Slavonic and East European Medieval Studies Group

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The November SEEMSG Meeting and AGM took place on November 15, 1997, at the St Clement Ukrainian Catholic University, Holland Park, London. The schedule of speakers was as follows:

Debra Coulter (SSEES, London) "The World of the Muscovite Priesthood in the Seventeenth Century"
Natalia Samoilova (St Andrews) "Лексико-tekstologicheskii analiz evangelyskikh citat sumpal'skoy рукописи"
Dr Anthony Hippsley (St Andrews) "A System of Borrowing in Simeon Polotsky's Vierograd Mnogovclany"
Ljudmila Charipova (Cambridge) "The library of the Kiev Mohyla Academy: the evidence of surviving books"

Note: As a gesture of thanks to Professor Cymbalisty for hosting our November meeting at the St Clement Ukrainian Catholic University, SEEMSG has made a donation of £50 to the library at that institution.

BASEES '98 and Boris Unbegaun. A session to commemorate the centenary of Boris Unbegaun's birth will be allotted space at BASEES '98 at Cambridge University; unfortunately the final schedule for this session is not yet available. SEEMSG will contribute funds towards bringing Prof. H Keiper, University of Bonn, to mark the occasion. The Spring SEEMSG meeting will be held on the morning of April 4, in Fitzwilliam (note: not Clare); there will be no arranged lunch for participants, therefore individuals can either sign up for the Conference lunch (if taking part in the BASEES conference itself), or make their own arrangements (e.g., a pub lunch in the vicinity).

Professor Keiper may be available to address SEEMSG informally; due to problems of accommodation and scheduling during BASEES, this meeting of SEEMSG will be rather shorter than usual, consisting of two papers:

11:00 Catherine MacRobert (Oxford) 'The Penitential Canon attributed to S. Cyril the Philosopher in MS Bodl.945'

12:00 To be announced.

(1:00 >>>> Lunch)

The Secretary of SEEMSG apologizes for the lateness of this Bulletin; some arrangements were not finalized until last week, but he is also at fault due to particularly heavy professional commitments of his own!