

Center for Hellenic Studies

January Term in Greece

The Center for Hellenic Studies will offer a travel-study program in Greece during January. Leading the course will be Gregory Nagy, Francis Jones Professor of Classical Greek Literature. The focus of the trip in 2012 will be the societies that figured prominently during the Bronze Age: the Minoans and Mycenaeans.

When: January 9-21, 2012. Participants will meet in Athens for a flight to Crete on January 9.

Cost: Approximately \$2500.00. This covers accommodations, breakfasts and dinners, and travel within Greece. It does NOT include airfare to and from Greece.

An initial deposit of \$500.00 is due November 1, 2011. The remainder will be due on December 1.

Application: The CHS will accept and process applications on a rolling basis. Enrollment will be limited to 35 people.



Nafplion, Greece



Knossos, Crete

Preliminary Itinerary:

Jan. 9: Flight from Athens to Crete.

Jan. 9-13: Crete. Sites include Knossos, Phourni, and Phaistos.

Jan. 14-15: Nafplion. We will study the Mycenaean sites in the Argolid, including Mycenae, Midea, and Tiryns and the network of roads that connected these settlements.

Jan. 16-17: Sparta, Pylos. We will travel to Sparta and Pylos, retracing Telemachos' journey as described in the *Odyssey*.

Jan. 18: Nemea, Corinth. On the way to Athens, the group will visit Nemea, the site of one of the major Pan-Hellenic festivals, and Corinth.

Jan. 19-20: Athens. Our itinerary for Athens includes visits to the National Archaeological Museum, the Agora, Acropolis, and the new Acropolis Museum.

Jan. 21: Departure.