On the occasion of the 2007 Francqui Prize awarded to François de Callataÿ (Royal Library of Belgium), the Academia Belgica and the Francqui Foundation are proud to announce the third joined Academia Belgica-Francqui Foundation Conference to be held at the Academia Belgica in collaboration with the Belgian Science Policy Administration and with the Istituto Italiano di Numismatica. Sessions are scheduled on the following topics: Methodological issues, Archaic and Classical Greek coinages, Hellenistic coinages, Roman coinages.

Quantifying Monetary Supplies in Greco-Roman Times

Rome, Academia Belgica and Istituto Italiano di Numismatica
September 29th and 30th 2008
Program

Monday, Sept. 29th
(Academia Belgica)

9:00-10:00 AM Welcome

10:00-10:30 AM Opening session

Walter Geerts  
Director of the Academia Belgica

Sabine Laruelle  (?)
Minister in charge of the Belgian Scientific Policy

Mark Eyskens  
President of the Francqui Foundation – Former Prime-Minister of Belgium

Sara Sorda  
Director dell’Istituto Italiano di Numismatic

Patrick Lefèvre  
Director of the Royal Library of Belgium

10:30-13:00 AM Morning session

Chair: Michel Amandry – President of the INC

François de Callataï  
(Brussels, Royal Library of Belgium and EPHE)
Quantifying monetary production in Greco-Roman times: a general frame

Elio Lo Cascio  
(Roma, Università La Sapienza)
Quantifying monetary production and chronology in Roman times: the role of the credit

11:30-12:00 AM Coffee-break

Warren Esty  
(University of Montana)
Statistical methods for checking the validity of statistical methods in numismatics

Clive Stannard  
(Rome)
Evaluating the monetary supply: were dies reproduced mechanically in antiquity?

13:00-15:00 PM Lunch

15:00-18:00 PM Afternoon session

Chair: Andrew Burnett – Former president of the INC

Benedetto Carrocio  
(Cosenza, Università della Calabria)
Parallel striking reconstruction and chronological numismatic interpretation

Thomas Faucher  
(Paris, Sorbonne/Paris IV and EPHE)
Productivité des coins et taux de survie du monnayage grec

Theodore Buttrey  
(Cambridge)
Calculating ancient coin production: the problem of the third element

16:30-17:00 PM Coffee-break

Peter van Alfen  
(New York, American Numismatic Society)
Hatching Owls: Institutions and the regulation of coin production in later fifth-century Athens

Olivier Picard  
(Paris, Sorbonne/Paris IV)
La circulation de l'argent : le cas de Thasos

18:00-19:30 PM Dinner

Tuesday, Sept. 30th
(Istituto Italiano di Numismatica)

9:30-12:30 AM Morning session

Academia Belgica

Chair: Olivier Picard

Louis Brousseau  
(Paris, Sorbonne/Paris IV and EPHE)
Les productions monétaires des ateliers grecs de Grande-Grece du V au IV° siècles av. J.-C., essai de quantification comparée

Mariangela Puglisi  
(Messina, Università di Messina)
Coin circulation data in Sicily as a source for quantifying monetary supplies?

Maria Caltabiano  
(Messina, Università di Messina)
The importance of an “iconic program” in ancient coin production

11:00-11:30 AM Coffee-break

Panagiotis Iossif  
(Belgian School at Athens/University of Liége)
Quantifying Seleucid Religion through Coins: is it possible to calculate "iconography" and "religion"?

Oliver Hoover  
(New York, American Numismatic Society)
Time is money: production quantification and chronology in the Late Seleucid period

12:30-14:00 PM Lunch

14:00-16:30 PM Afternoon session

Istituto Italiano di Numismatic

Chair: Maria Caltabiano

Haim Gitter  
(Jerusalem – Israel Museum)
Quantifying small fractions: the Coinages of Philistia and adjacent geographical regions

Olivier Picard  
(Paris, Sorbonne/Paris IV)
La circulation de l'argent : le cas de Thasos

15:00-15:30 PM Coffee-break

Michel Amandry  
(Paris, Bibliothèque nationale de France and EPHE)
La production des cités pontiques à l'époque impériale : synchronismes et quantification

Johan van Heesch  
(Brussels, Royal Library of Belgium and KULeuven)
Quantifying Roman Imperial coinage: a complex matter