Dear AIEGL members,

Berlin Congress Bursaries

I am writing to you with news of the association in the final year before our next Congress, to be held in Berlin 27-31 August 2012. We are now inviting applications for bursaries, valued at € 500, from scholars who are seeking financial support to enable them to attend the Congress. If you wish to apply for a bursary, please write a letter of application to the Secretary General. This should indicate your current University or academic address (where applicable) and your application should include 1) a short statement of why you wish to attend the Congress, 2) a current cv, 3) the title and abstract of your paper or poster for the Congress, if you are presenting one. Applications should be submitted to the Secretary General by 31 December 2011 and will be evaluated by the Buro and members of the AIEGL Comité: angela.donati@unibo.it.

AIEGL Prizes

Every five years AIEGL awards a prize of € 2000 to the best monograph-length epigraphic studies by scholars aged under 35. Two prizes will be awarded for Greek and Latin Epigraphy respectively. The prizes may be given either for published books, or for completed dissertations that are being prepared for publication. To be eligible authors must be aged 35 or younger on 31 August 2012, and the work must carry a submission or publication date between 2007 and 2012. We invite nominations either by the authors themselves or by scholars in respect of other people’s work. The prize will be adjudicated by a panel appointed by the AIEGL Buro and Comité, and announced at the Berlin Congress in August 2012. Please send nominations to the Secretary General by 31 January 2012: angela.donati@unibo.it.
Membership lists and individual subscriptions

The membership fee for AIEGL now stands at €20 per year. If you are not yet a member, please subscribe now. This will enable you to attend the general meeting during the Berlin Congress and to vote in the elections for new officers and Comité members. Your subscriptions fund all our activities. They enable us to provide prizes to younger scholars (see AIEGL prizes), and have made it possible to expand the number and level of awards made by epigraphic workshops (see Premio AIEGL), and we will also be funding scholarships, valued at €500, to enable especially younger epigraphers to attend and contribute to the Berlin Congress (see Berlin Congress). Scholars from France, the United Kingdom and the United States are encouraged to join AIEGL through their membership of their national associations.

For details about how to make your payment, please see the attachment to this letter.

Premio AIEGL

We would like to announce a new round of grants to support epigraphic workshops or training schools in 2012. A total of €2000 will be available, to be allocated in grants of €500 or, exceptionally, €1000. You can access the simple application form on the AIEGL web-site, at http://www2.baw.de/aiegl/depigraphie. The closing date for applications is 30 October 2011.

Web-Site (http://www2.baw.de/aiegl)

The web-site has had less usage than we would have liked. We are anxious that members make active use of the site to advertise epigraphic events. All members are encouraged to do so by logging on and posting details of colloquia, publications, etc. on the site themselves. The deputy Secretary General, Prof. Christian Witschel, has taken over the responsibility of checking the content of these notices. Many of you currently send news and notices to Prof. Angela Donati, which are then circulated as e-mail attachments.

New Members of the Buro and Comité

My 5-year term as AIEGL president, ends at the end of 2012, and Prof. Angela Donati will have completed two terms, ten years, as Secretary-General at the same time. As required by our constitution, all the positions on the Buro and the Comité are due to be filled by election at the general meeting. We invite nominations to fill the positions of President and Secretary-General, and also nominations for the adjunct positions of Vice-President (currently Dr Manfred Schmidt) and Vice-Secretary-General (Prof. Christian Witschel). Seven comité members (colleagues: Borhy, Caballós, Demougin, Kajava, Marin, Rizakis, and Zaccaria) will have served for two terms and we will seek nominations to replace them, ensuring that newly elected members come from a similar, but

of course not necessarily identical, geographical spread and thus the Comité remains as representative of the full membership as possible. Elections will be held at the Berlin Congress, but nominations must be received by April 2012. Nominations should be signed by the nominee and supported by two nominators who are members of the association. Please send your nominations before the end of April 2012 to angela.donati@unibo.it.

Thank you for your support and co-operation. I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at the Berlin Congress in August 2012.

Stephen Mitchell,
President

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Cotisation et modalités de paiement

Individual annual membership is 20 Euros.

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AIEGL MEMBERSHIP PAYMENT

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  Thank you for paying your membership regularly!

  For questions please contact Rosemary Bor, bor@hist.uzh.ch