PROJECT HOMEPAGE

Provides background about the Sinai Palimpsests Project, including an introduction to St. Catherine's Monastery and its library by the current Librarian, an explanation of technologies used to image palimpsests, and an overview of scholarship on palimpsests. Complements materials linked below on the Research Site.

http://sinaipalimpsests.org/

TERMS OF USE

PLEASE READ—important information for all users

Reviews the terms of use to which all users agreed during registration. Provides instructions for those wishing to publish images or other content from the site, whether electronically or in print and whether formally or informally.

https://sinai.library.ucla.edu/terms-of-use/please-read

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Citing Contributors

Lists Participating Scholars in alphabetical order to help users identify whom to cite for scholarly metadata on the Research Site. Explains context for preparing editions. Lists Project Personnel.

https://sinai.library.ucla.edu/terms-of-use/contributors

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USER GUIDE: CONTENTS

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Manuscript Shelfmarks

Lists the shelfmarks of all seventy-four manuscripts imaged in the Sinai Palimpsests Project and explains the logic of their sequence on the Browse page.

https://sinai.library.ucla.edu/user-guide/mss-shelfmarks

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Navigating This Site

Explains how to access Sinai Palimpsests Project results on the Research Site, from browsing manuscripts to viewing scholarly metadata to viewing images. Illustrates key tips for working with multiple images and digital tools in the Mirador viewer.

https://sinai.library.ucla.edu/user-guide/navigating-site

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Which Images Should I Use?

Facilitates informed decisions about the many processed images provided for each palimpsest page. Explains strengths and weaknesses of each kind of image in relation to different user purposes. Outlines an efficient path to find the optimal images for a palimpsest page.

https://sinai.library.ucla.edu/user-guide/choosing-images

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Descriptions Glossary

Explains basic terms used in catalog entries to describe manuscripts, their physical components, and their contents.

https://sinai.library.ucla.edu/user-guide/mss-terms

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Keyword Search Tips

Identifies style standards followed in the Sinai Palimpsests Project catalog to facilitate predictable searchability. Includes notes on abbreviations, spelling, languages, titles of ancient works, dates, numbers, and more.

https://sinai.library.ucla.edu/user-guide/search-tips

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Works Cited

Lists abbreviations and bibliography for literature cited by Participating Scholars in their work on the Sinai Palimpsests Project catalog.

https://sinai.library.ucla.edu/user-guide/works-cited

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ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Publications

Provides examples of publications that use results from the Sinai Palimpsests Project.

https://sinai.library.ucla.edu/publications

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Contact Us

Provides email addresses for contacting St. Catherine's Monastery, the Early Manuscripts Electronic Library (EMEL), and the UCLA Digital Library Program. Explains which project partner to contact for different purposes.

https://sinai.library.ucla.edu/contacts

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