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ENCODE winter school – Würzburg, 14-17 February 2022 “Papyrology for non-specialists”

The Department of Classics at Würzburg University invites students of all levels, academics and professionals in Classics, Ancient History and Ancient Philosophy to participate in the ENCODE winter school “**Papyrology for non-specialists**”.

The goal of the school is twofold: It is aimed both at non-specialists who seek a first introduction into papyrology and at papyrologists who are teaching papyrology to students of other subjects. We intend to present and to put into practice a range of methods to make Greek and Latin papyri accessible to the non-specialist, with a focus on digital tools and resources. In this way, we hope to provide beginners with an introduction and a possibility to meet papyrologists, and fellow papyrologists with new ideas and digital methods of teaching.

Classes are taught in English, by:

Anna ARPAIA, Federico AURORA, Birgit BREUER, Holger ESSLER, Kilian FLEISCHER,
Andrea GASPARINI, Pietro LIUZZO, Julia LOUGOVAYA and Federica NICOLARDI.

A list of classes is available at: bit.ly/3tObegM

The winter school will be followed by a Conference on **Papyri and Crowdsourcing** in the afternoon of February 17, 2022. For further information, see: bit.ly/3tIndwd

The number of participants is limited to 18. Participation is free of charge and possible either via video conference or in presence. Small contributions towards travel expenses may be available (please specify need). Previous digital skills and experience in papyrology are not required, but participants should have knowledge of Greek and Latin.

The deadline for applications is **February 2, 2022**. You will be informed via email about the outcome of your application.

To apply, please send the following documents to Birgit Breuer (birgit.breuer@uni-wuerzburg.de):

- Curriculum vitae
- Short motivation letter with information about your interest in the course, your experience in papyrology and your knowledge of ancient languages
- An indication of whether you would like to participate in presence or virtually

A certificate of attendance will be issued for regular participation. Students from ENCODE partner universities might have the possibility to integrate the workshop into their curriculum (for further information please contact the local coordinators).

Enquiries and applications should be sent to [**birgit.breuer@uni-wuerzburg.de**](mailto:birgit.breuer@uni-wuerzburg.de)

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