

Report to SPHS on grant to Classical Marvels conference, organised by Dr Alexia Petsalis-Diomidis, School of Classics, University of St Andrews

Grant: £250 towards postgraduate bursaries

Summary of the event:

Two-day conference at the School of Classics, University of St Andrews:
31 attendees, 14 papers, 5 break out discussion groups, 2 round tables, 2 presentations by UG research assistants, 2 presentations by artists, 1 magic performance.

Conference website with full programme and details:

<http://classical-marvels.wp.st-andrews.ac.uk>

Expenditure relating to the SPHS grant:

Postgraduate bursary to Anna Athanasopoulou, PhD candidate at the University of Cambridge. Anna submitted an abstract in the open Call for Papers which was ranked very highly. She gave a paper on the subject of 'Unflattening' space: the material fabric of marvellous architecture in Lucian's *Hippias*'

Accommodation: £140

Bus: £6.60

Rail: £102.80

Total: £249.40