

Syriac and Arabia Symposium

(Hugoye Symposium VI)

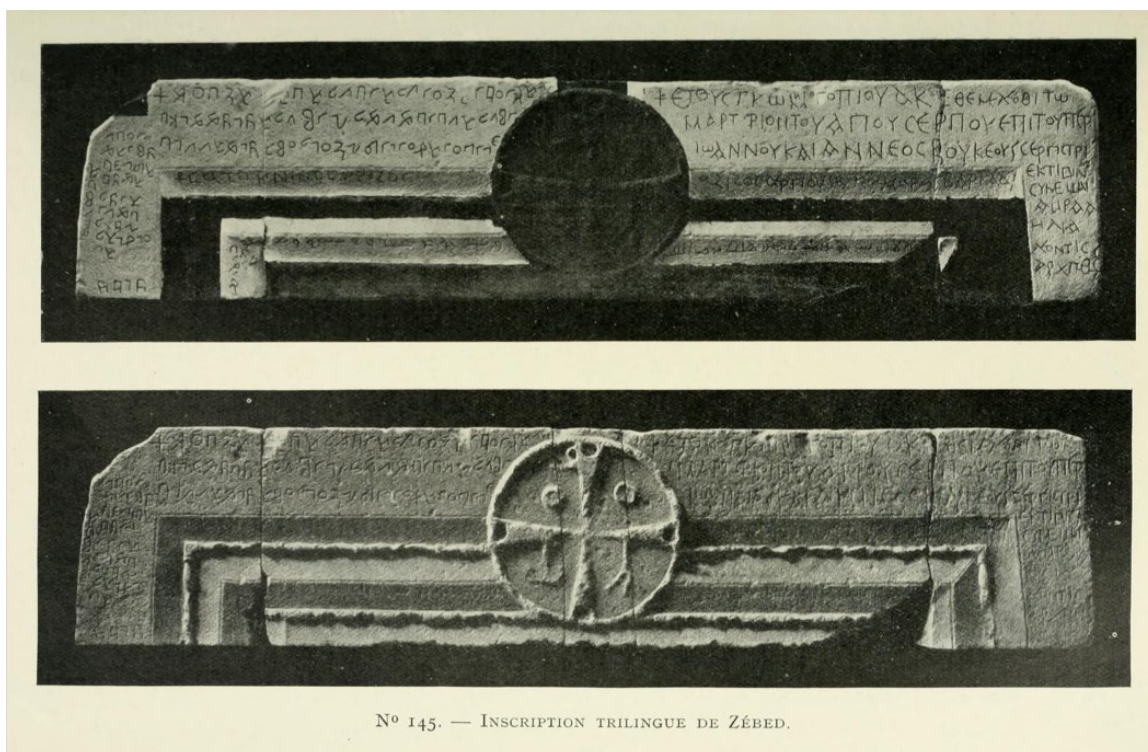
Call for Papers

Venue

Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton (West Seminar Room)

Date

April 24–25, 2020



Beth Mardutho: The Syriac Institute is holding its sixth Hugoye symposium in April 2020 at the Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton. This year's topic is **Syriac and Arabia**. While there has been much on the contribution of Syriac to the Abbasid translation movement, research on the connections between Syriac and Arabic before Islam and during the early years of Islam is in its infancy. This workshop aims to bring together scholars who cross the Syriac studies and Arabic/Islamic studies divide in the hope of forming a framework for the study of the Syriac-Arabic interface.

Scholars interested in participating may send via email a proposal between 750 and 1,000 words.

Submission deadline is **January 15, 2020**. Submissions are to be sent via email directly to George A. Kiraz at gkiraz@ias.edu.

Scholars are expected to fund their travel to/from and accommodation in Princeton. The Institute will provide meals and a conference celebratory dinner. Speakers will be invited to contribute to a collected volume on an agreed-upon theme.

Local Committee

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