins for graduate students as part of Suna and İnan Kırac Foundation Anatolian Weights and Measures Collection. The seminar, which adopts an interdisciplinary approach to the science of numismatics, aims to provide theoretical and practical skills for young researchers working on the archaeology, history, art, and culture of the Late Roman and Early Byzantine periods.

The intensive one-day program consists of a seminar and a workshop. In the first part of the program, Associate Professor Dr. Aliye Erol will give a theoretical seminar on Late Roman and Byzantine coins. In the second part, there will be an applied numismatics workshop by studying the coins from the Pierre Willemart Coin Collection donated to the Suna and İnan Kırac Foundation.

The seminar will be held face-to-face at the Istanbul Research Institute. The language of the program is Turkish. The program is free, and attendees outside Istanbul must pay for their accommodation and transportation.

Seminar Coordinator

Associate Professor Dr. Aliye Erol

Associate Professor Dr. Erol, who continues her role as a faculty member in the Department of Ancient History at the Faculty of Literature, Istanbul University, obtained her master's degree in 2005 with the thesis 'Perge Excavation Coins: 1989-1998' under the Ancient History program of Istanbul University Social Sciences and Humanities Institute. In 2011, she earned her Ph.D. with the thesis ' Agons and Agonistic coins in the Province of Pontus-Bithynia during the Roman Imperial Period.' She continues her research in the history and numismatics of ancient Anatolia and the Mediterranean Basin and has critical academic articles published in national, international, peer-reviewed, and indexed journals.

Workshop Coordinator

Yavuz Selim Güler

Yavuz Selim Güler completed his master's degree in Archaeology and Art History at Koç University in 2020 with a thesis on 'Negotiores Societies in the Asian Province during the Late Republic and Early Imperial Periods.' After working in museum education for a while, he has been responsible for the Anatolian Weights and Measures Collection and the Kütahya Tiles and Ceramics Collection of the Suna and İnan Kırac Foundation Pera Museum since 2021. Güler's academic research has been published in various national and international peer-reviewed and indexed journals. He continues to teach part-time in the Department of Tourism Management at Boğaziçi University.

Eligibility

The seminar is open to master's and doctoral students and post-doctoral researchers in archaeology, art history, history, and Ancient History programs. Applications from senior-year undergraduate students will be evaluated by the program coordinator.

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Application

Applicants must send a one-page resume and a letter of intent not exceeding 100 words to the email address info@peramuzesi.org.tr by **March 4, 2024, Monday**. The subject line of the email should be 'Byzantine Coins Seminar_Firstname-Lastname.' The documents of the applicants will be evaluated, and 15 participants will be selected for the program.

Program

Saturday, March 9, 2024

10:00-10:15	Welcoming
10:15-11:45	Late Roman Coins (Seminar)
11:45-12:00	Break
12:00-13:30	Early Byzantine Coins (Seminar)
13:30-14:30	Lunch Break
14:30-15:15	The Art of Weights and Measures (Exhibition Tour)
15:15-15:30	Break
15:30-17:00	Applied Numismatics (Workshop)