

Call for Papers International Conference

Resource management in the processes of construction in Antiquity and the high Middle Ages

Circular n. 1

In the last few years not only have the number of publications dealing with Architectural *Energetics* multiplied, but the conferences discussing it have too: Rome, Edinburgh, Köln, Berlín, Oxford. Architectural Energetics, which is to say the quantitative evaluation of the human, logistic, and economic resources used in construction, from the quarry to the building site, represents a growing field of research. Notwithstanding the difficulties of defining all the factors influencing construction and the resources utilized in it, it is nevertheless important to analyze the ensemble of operations involved in the creation of an edifice .

Following in the footsteps of those already held, this conference aims to focus attention at resource management in the processes of construction, aspects of which include:

- Project conception and the factors influencing it.
- Methods of finance: energetism, loans, etc.
- The legal and administrative framework in the architectural project.
- The extraction of stone from quarries and its export.
- The economy of construction: ex novo e spolia.
- Manpower: slaves, paid workers, animal traction.
- Machines, tools and techniques of construction etc.
- Quantitative studies of private and public edifices.

Languages: English, Spanish, French and Italian.

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