

CRETE AT A CROSSROADS OF CIVILIZATIONS

SUMMER SCHOOL PROGRAM

13 - 24 JULY 2025 | ATHENS - CRETE

DAY 1 | SUN, 13 JULY

ATHENS

- Arrival & Welcome meeting
- Acropolis visit

DAY 2 | MON, 14 JULY

ATHENS

- Athenian Agora visit

DAY 3 | TUE, 15 JULY

ATHENS

- National Archaeological Museum visit
- Chinese Embassy Reception
- Ferry to Chania, Crete

DAY 4 | WED, 16 JULY

CHANIA

- Guided tour of Venetian Chania
- Arrival at Rethymno

DAY 5 | THU, 17 JULY

RETHYMNO

- Ottoman Rethymno tour
- Greek Language intro
- The Autonomous State of Crete, 1898-1913

DAY 6 | FRI, 18 JULY

MYRTIA, HERAKLIO (Day Trip)

- Nikos Kazantzakis Museum visit
- Return to Rethymno

DAY 7 | SAT, 19 JULY

RETHYMNO-HERAKLIO

- Archaeological Museum of Rethymno
- Day trip to Heraklio
- Knossos Palace tour
- Archaeological Museum visit
- Return to Rethymno

DAY 8 | SUN, 20 JULY

RETHYMNO

- Ancient Scripts Workshop
- Crete's Legacy on Law & Writing

DAY 9 | MON, 21 JULY

RETHYMNO → ANOPOLIS

- Walking tour of Rethymno
- Travel to Anopolis

DAY 10 | TUE, 22 JULY

ANOPOLIS

- The Cretan Plato
- Ancient Scripts workshop/Chinese Calligraphy

DAY 11 | WED, 23 JULY

ANOPOLIS

- Aradena Gorge hiking
- Film screening CINEPHIL.101 & discussion

DAY 12 | THU, 24 JULY

CHANIA

- Travel to Chania
- Ferry to Piraeus
- Athens

INSTRUCTORS & ORGANIZERS

Dr. Antonis Anastassopoulos - Ottoman Studies

Dr. Artemis Karnava - Prehistoric Archaeology

Dr. Eleni Kovaïou - Head Librarian

Dr. Maria Pouloupoulou - Modern Greek Language

Dr. Aris Tsantiropoulos - Anthropology

University of Crete - Welcome Office Kleopatra
Paterogiannaki & Evgenia Skountaki

Dr. Chloe Balla - Ancient Philosophy

Dr. Yiannis Kokkinakis - Modern History

Dr. Thanassis Mailis - Byzantine Archaeology

Dr. Sophia Trouli - Museum Studies

Dr. Yianna Venieri - Epigraphic Museum



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