



MYKONOS, GREECE – 25 TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2005

SYMPOSIUM 2005

Towards a Just Society - Issues in Law and Medicine

Presented by The Greek Conference





Symposium 2005

Towards a Just Society

The Role of Law, Medicine and Other Professions

Mykonos Grand Hotel and Resort

Mykonos, Greece

25 to 30 September 2005





As Chairman of The Greek Conference, I invite you to join us in Mykonos from 25 to 30 September 2005 for Symposium 2005 will take place at the spectacular and multi-award winning Mykonos Grand Hotel and Resort.

This will be the third event organized by The Greek Conference, following on from the highly successful Crete Conference considering modern perspectives of ethics in the professions and, more recently, Masterclass 2004, that concentrated on issues in equal opportunity.

We aim to present to you a themed Symposium, addressing, Towards a Just Society - The Role of Law, Medicine and Other Professions, in which the changing dynamics of these responsibilities will be considered from differing perspectives.

Our professional program, finalized by the Chair of our Papers Committee (Professor The Hon George Hampel QC), has had invaluable input from our Greek organizing Committee, under the direction of Dr Takis Vidalis and Professor Spyros Marketos.

Mykonos is a fascinating and historic island, with its history going back to Neolithic times and now a vibrant social and tourist centre in the Greek islands. With its famed windmills overlooking the nearby town, the Chora is full of interesting and historic churches, tavernas, shops, churches and architecture. Mykonos is part of the renowned Cyclades Islands and from the Symposium Hotel, we can gaze at the sacred island of Delos, legendary birthplace of the twins Apollo and Artemis and the treasury and store of the Delian League during the Persian wars.

Apart from the professional program, we have devised an interesting and stimulating social and cultural program, including visiting Delos, taking delegates from the dawn of civilization to the contemporary.

The Greek Conference is a not-for-profit organization. From our previous events, we have supported the Greek Cardiac Centre and the Murdoch Childrens Research Institute's Gene & Cell Therapy Unit for their research work into the causes and possible cures for thalassaemia. We look forward to Symposium 2005 being able to contribute further towards the outstanding work being undertaken by the Murdoch Childrens Research Institute.

I look forward to greeting you at Symposium 2005. I can assure you a stimulating culturally enriching and pleasurable week, as well as the opportunity to join us with professional colleagues, renew or make friendships and, above all, enjoy all for which Greece is famed.

EUGENIA MITRAKAS OAM

Chairman



**PROFESSOR THE HON. GEORGE HAMPTEL QC
THE CHAIR OF OUR PAPERS COMMITTEE**

Professor The Hon. George Hampel QC writes:

"Symposium 2005 will be a wonderful opportunity to discuss how we perceive a just and democratic society.

Following on from our previous events addressing ethics and equal opportunity, and at a time when the concepts of both justice and democracy are both developing and suffering, "what makes a just society" will be a challenging issue, bringing together topical issues in law, medicine and

other professions. I am delighted that Professor Peter Doherty is again joining us to deliver the Keynote Presentation.

A themed program will include issues of obligations and rights; access to justice, medicine and education; privacy and the right to know; the concepts of change; and, the development of our institutions.

I encourage you to join us in Mykonos and to be involved in these intellectual challenges, mixed with fun and friendship."

Symposium 2005 is organized under the auspices of the Association of Greek and Affiliated Panhellenic Interests Ltd, the organizers of THE GREEK CONFERENCE 2004 and MASTERCLASS 2004 and with the collaboration of The Hellenic Association of the History, Sociology and Philosophy of Medical Sciences.



Symposium 2005 is organized under the

Saturday, 24 September 2005

Subject to numbers, a pre-Symposium afternoon event will be planned. If interested, please contact the Symposium Secretariat in advance.

Pre-Registration

will be open from 1.30pm until 3.30pm
Venue - Conference Registration Desk
- Mykonos Grand.

Sunday, 25 September 2005

At leisure – see page 16 of the Symposium Brochure for details on our organized trip to Delos Island.

Pre-Registration

will be open from 10.00 am to 2.00 pm and again from 4.00 pm to 5.30 pm.
Venue - Conference Registration Desk
- Mykonos Grand.

Welcome Reception

commences at 6.30 pm.

Venue - The Amphitheatre, Mykonos Grand.



Just thinking

MAIN PARTICIPANTS

CHAIRMAN

Eugenia Mitrakas, OAM

Eugenia Mitrakas has actively pursued Hellenic interests since an undergraduate. An emigrant from Lesbos to Australia, as a child, she has retained strong links with Greece. Eugenia, a practicing lawyer, has been involved with educational, welfare and professional interests. She was instrumental in introducing the teaching of Modern Greek at tertiary level in Melbourne and later founded, and from 1988 to 2001 chaired a series of professional conferences in Greece and Melbourne. Her contributions to the Greek community have been recognized by awards of the Hellenic Distinction, the Hellenic Business Forum and the Order of Australia Medal. More recently, Eugenia Mitrakas chaired The Greek Conference on ethics held in Crete, and Masterclass 2004 on equal opportunity, held in Melbourne.

CHAIR OF THE PAPERS COMMITTEE

Professor The Hon. George Hampel QC

Professor Hampel was a Judge of the Supreme Court of Victoria from 1983 to 2000. He holds a professorial appointment at Monash University in Advocacy and Trial Practice and was the founding chairman of the Australian Advocacy Institute. He has been chair of a number of legal education bodies, with special interest in the handling of expert evidence. Professor Hampel has more than 30 years' experience in advocacy and expert witness training and is also the president of the Institute of Forensic Studies.

SYMPOSIUM 2005 may qualify towards meeting continuing professional development and education requirements. However, as this may be dependent on requirements of individual professional associations, no specific representations are made and delegates should make their own enquiries or contact the Symposium Secretariat.

Tuesday, 27 September 2005

The Just Treatment

Day 2 Theme

Dr Gael Jennings

Law and Bio-Medicine

Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Anastasia Zanni

Confidentiality 1; Regulation and Employee's Rights

Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Dr Bill Stone

Confidentiality 2; Doctor's Duties; Lawyers Rights

Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Professor Andrew Alston

Morning Coffee

Confidentiality 3; The Unexpected Impact of a Medical Trait

Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Rolf Driver, FM

The Rights of Minority Groups

Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Dr Andreas Takis

Lunch – Individual Choice

How the Human Genome Changed Consciousness

Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Professor Panos Ioannou & Dr Jim Vadolas

Panel Discussion – The Day in Review

Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Leader - Ingrid Winship

Symposium Panigiri

Venue - Ano Mera

Meet in the foyer of the Mykonos Grand; see page 16 of the Symposium Brochure.



SYMPOSIUM CO-ORDINATOR AND FACILITATOR Dr Gael Jennings

Dr Gael Jennings, since completing a Doctorate in Philosophy in immunology, has had a multi-award winning radio and television career, including with the ABC and SBS networks, specializing in scientific and medical issues and current affairs. She is also a widely published author. Gael has had an active involvement in scientific, health ethics, education and business areas and will be the general co-ordinator and facilitator for the Symposium.



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Wednesday, 28 September 2005

Just Culture

To take place on Syros Island; see page 17 of the Conference Brochure for full details

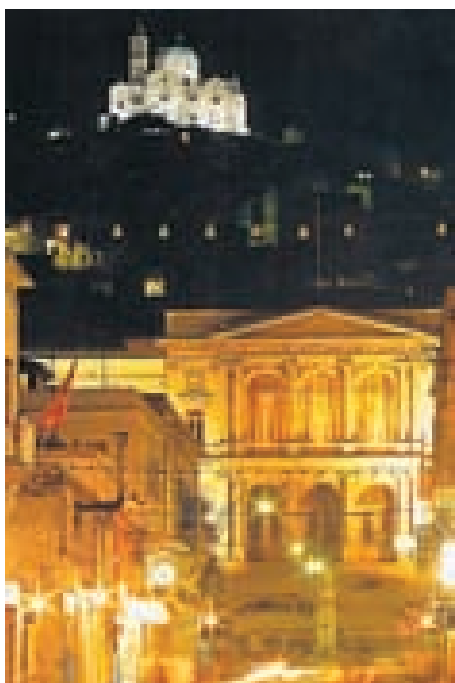
Day 3 Theme

Eugenia Mitrakas, OAM

After morning coffee on arrival in Syros, the Symposium's cultural program will be presented, including views of Greek history, culture and life and a presentation by author Gillian Bouras

Lunch – Individual choice in Ermoupolis, Syros Island

Afternoon at leisure on Syros Island



but we leave before sunset.

Thursday, 29 September 2005

The Just Access

Day 4 Theme

Dr Gael Jennings

Concepts in Bias Avoidance – Equal Opportunity
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Associate Professor Anne Bardoel

Informed Consent and the Mentally Handicapped
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Dr Gail Robinson

Issues in the Withdrawal of Medical Treatment
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Professor Loane Skene

Morning Coffee

The Impact of Informed Consent on Medical Liability
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Dr Takis Vidalis

The Challenge of Caring for the Severely Injured
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Dr Andrew Pesce

Genetic Discrimination – Cause and Effect
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Professor Ingrid Winship

Lunch – Individual Choice

My Friend the Witchdoctor
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Professor Christa Rautenbach

Panel Discussion – The Day in Review
Venue - Delos Meeting Room "A", Mykonos Grand
Leader - Professor Spyros Marketos

Forum – Developing Equal Opportunity
in a Just Society
Venue - Delos Meeting Room "C", Mykonos Grand
Leaders – Judge Felicity Hampel & Anne Bardoel

The Program is correct as at publication. If any late changes or further amendments to the program occur, details will be published in the final Symposium Program provided to registrants and on the Symposium's website.

Friday, 30 September 2005

The Just Rights

Day 5 Theme

Professor The Hon George Hampel, QC

The Warsaw Convention – International Airlines v Individual Rights
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Sophia Paras

Privacy and Law in Technology
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Jennifer Farrell

The Role of Environmental Justice
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Deirdre Exell Pirro

Morning Coffee

Between Privacy and Information
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Dr Basil Voutsakis

International Criminal Justice
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Chrissa Loukas

The Restructure of Legal Liabilities
– A Clash of Professions
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
George Triantopoulos

Lunch – Individual Choice

Barriers to Justice: The Escalating Obstacles in the Ethical Fight against the State, the Insurers and other Demons
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Thomas Percy, QC

Review Debate and Closing Session
Venue - Delos Conference Room, Mykonos Grand
Professor The Hon George Hampel QC, including Dr Gael Jennings, Professor Peter Doherty, Rolf Driver, FM and Professor Loane Skene

Symposium Banquet

Venue – Dolphins of Delos Restaurant, Mykonos Grand; see page 17 of the Conference Brochure.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Professor Peter Doherty, AC
Professor Peter Doherty shared the 1996 Nobel Prize for Medicine for "the nature of the cellular immune defence". His work as a research fellow at the John Curtin School of Medical Research and then

at the Wistar Institute in Philadelphia led to the joint award of the Nobel Prize. Professor Doherty, Australian of the Year in 1997, since 1998 has been with St Jude's Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee and the Department of Microbiology and Immunology at the University of Melbourne. Having spoken on Science, Ethics and Society at The Greek Conference 2004, Professor Doherty will deliver Symposium 2005's keynote address, including considering the scope and implications of humanitarian recognition as a cornerstone of a just society.



Justice Robert Nicholson, AO
Robert Nicholson, AO has been a Judge of the Federal Court of Australia since 1995, accepting appointment to the Federal Court from the Supreme Court of Western Australia, where he had sat as a Judge between

1988 and 1995. Prior to that, he had spent three years as the Deputy President of the Administrative Appeals Tribunal. A past recipient of an Australian Fulbright award, Justice Nicholson has completed two terms as the Chancellor of the Edith Cowan University in Perth and has served as President of the West Australian division of the International Commission of Jurists and with the Australian Institute of Judicial Administration. Justice Nicholson will address Symposium 2005 on the contentious issue of "Litigants without representation: A dilemma for a just society".



Professor George Th. Pavlidis
Professor George Th. Pavlidis, Professor in Learning Disabilities at the University of Macedonia was also a visiting Professor at the Medical Faculty at the Aristotelion University in

Thessaloniki. He is a world acknowledged expert on learning disabilities and the impact and effect of dyslexia. He held a teaching position at the Penn State University, has undertaken research at Manchester University and at the George Washington University and has published five books. Professor Pavlidis has participated in international Conferences and since 1983 has chaired the World Congress on Dyslexia. Professor Pavlidis has been instrumental in development of contemporary testing known as the "Pavlidis Test" for the biological diagnosis of dyslexia.



Prof. Andrew Alston



Dr Anne Bardoel

Professor Andrew Alston

Andrew Alston is a professor in the Law School at Flinders University in South Australia, concentrating on Law and Medicine. He has taught in New Zealand universities and contributed to legal publications. At Symposium 2005, Andrew Alston will consider competing duties and exceptions facing lawyers and doctors, the duties of confidentiality and how these trends may develop in coming years.

Dr Anne Bardoel

Dr Anne Bardoel from the Department of Management and Economics at Monash University is researching organization strategies for work and family balance and has participated in international research work addressing work/family issues and will talk on concepts of bias avoidance in considering the "ideal" worker.

Gillian Bouras

Gillian Bouras is a teacher and writer, born in Melbourne, but who has lived near Kalamata in the Peloponnese since 1980. She has written six books, which have been published in five counties, including *A Foreign Wife* and *Aphrodite and Others* and will have her seventh book published in mid-2005. At Symposium 2005, Gillian Bouras will address cross-cultural issues as part of our cultural program.

Irini Cassimatis

Famed soprano Irini Cassimatis, who trained in Athens under tenor Antonio Kalaitzakis, and later studied with Rita Streich, will add immense depth to the cultural program. She has performed alongside Dame Joan Sutherland, sung in *Don Quixote* and portrayed Maria Callas under the direction of Alan Hopgood. Irini Cassimatis has also sung in *Medea* and in Mikis Theodorakis' adaptation of *Epitaphios* by Yannis Ritsos.

Rolf Driver

After more than two decades as a lawyer with the Australian Government, Rolf Driver was appointed to the Federal Magistrates' Court in July 2000. He has considerable experience in privacy and confidentiality issues and practical experience on issues of disclosure, the right to know and its consequences. Rolf Driver will present a case study before the Court includes a cautionary tale of the limits of medical knowledge and the arguable uses of medical opinion.



Rolf Driver FM



Elizabeth Exintaris

Elizabeth Exintaris

A leading musician, composer and performer, Elizabeth Exintaris has been the Director of Music for the Antipodes Song Festival, has performed at the Glendi Festival and has presented her own compositions in concert over two decades. As a musicologist and performer, Elizabeth Exintaris will provide significant depth to the cultural program.

Jennifer Farrell

Jennifer Farrell completed a Master of Laws in Media Communications and Information Technology and studied at the Berkman Centre for Internet & Society at Harvard Law School. Specializing on the electronic era and legal implications of telecommunications and the internet, Jennifer Farrell will consider education rather than legislation as the answer to privacy-destroying technologies.

Judge Felicity Hampel

Recently appointed to the County Court of Victoria, Felicity Hampel has previously been a Board member of the Australian Advocacy Institute, a member of the steering committee of the International Institute of Forensic Studies and an adjunct professor in law at Monash University as well as having served as president of the Victorian Council of Civil Liberties.

Professor Panos Ioannou

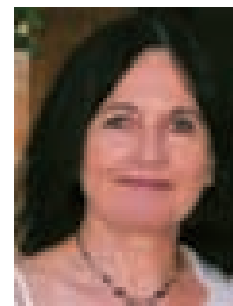
Professor Panos Ioannou leads the Cell & Gene Therapy Unit at the Murdoch Children's Research Institute. He is an Associate Professor in the Department of Paediatrics at the University of Melbourne and a Senior Scientist with the Cyprus Institute of Neurology & Genetics. A fellow with the WHO and UNESCO, he is now directing research thalassaemia. Panos Ioannou and Jim Vadolas have prepared a joint presentation addressing the transformation of human consciousness by genome knowledge.

Dean Letcher, QC

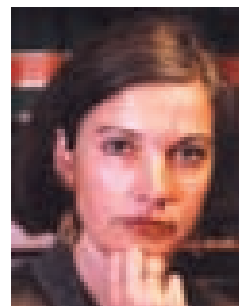
Dean Letcher is one of the leading counsel in New South Wales. As an advocate, Dean Letcher's principal areas of practice are in insurance, injury and negligence, with an additional interest in alternative dispute resolution. Under the heading, "Legal Enforcement of Corporate and Professional Morality", Dean Letcher will consider that a society may not be able to legislate morality, but that any just society will seek to make laws encouraging equity and discouraging inequity.

Chrissa Loukas

Lawyer Chrissa Loukas is presently engaged as an assigned defence Co-Counsel at the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia. She has worked as both a Public Defender and as a Crown Prosecutor and at Symposium 2005 will speak on issues concerning the application of international criminal justice and the work of the Tribunal at the Hague.



Jennifer Farrell



Judge Felicity Hampel

Professor Spyros Marketos

Professor Emeritus Spyros Marketos is the Chairman of the Department of History and Philosophy of Medicine at the University of Athens and was for many years the President of the International Hippocratic Foundation of Kos and holds



Prof. Panos Ioannou



Prof. Spyros Marketos

the European Gold Medal of Merit (Luxembourg); the International Prize for a Creative Future (Moscow) for his "fundamental ideas and development of science ethics"; the Copernicus Medal of the Crakow University; and, the Albert Schweitzer Golden Star from Warsaw (Poland).

Professor Christa Rautenbach

Christa Rautenbach is a Professor of Law at the Potchefstroomse University of South Africa, specializing in ethical and cultural aspects of jurisprudence of the now multi-cultural South Africa. Professor Rautenbach's presentation at Symposium 2005 will concentrate on the development of the legal framework in South Africa for traditional medical treatment by 'witch-doctors' in townships and villages.



Prof Christa Rautenbach



Prof George Papadimitriou

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Professor George Papadimitriou is a Professor in Constitutional Law at the University of Athens. He advised Kosta Simitis, the former Prime Minister of Greece, from 1996 to 2004, including during Mr Simitis' term as President of the European Union. He has worked on common issues of Public Law and Democratic Institutions in the South East European Region, the Convention on the EU Charter of Human Rights and contributed to Greek law, including the Revision of the Greek Constitution and legislation addressing gender equality and data protection.

Sophia Paras

Sophia Paras, holds a Master's Degree in Law from the University of Bologna, Italy. She is the President of the Inner West Law Society in Sydney and has an interest in aspects of transport law. At Symposium 2005, she will deliver a paper considering whether or not it is just to retain the regulation and limitation of aviation passenger's rights through a series of international conventions.

Thomas Percy, QC



Thomas Percy QC

A leading QC in Perth, Thomas Percy has concentrated as defence counsel in criminal trials for more than two decades and was appointed a QC in 1997.

Thomas Percy will consider perceived changes in legislative approaches and

whether there is a tide of legislative reform for the benefit of the perceived victim to the detriment of the accused, with a paper entitled "Barriers to Justice: The Escalating Obstacles in the Fight against the State, the Insurers and other Demons".

Dr Andrew Pesce

Dr Andrew Pesce, a specialist at Westmead in Sydney, has been significantly involved in advocating medical issues, including being a Federal Councilor of the Australian Medical Association; the Chair of that Association's Professional Indemnity taskforce and a member of the 2003 Expert Panel undertaking a review of medical indemnity issues. Dr Pesce will consider the challenge of caring for the severely injured as a component of a just society.

Deirdre Exell Pirro



Deirdre Exell Pirro

Deirdre Pirro, after studies as a Research Fellow at the European University in "Global Access to Justice", in 1988 joined the United Nations accredited International Court of the Environment Foundation, estab-

lished under the auspices of the Supreme Court of Italy. A founding member and judge for the International Court of Environmental Arbitration and Conciliation, centered in Mexico and Spain, Deirdre Pirro will consider environmental justice and the right to a healthy environment in the developing world.

Dr Gail Robinson

Dr Gail Robinson from the Waitemata District Health Board in New Zealand is a psychiatrist and clinical leader. In 2004 she participated in a project paper on treating alcohol and drug abuse, as part of New Zealand's Mental Health Research and Development Strategy. With a prime interest in acute adult mental health, Gail Robinson's presentation will concentrate on issues around the capacity of the mentally ill to give consent and the options for society to give protection.



Dr Gail Robinson



Prof. Loane Skene

Professor Loane Skene

Loane Skene holds appointments in the Law and Medical faculties at the University of Melbourne and has chaired the Australian Institute of Health, Law and Ethics. Loane Skene has served as Deputy Director of the Centre of Law and Genetics (operating in Tasmania and Victoria) and as the Program Director (Medical Ethics) at the Centre for Applied Philosophy and Public Ethics. Professor Skene will consider at Symposium 2005 the difficult issues surrounding the withdrawal or termination of medical treatment.

Delos, the centre of the Delian League, its place in history and the Persian wars, will form part of our cultural program, with a presentation by leading Greek archaeologist Dr J. Hadjidakis, an expert on the ancient history of Delos, and the Delian League.

Dr Bill Stone



Dr Bill Stone

Dr Bill Stone is a rehabilitation and occupational physician, principally involved with industrial injury management and rehabilitation programs. He is the Director of Rehabilitation Medicine in Victoria's Gippsland

region and will address Symposium 2005 on the conflicting demands between rights and entitlements of injured people to return to employment and confidentiality regulatory trends.

Dr Andreas Takis

Lawyer, Dr Andreas Takis is Greece's Deputy Ombudsman on Human Rights. A participant in the work of the Altus global alliance, formed to address social problems and delivery of justice, Andreas Takis' involvement has focused in the legal protection of human rights and the protection of the rights of minority groups.

George Triantopoulos



George Triantopoulos

George Triantopoulos, a lawyer concentrating in insurance and liability will address recent changes in liability and negligence rights and obligations. He will consider how these changes will alter or affect

the traditional rights to justice and the way in which the principally involved professions (law and medicine) reacted to these changes.

Dr Jim Vadolas

Jim Vadolas is the R D Wright Research Fellow at the Murdoch Children's Research Institute, with overall responsibility for the Institute's thalassaemia research project. In conjunction with Panos Ioannou, Jim Vadolas has prepared a joint presentation for Symposium 2005 addressing the transformation of human consciousness by genome knowledge.



Dr Takis Vidalis



Prof Ingrid Winship

Dr Takis Vidalis

Dr Takis Vidalis received a doctorate in constitutional law at the University of Athens, after research in France (Sorbonne), England (Cambridge University) and America (Columbia University). A researcher at the Hellenic National Bioethics Commission, Takis Vidalis is the Chairman of the Greek-based organizing committee for Symposium 2005. He will speak on the impact of informed consent on medical liability.

Basil Voutsakis

Basil (Vassilis) Voutsakis, a lecturer in the Philosophy of Law at the University of Athens, studied jurisprudence and philosophy in France at the Sorbonne and completed a doctorate at the University of Montpellier. He was the Director of the Prime Minister's Cultural Office during Kosta Simitis' term as Prime Minister from 1996 to 2004 and was a Visiting Fellow in

Hellenic Studies at Princeton University. At Symposium 2005 he will consider issues relating to privacy and information from legal and medical perspectives.

Professor Ingrid Winship

Previously at the University of Cape Town, South Africa, Ingrid Winship was Associate Professor of Genetics at the University of Auckland, New Zealand, before accepting an appointment as leading Geneticist at the Royal Children's Hospital. A contributor at The Greek Conference 2004 in Crete, at Symposium 2005 Professor Winship will present a paper based on issues of genetic discrimination.

Anastasia Zanni

A lawyer from the University of Athens, Anastasia Zanni is completing a doctorate at the University of London on issues of human rights and biotechnology, having previously studied at the University of Indianapolis. Anastasia Zanni has presented papers at Conferences in Lisbon, Cyprus and Hamburg and will shortly publish "Criminology and Sociology; Perspectives About Internet Crime". Anastasia Zanni will address Symposium 2005 on issues of the role of law in the field of biomedicine.

CPD/MCE

Symposium 2005 may qualify towards meeting your continuing professional development (CPD) and or mandatory continuing education (MCE) requirements.

Self-assessing lawyers (including solicitors in Victoria and New South Wales) may claim 1 CPD scheme point per hour attended (including, if attended, sessions relating to compulsory equal opportunity and ethics components). Symposium 2005 is also seeking accreditation from various Bar Associations and Medical Colleges. Full details of accreditations will be available via the Symposium Secretariat and all Delegates will be issued with an Attendance Certificate. However, as requirements vary between professional associations, participants should also make their own enquiries.

HELP US TO HELP... We are a not-for profit organization and are endorsed as a tax exempt charity. Our aim is to donate any operating surplus to charity. With SYMPOSIUM 2005 we will be supporting the Murdoch Children's Research Institute at the Royal Children's Hospital and the research work into thalassaemia being undertaken by its Cell & Gene Therapy Unit.



Murdoch Childrens
Research Institute

MYKONOS - Background and Myth

The name "Mykonos" conjures up ideas of culture, sophistication and nightlife. But what was its origin?

Now, the best known of the Cycladic islands, the origin of the name is lost in the mists of time. Was he a local hero? Or the son of King Delos Anios? Or the son of Apollo?

What is known is that the first inhabitants were the Karians and the Phoenicians, who were expelled by Ionians from Athens, led by Hippokles during the second millennium BCE.

Traditions of Homer's Iliad link the Trojan hero Ajax of Lokris with Mykonos, where Ajax was said to have been buried on the north coast of Mykonos, after drowning in the channel between Mykonos and Tinos.

During the Persian Wars, Mykonos was obviously a member of the Delian League and

remained closely aligned with the fate of Delos, until its destruction about 69BCE.

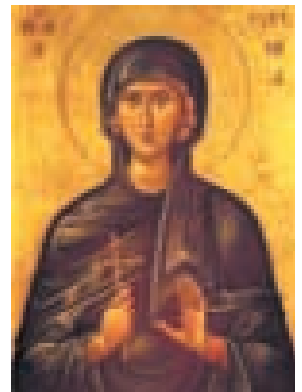
Mykonos faded in importance during Roman times, was ceded after the Crusades to the Venetians in 1204AD and, after a brief skirmish with Spanish Catalans, held by the Venetians until overrun by Ottoman Turks in 1537AD, who destroyed the towns and, apart from a few who escaped to Tinos, forced the inhabitants into slavery.

The Ottoman occupation was intermittent, with Mykonos coming again under Venetian rule and for a while being a Russian protectorate, until becoming part of Greece following the 1821 War of Independence.

MYKONOS - Island of Churches

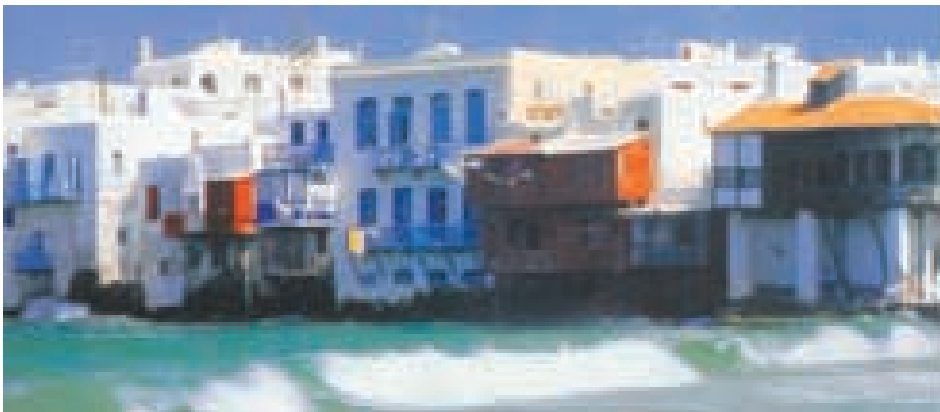
Mykonos has more than 250 churches, with the Church of Panagia Paraportiani in the Chora probably being the most famous and most photographed Church in Mykonos.

Commenced in the fifteenth century, it was built at the gate or port of a medieval castle overlooking the Chora. Whilst the castle has long been destroyed, the asymmetrical white-washed Church, comprising four chapels (Agios Sozontas, Agioi Anargyroi, Agia Anastasia and Agios Efstathios) around the main Church, remains.



Other important Churches in the Chora include the Metropolis Church of Megali Panagia and the Church of Anagia Panachra and the beautiful Agia Kyriaki, to be found opposite the famous Pierrro's Bar in the Chora.

At Ano Mera, some eight or so kilometres from the Chora is the Monastery of Panagia Tourliani, founded in 1584 and restored in 1757, with its main Church containing all the typical trappings and icons of the Byzantine era as well as a magnificent Florentine wood-carved temple. Nearby to the Monastery is the Convent of Panagia, founded during the Ottoman occupation in the early seventeenth century, which is famed for its fine and beautiful icons (dating from around 1740) by the Cretan iconographer, Ioannis Skordilis.



Travel

TRIDENT TRAVEL



Travel Services

We are pleased to confirm the appointment of Trident Travel as the official travel agent for Symposium 2005.

Trident Travel has been established for over 32 years and has organized many international corporate, academic, sporting and leisure-based group arrangements.

Their experienced staff are friendly and, more importantly, have worked with us and understand not only Symposium 2005 but also our participants' requirements. Trident Travel was the appointed travel agent for

our Crete conference in May 2004.

Trident Travel bring with them their strong connection to American Express Travel Services.

Singapore Airlines has been appointed International carrier for the Symposium. Within Greece air travel will be by Aegean or Olympic Airlines.

Block bookings at advantageous rates have been made by Trident Travel for travel to and from the Symposium.

For participants interested in the Post-Symposium Tour to Southern Italy (with its optional extension to Malta), please note that Trident Travel has negotiated a fare from Athens to Rome for those passengers travelling on the Singapore Airlines group fare.

It is recommended that Delegates promptly contact Trident Travel for reservations. As each passenger will have individual needs, which will ultimately affect the cost of air travel, please do not delay.

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SINGAPORE AIRLINES

As there is often strong demand for tourism to Greece, and particularly to Mykonos, we recommend that you book early, so as to avoid unsatisfactory compromise arrangements.

All travel and accommodation bookings should be made on the Symposium's Registration Form, contained in the Brochure or available on-line.

Trident Travel has arranged group fares from Australia with Singapore Airlines, departing on fixed group departure dates in September 2005 and returning in October 2005 (including Pre-Symposium Tour dates and Post-Symposium Tour dates, with special arrangements for participants travelling via Rome), with reservations available in both Business Class and Economy Class. Business Class fares commence from A\$6,530.00; Economy Class fares commence from A\$2,050.00. Quoted fares are, however, exclusive of any applicable taxes. For further details of these group arrangements, please contact Trident Travel.

Sunday 25 September 2005

Delos Island and Rhenia Island

Departs: 12.00 Returns 17.00 (approx).
 Cost: Adult \$125.00
 Child \$60.00



Our specially chartered boat will collect participants from the dock at St John for the short trip to the sacred island of Delos, the treasury and store of the Delian League during the Persian Wars and, before that, the legendary birthplace of the twins, Apollo and Artemis. Delos was a major trading centre from the formation of the League with Athens and its allies around 478BCE until the island was ravaged by pirates about 69BCE. Our participants will have a privately guided tour of the island's famed archaeological sites, including its theatre, stadium and the Sanctuary of Apollo and will have time to explore Delos and its museum. The boat will sail to nearby Rhenia Island, with an opportunity to explore the small island, before returning to St John.

A second trip to Delos will be arranged later in the Symposium, subject to there being sufficient demand. If interested, please contact the Symposium Secretariat.

**Sunday 25 September 2005**

Welcome Reception

Commencing: 18.30 to 20.00
 Cost: Delegates/Accompanying Persons; included in Registration.
 Guests/Children; subject to availability

Enjoy the famed Mykonos sunset and meet fellow delegates and their friends at the amphitheatre of the Mykonos Grand, over looking the famed Delos Island. In the unlikely event that weather conditions are adverse, an alternative venue will be announced.

Monday 26 September 2005

The Chora – Dine Around

Departs: 18.00
 Cost: Delegates/Accompanying Persons; included in Registration.
 Guests/Children; subject to availability

Participants will be transferred from the Mykonos Grand for a reception in the old town (or Chora) of Mykonos, to be hosted by the Mayor of Mykonos, anticipated to include traditional Greek music and entertainment. After the reception, participants will be able to dine (at their own expense) at one of the many restaurants or taverna in the Chora. Return transfers to the Mykonos Grand will be available between 22.30 and 23.30, but participants who choose to remain longer in the Chora must arrange for their own return.



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Tuesday 27 September 2005

Mykonos – All Over Winery & Culture

Departs: 14.00; Returns 18.00 (approx).
 Cost: Adult \$80.00
 Child \$60.00



There is more to Mykonos than just the Chora. Participants will be able to view some of the amazing scenery and learn of the heritage of this famed island, passing from the Grand Hotel through Ano Mera to the other parts of the island, with an expert guide able to explain its history and beauty, with the odd ouzo, kafenion and a highlight visit to one of the most unusual wineries in Greece and see the picturesque diversity of the island. For participants joining the panagiri (see below), this tour will terminate at Ano Mera.

Tuesday 27 September 2005

Panigiri in Ano Mera

Departs: 18.00; Returns 22.30 (approx).
 Cost: Adult \$80.00
 Child \$35.00

Participants will be transferred to the inland village of Ano Mera, famous for its Monastery for an evening of the delights of typical Greekness. Participants will be able to enjoy the atmosphere of a town square largely untouched by tourism and be able to dine at one of the taverna in the town square facing the monastery. An evening of wine, food, music and dancing follows amongst the locals including welcome drinks, dinner and entertainment.

Please note that where indicated tours or events are subject to minimum numbers and acceptable weather conditions. Alternative schedules may be organized by Symposium 2005, if so advised, in light of numbers and/or prevailing sea or weather conditions. If walking is likely to be involved, participants are advised to wear comfortable shoes and to have a hat and/or sunscreen for outdoor activities. Additional tickets/places for friends and guests are in all cases subject to availability. Please note the Dress Code for admissions to churches and monasteries detailed in the General Information section.

Wednesday 28 September 2005

Syros Island – Capital of the Cyclades

Departs: 8.00; Returns 18.30 (approx).
 Cost: Adult \$150.00
 Child \$120.00

Participants will join our specially chartered launch for a day cruise to Syros, the capital of the Cyclades, arriving mid-morning at the main town of Ermoupolis. Participants will be transferred through to the magnificent old Miaouli Square, in front of the Town Hall, and then on to the venue for the morning's presentations. These presentations will conclude at about 13.00. A city walking tour will be available for participants not attending the presentations. After the presentations, participants will be able to explore Ermoupolis and its wide range of wonderful restaurants (at their own expense), before the launch departs on the return trip to Mykonos. Refreshments will be available on board the launch (at own expense) and on our return to Mykonos, participants will be returned to the Mykonos Grand. Participation in the city walking tour is subject to pre-booking with the Secretariat and a surcharge of \$25.00.



Thursday 29 September 2005

Mykonos - An Evening in the Chora

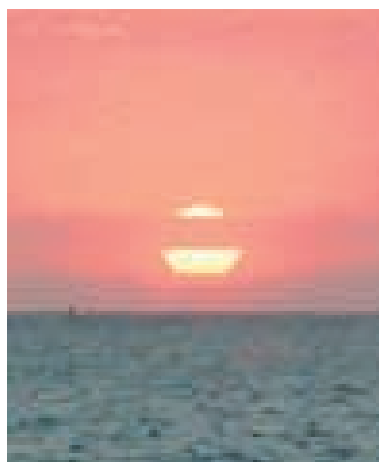
Departs: 18.00; Returns 22.30 (approx).
 Cost: Delegates/Accompanying Persons;
 included in Registration.

For participants looking for their own dining or adventure in the Chora, we will arrange a transfer, but anyone who misses the return transfer will have to make their own return arrangements.

Friday 30 September 2005

Symposium Dinner

Commences: 19.00 to 23.00
 Cost: Delegates/Accompanying Persons;
 included in Registration.
 Guests; subject to availability
 Children; not applicable.
 Dress: Lounge suit/Jacket; Collar & Tie.



The Symposium Dinner will take place at the Mykonos Grand. Following drinks around the pool-deck (weather permitting) around sunset, the evening will feature local music, dancing and a stunning banquet of Mykonian cuisine.

Saturday 1 October 2005

Tinos Island

Comments: 08.00; Returns 21.30 (approx).
 Cost: Adult \$185.00
 Child \$165.00



Travel on a privately chartered boat to the nearby and historic island of Tinos. On arrival, after morning-coffee, participants will visit the famed Church of the Virgin – Panagia Evangelistria, the destination of many Orthodox pilgrims. Participants will then travel to the Monastery of Agia Pelagia, another frequent destination of pilgrims, in recognition of miracles performed there and will, after morning coffee, be escorted by a highly qualified private guide through many of the sights of Tinos. Participants will visit Pirgos (for an ouzo stop) before lunching (at their own expense) at the picturesque fishing village of Ormos Panormos. Participants will return from Tinos to Mykonos in the late afternoon. Please note that this tour is subject to minimum numbers and also to weather conditions.

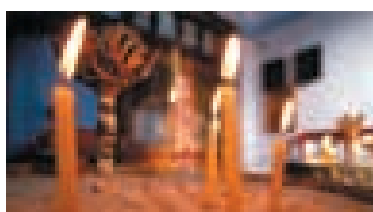
If minimum numbers are not achieved, this tour may still proceed, but with transit to and from Tinos by ferry rather than by private boat. If this occurs an adjustment credit will be made to participants. The Symposium Secretariat will keep participants informed about this tour.

Thursday 29 September 2005

Mykonos - All Over the Chora with Wine Tasting

Departs: 14.00; Returns 18.00 (approx)
 Cost: Adults \$95.00
 Child \$60.00

Visit the parts of the Chora (transfer and admissions included) rarely seen by tourists and then gain through our trained guide an insight into the culture of the Chora, exploring the Agricultural, Maritime and Folkloric museums as well as the quaint Lena's House, before finishing the exploration of the Chora with tastings of typical Mykonian wines. Participants can remain in the Chora (at their own option) to meet up with delegates transferring for the Evening in the Chora.



We gratefully acknowledge the support we have received from The Hellenic Ministry of Culture



CLASSICAL GREECE

From 19 September 2005 to 24 September 2005

Participants will meet in Athens in the morning of 19 September 2005 for a trek through some of the most historic and important parts of the Peloponnese and mainland Greece and gain an understanding of the rich ancient history of Greece and also the deep involvement of its cultural development and Byzantine history.



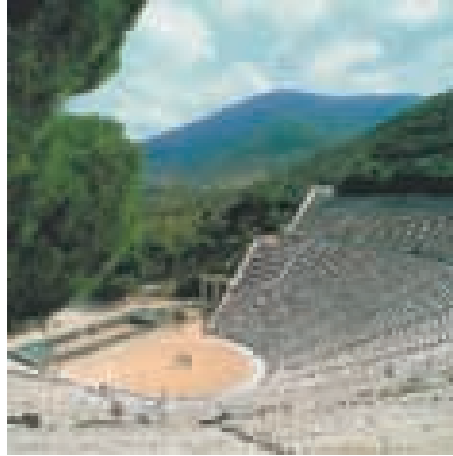
Leaving from Athens for six days/five nights, participants will see the ancient city of Corinth and cross the Corinthian Canal en route to the major city of Nauplia, en route visiting the famed excavations at Mycenae, with the Lion's Gate and the Beehive Tomb.

After exploring the archaeological site at Epidavros and its world renowned theatre, participants will be spend an evening in Nauplia, setting off the next morning through Tripolis, Sparta, Mystra and Kalamata to Olympia, the venue of the ancient games.

After spending the night in Olympia, participants will be able explore the venues of the ancient Olympics, said to have started in 776BCE, from the world famous archway and into the stadium, with the Temples of Hera and Zeus and later to the stunning museum.

After leaving Olympia, participants will travel north, crossing back onto the mainland at Patras, where a stunning new bridge has only recently been opened, joining the Peloponnese with the mainland.

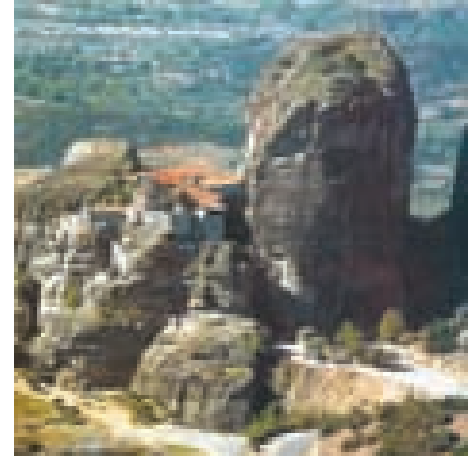
From Patras the tour travels to Delphi, the traditional site of the Oracle of Delphi, with the Sanctuaries of Apollo and Athena, the Castalian Springs, spending a memorable night in Delphi, and visiting the museum the next morning.



After staying at Kalambaca, the deep religious heritage of Greece will be highlighted by a visit to the remarkable mountain-top monasteries at Meteora. Still operational, these monasteries perching on rocky outcrops are an amazing tribute to Byzantine times and quite unforgettable.

Following this amazing experience, participants will be taken via Dion-Litohoron, one of the most remarkable Grecian archaeological sites, for the evening in Thessaloniki.

The next morning, the group will be taken back in time to Vergina, the site of the exca-



vations of the Royal Tombs of around the third century BCE, thought to be those of Phillip II of Macedonia.

The tour will conclude in Thessaloniki on 24 September 2005 where arrangements will provide for participants' transfer to Mykonos for the commencement of Symposium 2005.



Price: A\$1,975.00 per person. Single supplement A\$2,350.00. Price includes accommodation (on a HB basis with dinners at hotels) at 4 Star Superior Hotels, transportation and tours, admission fees, English speaking guide, transfers, local taxes and portorage, but excludes lunch and dinner unless specifically noted. Price excludes transit from Thessaloniki to Mykonos. Trident Travel have special arrangements for Group Booking on Singapore Airlines for participants in this Pre-Symposium tour and intending participants are advised to contact Trident Travel (see page 15).

These details comprise only a brief synopsis of the proposed Ancient and Classical Greece tour prior to Symposium 2005. For further details, please contact the Symposium Secretariat. For participants arriving in Athens prior to 19 September 2005, optional day tours of Athens or nearby islands are available through Trident Travel

NORTHERN ITALY

From 19 September 2005 to 24 September 2005

Join us in Rome on the morning of 19 September 2005 (the Eternal City, entangled in ancient Greece and inter-twined through Greco-Roman history) and travel for six days/five nights through Florence and Tuscany to Venice, the City-State of such influence in the Cyclades and Crete for so many centuries.

From Rome our specially structured and personalized tour will take participants, first to Assisi, renowned City of St Francis, with its highlight Basilica dedicated to St Francis and the Temple of Minerva (or, to the Greeks, Athena). After this experience of Sienna, participants will travel to Sienna, visiting the famed Palio and spending the evening in Sienna.

The next morning, participants will travel through the beautiful Tuscan countryside en route for Florence, the centre of renaissance culture. Participants will have a personally



guided tour, taking in the Duomo, Giotto's Gates, the Uffizi Gallery and a host of famed Churches, Galleries and other inspirational sights, including Ponte Vecchio, the Church



of San Croce and Michaelangelo's famed David at the Akademia.

After an evening in Florence, participants will have the next day free to continue their own exploration of this famed city of the Medicis, then spending a second night in Florence. This will give participants time to visit museums, galleries and churches of world renown.



From Florence, delegates will travel to Bologna for a half-day tour of this historic Tuscan centre, spending the afternoon at leisure in Bologna, before proceeding to Venice, spending the night there.

Venice is a city steeped with connections to Mykonos, for as a City-State, the Venetians held Mykonos on occasions between the thirteenth and eighteenth centuries.

A guided tour will take participants through

the alleyways, bridges and canals of Venice the next morning, to the Doge's Palace, the Cathedral of St Mark's opening onto St Mark's Square, with a whole world of history and excitement. Participants will see the famed Rialto Bridge, the Bridge of Sighs, the sweeping expanse of the Grand Canal, hectic with gondolas and other boats.

Participants will have the rest of the afternoon to explore Venice and its galleries, museums and churches, as well as its surprising shops, before spending another evening

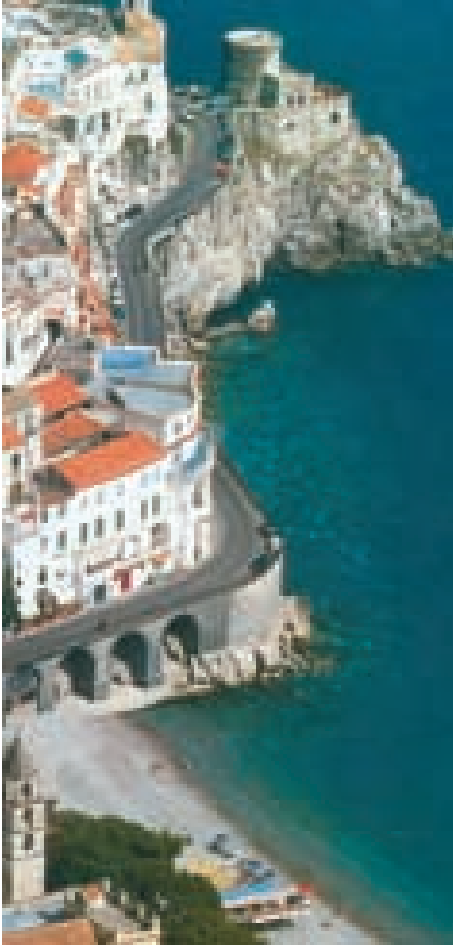


in this amazing city. Further time will be available for participant's own exploration of Venice before the tour concludes in Venice on 24 September 2005, where arrangements will be in place for your flight to Mykonos for the commencement of Symposium 2005.

Price: A\$3,250.00 per person. Single supplement A\$3,750.00. Price includes accommodation (on a B&B basis) at 4 Star Superior Hotels, transportation and tours, admission fees, English speaking guide, transfers, local taxes and portage, but excludes lunch and dinner unless specifically noted. Price excludes flight from Venice to Mykonos. However, Trident Travel have special arrangements for Group Booking on Singapore Airlines for participants in this Pre-Symposium tour and intending participants are advised to contact Trident Travel (see page 15).



These details comprise only a brief synopsis of the proposed Northern Italy tour prior to Symposium 2005. For further details, please contact the Symposium Secretariat. Prices exclude Venice-Athens-Mykonos flight. However, Topline Travel has booked space available and for further information contact Trident Travel.



SOUTHERN ITALY

From 1 October 2005 to 7 October 2005

WITH A FASCINATING OPTION TO EXTEND TO VISIT MALTA

From 7 October 2005 to 12 October 2005

After the conclusion of Symposium 2005, we will co-ordinate transit for Participants via Athens to Rome for the start of a fascinating excursion specially prepared for delegates to Symposium 2005. This personally guided experience starting in Rome has been put together just for our participants and is not commercially available.

Meeting in Rome, we travel south down Italy's picturesque western coast to Naples (the site of a remote Greek settlement in the Eighth Century BCE) experience the delights of the city, including the National Archaeological Museum of Naples, holding one of the world's most impressive collections of Greek and Roman antiquities and then the breathtaking excavations of the ruins of Pompeii, devastated by the eruption of Mount Vesuvius in 79AD, before the magnificence of an evening in Sorrento.

The next morning participants will take the hydrofoil to the famed Isle of Capri, for a private tour of the two towns on the island, Capri and Anacapri, visiting the Villa San Michele-Axel Munthe in Anacapri. After another evening in Sorrento, the tour will delight in an excursion through the breathtaking coast from Positano, along the Amalfi Coast to Ravello. Returning to Naples, the group will then catch the Tirrenia Ferry to Palermo in Sicily, over-nighting in reserved first class cabins on the ferry.

After arrival in Palermo (a town held by the Phoenicians and then Greek colonists for many years until the expansion of the Roman Empire around 253BCE) the next morning, participants will be taken through the historic Sicilian towns of Palermo and Monreale, famed for their varied and ancient areas and architecture including Palermo's Kalso, the site of a Saracen citadel more than 1000 years ago, the ancient catacombs, the Baroque area of the Quattro Canti and the stunning Palazzo dei Normanni before visiting the impressive Monastery and Twelfth century Byzantine influenced Cathedral at nearby Monreale.

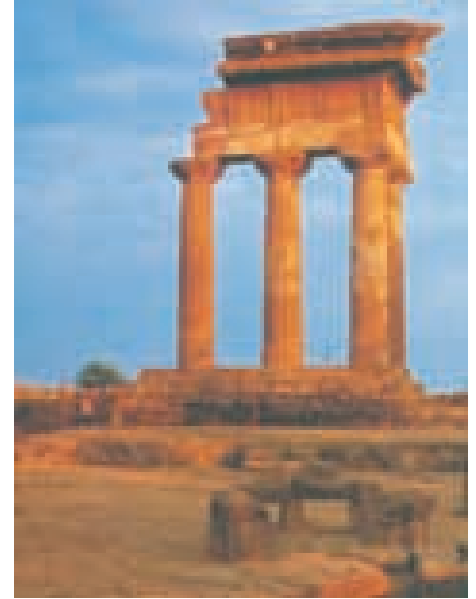
As the ancient Greeks had so much influence through their settlements in Sicily, no visit to Sicily is complete without exploring Agrigento and Siracusa. We have organized for a private guide to take participants through the Valley of Temples in Agrigento and, the next morning, the excavations at Siracusa, the remnants of the settlement founded by the Corinthians about 734BCE.

The tour will conclude at Siracusa, with participants completing the main tour then being escorted to the airport at Catania for their return flight to Rome. Participants taking the optional extension to Malta will then be transferred to Valetta. Traditionally, Malta is the site of Calypso's Cave, into which Calypso enticed Odysseus during his return to Ithica after the Trojan War.

Arriving in Valetta, the capital of the small state of Malta, participants will be able to relax that evening looking out over the impressive Grand Harbour, before setting out the next morning to see the sights of the main island of Malta and its adjacent island, Gozo.

We will arrange for our appointed guides to take the group through the old city of Valetta, the magnificent fortified city built in the sixteenth century by the Knights of Malta, with its highlights of St John's Cathedral and the Grand Master's Palace.

At Rabat, participants will visit St Paul's Grotto, the subject of many legends about the tradition that St Paul visited Malta about 60AD.



Other highlights of Malta will include visiting the old city of Medina, the Inquisitor's Palace, the Megalithic Temples of Hagar Qim and Mnajara and the famed Blue Grotto. Our guided day-trip to Gozo will include Il-Kastell, the Citadel of Gozo.

After relaxing at your leisure in Valetta, the Malta excursion will conclude by participants being transferred to Valetta airport for their departure (longer stays in Malta being available by individual arrangement).

Southern Italy - Price: A\$2,995.00 per person. Single supplement A\$3,495.00. Price includes accommodation (on a B&B basis) at 4 Star Superior Hotels, first-class ferry cabin from Naples to Palermo, transportation and tours, admission fees, English speaking guides, transfers, local taxes and portage, but excludes lunch and dinner unless specifically noted. Price excludes flight between Mykonos and Rome. However, Trident Travel have special arrangements for Group Booking on Singapore Airlines for participants in the Post-Symposium tour and intending participants are advised to contact Trident Travel (see page 15).

Malta Extension - Price: A\$1,750.00 per person. Single supplement A\$1,990.00. Price includes accommodation (on a B&B basis) at 5 Star Hotel in Valetta, transportation and tours, admission fees, English speaking guides, transfers, local taxes and portage, but excludes lunch and dinner unless specifically noted and also excludes transit from Sicily to Valetta. Please note that the Malta Extension is subject to minimum numbers.

These details comprise only a brief synopsis of the proposed Southern Italy tour and the Malta Extension following on from Symposium 2005. For further details, please contact the Symposium Secretariat. Prices exclude return flights to Rome. However, Topline Travel has booked space available and for further information contact Trident Travel.

TIME DIFFERENCE

In September in Greece, when it is 12 noon on Mykonos it is 5.00am in New York; 10.00am in London; 5.00pm in Singapore and in Perth; 7.00pm in Eastern Australia; and 9.00pm in New Zealand, subject to local adjustments for summer time.

WEATHER

The weather in Mykonos in late September can be occasionally very hot, but is frequently at a pleasant average of 16°-25°C, and may have windy spells. As on occasions greater variations occur, provision for both cooler and much warmer temperatures is recommended.

CPD/MCLE

Attendance at Symposium 2005 qualifies under a number of continuing professional development and mandatory continuing education programs. Full details of credits available for attending Symposium 2005 can be obtained from the Symposium Secretariat. Registered Delegates will be issued with an attendance certificate. However, attendance certificates will not be issued to accompanying persons.

CURRENCY

The monetary unit used in Greece is the Euro. Foreign currency or travellers' cheques can be easily exchanged at banks, exchanges, hotels and airports. There are numerous automatic teller machines in the Chora (Town) of Mykonos and other parts of the Island. Credit cards are readily accepted at most restaurants, shops and the Symposium hotels.



Apollo, but no longer in circulation

CUSTOMS

No firearms, ammunition or chemical weapon sprays, prohibited narcotics or codeine can be brought into Greece. Severe penalties can apply.

VISAS

All foreign visitors entering Greece must be in possession of a passport or other travel documents endorsed and valid for Greece. For very few foreign nationalities an entry visa to Greece is required. For this, please contact the Greek Embassy or Consulate. Australian passport holders do not require an entry visa. For any further information please contact Trident Travel or your preferred travel agent.

PHOTOGRAPHY

Delegates should note that photography is prohibited in designated areas, around military installations and airports. Severe penalties can apply.

DRESS CODE

To be able to enter churches and monasteries during any tour, appropriate clothing is required. Women are requested to wear long sleeves and must not wear shorts or a short skirt. Having a sarong to put on over clothing whilst in mosques and monasteries is an acceptable alternative. Men wearing shorts may be excluded from some sites.



However, traditional dress is not required

REGISTRATION FEES

Delegate registration fees include the following:

All Professional sessions; Welcome Reception; Cultural Evening and the Symposium Dinner and other events as noted in the Brochure. In addition, registered delegates will be provided with an Attendance Certificate for CPD/CME purposes.

Accompanying Persons registration fees include the following:

Welcome Reception; Cultural Evening and the Symposium Gala Dinner and other noted events. Accompanying Persons will also have priority in reserving places for other Symposium events.

Delegates and Accompanying Persons may participate in other scheduled tours. Delegates wishing to purchase additional tickets for Symposium events for guests who are not registered for the Symposium may do so, subject to availability.

Full payment of Registration Fees is required on booking, plus the equivalent of one night's accommodation. For Early Bird registrations, the balance of payment for the entire booking is due and payable by 1 July 2005. For further details, see the Registration Form or contact our Symposium Secretariat.

CANCELLATIONS AND ALTERATIONS

All cancellations must be made in writing. Before 1 July 2005 every effort will be made to ensure a full refund, less A\$200 for administration plus such cancellation charges as carriers, hotel or tour organizers may impose. Between 1 July 2005 and 10 September 2005, an administration fee of A\$400 per person will apply plus cancellation charges imposed by carriers, hotel or tour

organisers. No refunds will apply to cancellations after 10 September 2005.

Any person(s) cancelling a booking, may at their option nominate replacements. Any replacement of a booked person will be subject to an administration fee of \$200 per person plus any administrative charges as carriers, hotel or tour organizers may impose.

For conditions for Pre Symposium or Post Symposium Tours, please see below or for further details, see the Registration Form or contact our Symposium Secretariat.

Alterations made to bookings after written confirmation has been given will incur a charge of A\$25 per person, per alteration. Higher alteration fees will apply to alterations made within 14 days of the start of the Symposium.

TRAVEL INSURANCE

We strongly recommend that you take out travel insurance at the time of initial booking, to cover the entire period of your time away. Contact Trident Travel or your preferred agent for the insurance cover best suited to your needs.

HIRE CARS

Hire cars are readily available in Mykonos. An acceptable full driving licence is required. Hire cars can be arranged in advance through our appointed ground agent in Mykonos, Kyklomar Tours.

SAILING/CRUISING

Sailing and yachting opportunities abound in the Mediterranean. Bareboat or crewed boats are available. Bookings can be arranged in advance through our appointed ground agent in Mykonos, Kyklomar Tours.



PRE & POST SYMPOSIUM TOURS

A deposit of \$500.00 (first person) and \$250.00 (each further person) must be paid



on booking for any of these Tours. The balance must be paid by 1 July 2005. For bookings after 1 July 2005, payment must be made in full at the time of booking. If a booking is cancelled on or by 1 July 2005, in addition to any registration cancellation, a cancellation fee of \$200.00 (first person) and \$100.00 (each further person) will be deducted. Cancellations between 1 July 2005 and 10 September 2005 will be subject to a cancellation fee of \$500.00 (first person) and \$250.00 (each further person). No refunds will apply to cancellations after 10 September 2005. These tours all require minimum bookings. If the minimum numbers are not reached, these private tours arranged for the Symposium will not be viable. If this occurs Delegates will be advised of commercial alternatives and all monies paid will be refunded in full.

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All enquires should be directed to the Symposium Secretariat:

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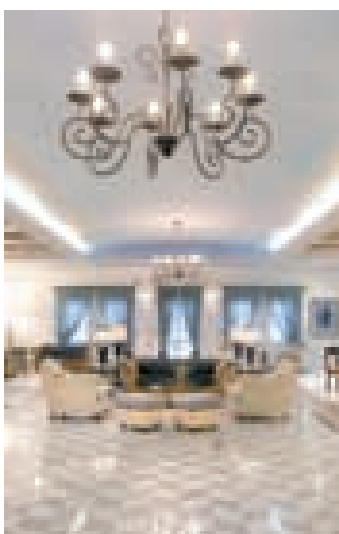
Further Symposium information and updates available are from the Symposium's website at: www.greekconference.com.au or contact either Osprey Consulting or Trident Travel.

Symposium Hotel**Mykonos Grand Hotel and Resort**

The Mykonos Grand Hotel and Resort is a 5 star deluxe resort, offering hotel style accommodation, above a long sandy beach, stretch-

"... a luxury resort in its marriage of the fine taste, style and personal touch of some of the Cyclades' great boutique hotels with the facilities of some of Greece's biggest resorts, without compromising on either front. The private unspoilt beach, dotted with natural thatch umbrellas and sun beds in from the hotel, is met by the turquoise of the large panoramic hotel pool, above with the luxury rooms... hover, with a view of nearby Delos."

The hotel offers standard and deluxe rooms and suites (some with private pools) in exotic gardens.



ing away to the small village of St. John. A member of the prestigious Small Luxury Hotels of the World group, the hotel is centrally located and a recent assessment from Odyssey Magazine commented on the hotel:



The accommodation is quality rooms, with private facilities, balconies or terraces, air-conditioning and a minibar.

All rooms have a safe, hairdryer, television and telephone (with direct international dialing) as standard.



Additional facilities include restaurants and bars, lounges, internet access and business centre, child minding, boutique, spa facilities, gym, sauna bath and steam room (with massage service available), hairdresser, indoor and outdoor jacuzzi; squash and tennis courts.

Please note however, that a supplement may be charged for some services and activities.

To find out more about the Mykonos Grand Hotel and Resort please visit www.mykonosgrand.gr

Petassos Bay Petassos Beach

This hotel complex, a short drive distant from the Symposium hotel is also operated by the Mykonos Grand Hotel and Resort and a transit shuttle service will be provided on a set timetable for delegates staying at one or other of these hotels. The Petassos Bay/Petassos Beach complex is on the popular beach at Platys Yialos highlighted by traditional Cycladic architecture.

Provision of Services

The services provided on or in respect of Symposium 2005 ("symposium and tour services") including but not limited to any and all transportation, accommodation, tours and other services relating thereto are provided by independent carriers and other principals (collectively "principal(s)"). The Association of Greek and Affiliated Panhellenic Interests Ltd (ABN 91 105 863 545) ("the Association") and Trident Travel Pty Ltd (ABN 81 768 849 359) ("Trident") act only in the capacity of agent for the principal(s). A user of any symposium and tour services ("passenger(s)") contracts for symposium and tour services directly with the principal(s) providing the particular service. Neither the Association nor Trident will under any circumstances be liable to the passenger for any claim whatsoever, should the standard of symposium and tour services be below the expectations of the passenger or not as described in any literature relating to such symposium and tour services.

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The Association has appointed Kyklomar Tours as its ground agent in Mykonos and Topline Travel as its general agent in Greece. Neither the Association nor Trident gives or makes and representation or warranty in respect of any contract, service or arrangement entered into between any passengers and Kyklomar Tours and/or Topline Travel and will under no circumstances be responsible or liable to passengers in respect of any such contract, service or arrangement, which will be strictly subject to the terms agreed between such passengers and Kyklomar Tours and/or Topline Travel, as the case may be.

The Association has authorized Trident to enter into contracts, services or arrangements with passengers, other than in respect of the symposium and tour services. The Association gives and makes no representation or warranty in respect of any contract, service or arrangement entered into directly between passengers and Trident and the Association will under no circumstances be responsible or liable to passengers in respect of any such contract, service or arrangement, which will be strictly subject to the terms agreed between such passengers and Trident.

Warranty

Where a passenger seeks to make a booking relating to the Symposium or and symposium and tour services on behalf of any other person(s), such passenger warrants that he or she has the actual authority of all such other person(s) to do so and to agree that all such other person(s) will be bound by these terms and conditions in all respects.

Bookings and Payments

The Association and/or Trident are not obliged to accept any booking or make any reservation/arrangement with the principal(s) and no contract exists between the passenger and the principal(s) until Trident has received the required deposit, completed Registration Form and confirmed the travel arrangements in writing to the passenger. The balance of monies must be paid to Trident on or before 1 July 2005 in respect of bookings made prior to that date. Bookings made after that date are subject to payment in full to Trident, subject to provision of a completed Registration Form.

Any failure to pay the balance of monies by the due date may invalidate any reservations/arrangements made and will allow the Association and/or Trident at their sole discretion to cancel any reservations/arrangements made on behalf of the passenger. In any such cases the passenger will be refunded any deposit paid, less the cancellation fees due to the Association and/or Trident and/or any principal(s). All monies received by and made out to Trident will be deposited in one of its trust accounts,

as required by law. However, by payment of monies to Trident the passenger irrevocably authorises and directs Trident at any time after it has received such monies to disburse them or any part thereof as it sees fit and as permitted by law, for or in respect of the symposium and tour services to be provided to the passenger by principal(s), including fees payable to the principal(s).

Change of Price and Travel Costs

All prices and costs have been negotiated and stated, where possible, on 2005 rates; however as the Association and/or Kyklomar Tours and/or Trident act only as agents of the principal(s), neither can guarantee that no increases will occur. In the event of any fluctuations in charges (including but not limited to exchange rates, airfares, taxes, and other symposium and tour service costs), the total cost of the travel arrangements may be increased without notice. The passenger agrees to pay any such increase prior to departure. The Association and/or Trident will use reasonable endeavours to ensure that the travel arrangements are available as shown in this brochure but shall not be liable in any way whatsoever if a particular travel arrangement cannot be arranged or is cancelled or of for any reason, a passenger cannot be accepted. Since the travel and symposium and tour services are provided by principal(s), itinerary and prices may change after final payment or departure. These are beyond the control of the Association and/or Trident neither of which shall be liable for any claim whatsoever should such changes occur.



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Special Requirements

Any passenger must at the time of completing the Registration Form give written details of the nature of any disability and of any special requirements ("special needs"). Whilst every effort is made to accommodate any such special needs, if any situation occurs beyond the control of the Association and/or Trident or the principal(s) that the special needs cannot be adequately satisfied neither the Association or Trident will accept any responsibility whatsoever in respect to such situations. The Association and/or Trident reserves the right to decline to accept any booking where the principal(s) considers that the safety, welfare or health of the disabled person cannot be adequately secured or the special needs properly met.

Accommodation, Flights, Symposium & Tour Services

The Association and/or Trident will note any request for specific airline seating, meals, accommodation or rooming, but cannot guarantee obtaining the same. Any specific request will be passed to the principal(s) concerned. Neither the Association nor Trident warrants or guarantees that any such request will be accommodated and/or honoured by the principal(s). As accommodation, flights and other symposium and tour services are provided by the principal(s) and there is no covenant, term condition or representa-

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Should share room accommodation not be available (either by request or agreement to share) then the full single room tariff must be paid

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The Association will use all reasonable endeavours to ensure that electronic information provided to it or to the Symposium Secretariat is kept confidential. However, the transmission of electronic information (including but not limited to credit card details) is not totally secure. Neither the Association nor the Symposium Secretariat accepts any responsibility or liability for any loss or damage should any third party access any transmitted electronic information and/or make improper, wrongful or illegal use of any such electronic information.

Exclusions

Unless otherwise specified, prices do not include departure taxes, excess luggage charges, personal services, gratuities, laundry, drinks, meals, documentation, personal accident cover, medical expenses, incidental expenses, communications charges and charges imposed by hotel(s) for recreational and other activities and services.

Travel Documents

All passengers must hold a valid passport and any visa that may be applicable. Valid entry documents into Greece must be held and holders of all passports must have a valid re-entry permit to their own country. The Association is not responsible for obtaining any travel documents or for advising passengers regarding any travel documents or requirements. Airline flights may be overbooked and there is always a slight chance that a seat will be unavailable for which a passenger has a confirmed reservation. A passenger denied boarding a flight might be entitled to compensation directly from that airline. The rules of denied boarding compensation are available at airports.

Travel Insurance

It is highly recommended that all passengers obtain travel insurance at the time of their initial booking. No liability will attach to the Association in respect of any failure by a passenger to obtain any, or any suitable, travel insurance.

Applicable Law

These terms and conditions shall be construed in accordance with the laws for the time being in force in the State of Victoria, Australia.

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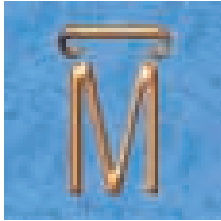
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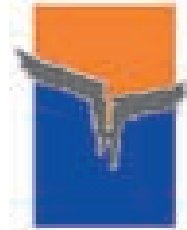
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