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# CAPInv. 1471: lentiyphantai

## I. LOCATION

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| i. | **Geographical area** | Western Asia Minor |
| ii. | **Region** | Ionia |
| iii. | **Site** | Ephesos |

## II. NAME

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| i. | **Full name (original language)** | λεντιυφάνται (I.Eph(esos) 454e) |
| ii. | **Full name (transliterated)** | *lentiyphantai* |

## III. DATE

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| i. | **Date(s)** | 150 (?) - 250 (?) AD |

## IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

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| ii. | **Name elements** | Professional: | *lentiyphantai* |

## V. SOURCES

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| i. | **Source(s)** | I.Eph(esos) 454e (150 (?) - 250 (?) AD) |
| | **Note** | See also:<br>Dittmann-Schöne II.1.8 |
| | **Online Resources** | I.Eph(esos) 454e |
| i.a. | **Source type(s)** | Epigraphic source(s) |
| i.b. | **Document(s) typology & language/script** | Seat inscription, greek |
| i.c. | **Physical format(s)** | Inscribed pillar |

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| **ii. Source(s) provenance** | Gymnasium of Vedius |

## XI. INTERACTION

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| **i. Local interaction** | The *lentiyphantai* were one among several associations with reserved seats at the gymnasium of Vedius. |

## XII. NOTES

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| **iii. Bibliography** | Dittmann-Schöne, I. (2010), *Die Berufsvereine in den Städten des kaiserzeitlichen Kleinasiens*. 2nd. ed. Regensburg: 134. |

## XIII. EVALUATION

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| **i. Private association** | Probable |
| **Note** | Professional associations in the 2nd/3rd century were often very close to the official civic institutions, but they probably remained essentially private associations. |
| **ii. Historical authenticity** | Certain |


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