

Honours for Prytanis [of Karystos]

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IG 2[3] 1 1148

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Description

Date	c.a. 225/4 Period: 3rd century BCE --> second half --> after 229 BCE, liberation from Macedonian control Reasons: other, cutter's hand Notes: This fragment most probably pertains to a second decree honouring the philosopher Prytanis: in fact, the stonecutter's hand and the shape of the crown are the same as those of IG 2[3] 1 1147, see Tracy 1990 52-3
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Text category	honorific decree Notes: This fragment could pertain to a second copy of the 225/4 BCE decree honouring Prytanis, or to further honours issued in the same period. The latter hypothesis seems a bit more likely, since the publication clause of IG 2[2] 1147 does not mention the erection of more stelai of the same decree.
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Monument description	Monument type: stele Material: white marble
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✓ crown

Letters Height Mt: 0.007-0.009

Same stonecutter as:

IG 2[2] 1706, see Tracy 1990 52-3.

Physical features

Measurements: h: 0.148 * w: 0.127 * t: 0.02

State of conservation: Small fragment, broken at all sides and at the back.

Legibility: The inscribed surface is overall well legible, although a bit damaged.

Findspot

Acropolis --> Erechtheion (area of)

Date of discovery: 1887

Circumstances: archeological excavation

Notes:

Found in the archaeological excavations in the Acropolis North Wall and in proximity of the Erechtheion, see Kirchhoff SBAkBerlin 1887, 1185.

Original location

Acropolis

Details:

This original location, while very reasonable, is nonetheless not fully certain, since such a tiny fragment could have been moved to the Acropolis from a distant place.

✓ uncertain



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