

**The 7<sup>th</sup> Edition of the International Colloquium „Receptarea antichității greco-latine în culturile europene”, Craiova, October 24-25, 2014,  
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The 7<sup>th</sup> Edition of the International Colloquium ‘Receptarea antichității greco-latine în culturile europene’ was organized by the Society of Classical Studies of Romania, Craiova Branch, Department of Romance and Classical Languages, Faculty of Letters, University of Craiova and DECOTGREL Group, Department of Classical Studies, University of the Basque Country, Spain. This colloquium has two main sections: I. *Technical lexicography in classical languages. Theory, methods, tools*; II. *Studies on classical antiquity. Miscellanea*.

This scientific event welcomed the presence of prestigious professors in the advisory board (Florica Bechet, Ioana Costa, Teodor Sâmbrian, Marco Antonio Gutiérrez Galindo, Cirilo García Román, etc.) that moderated and gave endorsement to the proceedings of the colloquium within all sections.

In the first section the debates focused on the use of lexicographical tools in the works on the Greco-Roman world. It was an opportunity to discuss the use of DECOTGREL, a necessary tool in the study of grammatical terminology and classical rhetoric, a very interesting topic in the context of linguistic historiography.

In the second section, the topics highlighted the relation between the classical world and the contemporary one by comparison. The oral presentations were delivered in several languages (Romanian, Spanish, French, English, Italian, German) which shows the academic dimension and tradition of this scientific event.

The topics were mainly addressed in the field of lexicography, lexicology, terminology, rhetoric, as well as history, mentalities and cultural studies on Greco-Roman Antiquity. Topical lexicographical themes treated the structure of DECOTGREL, also providing an overview of the Latin etymologies of some words encountered in legal papers, medical terminology, natural sciences in the works of classical Latin and Greek writers.

The colloquium was attended by researchers from various Romanian universities (Bucharest, Timișoara, Craiova) and foreign universities (Spain, Greece, Luxembourg).

The core of the debates were the perennial values of Greco-Latin Antiquity, the model it offered and its significance for European cultures.

The interest in the ancient world was noticed not only in linguistics, but also in such areas as law, history, literature, mythology, political science, mentalities and military sciences.

The variety of topics raised the cultural and scientific level of the international colloquium Receptarea antichității greco-latine în culturile europene, giving it a truly European dimension.