

## Masons at Work: Architecture and Construction in the Pre-Modern World

University of Pennsylvania (Philadelphia), Mar 30–Apr 1, 2012

Arthur Thourson Jones

The symposium assembles specialists in various fields to examine building practices in the pre-modern world, with an emphasis on aspects of construction and structure in ancient Greek, Roman, Byzantine, medieval, and early-to-middle period Islamic architecture.

Keynote Address: Lynne Lancaster (Ohio University)

Featured Speakers: John Ochsendorf (MIT), Ulrike Wulf-Rheidt (DAI-Berlin), Katia Cytryn-Silverman (Hebrew University of Jerusalem), Lorenz Korn (University of Bamberg), Gionata Rizzi (Milan), Dimitris Athanasoulis (Ephoreia of Byzantine Antiquities, Corinth)

Commentator: Kostis Kourelis (Franklin and Marshall College)

Organizing Committee: Lothar Haselberger, Renata Holod, Robert Ousterhout

A full program of the event can be found in this PDF:

[http://www.sas.upenn.edu/ancient/files/Masons\\_third\\_circular.pdf](http://www.sas.upenn.edu/ancient/files/Masons_third_circular.pdf)

Note: There is no registration fee; however, if you plan to attend, please let us know at [ancient@sas.upenn.edu](mailto:ancient@sas.upenn.edu). For updates on the symposium, visit our website at <http://www.sas.upenn.edu/ancient/>.

Accommodations: Due to exceptional popularity, rooms at the conference hotel (Club Quarters) are fully booked. For other hotels in the area, see the list of hotels near the University of Pennsylvania

(<http://www.admissions.upenn.edu/visiting/accommodations.php>) or google: "Hotels near University of Pennsylvania." The Sheraton and the Inn at Penn are on campus; any hotel near Rittenhouse Square will be

easily accessible to campus by public transportation or by foot.

Reference:

CONF: Masons at Work: Architecture and Construction in the Pre-Modern World. In: ArtHist.net, Feb 15, 2012 (accessed Apr 1, 2026), <<https://arthist.net/archive/2714>>.