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CAPInv. 300: **eranistai**

I. LOCATION

i.	**Geographical area**	Attica with Salamis
ii.	**Region**	Attica
iii.	**Site**	Athens

II. NAME

i.	**Full name (original language)**	ἐρανισταί (IG II^2 1265, ll. 1, 10, 12)
ii.	**Full name (transliterated)**	*eranistai*

III. DATE

i.	**Date(s)**	320 (?) - 296 (?) BC

IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

iii.	**Descriptive terms**	κοινόν, *koinon* (?)
	Note	*koinon*: restored in IG II^2 1265, ll. 4-5

V. SOURCES

i.	**Source(s)**	IG II^2 1265 (320 (?) - 296 (?) BC)
	Note	The inscription is written *stoichedon.* Ed. pr.*An.Ép.* 1853, 883 no. 1408. (*APMA* 5, 95 no. 673) Other publications: Lueders no. 2; Foucart no. 32.
	Online Resources	IG II^2 1265
i.a.	**Source type(s)**	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b.	**Document(s) typology & language/script**	Greek honorific decree for two officials of the group, Nikon and Agathon.

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i.c. Physical format(s)	Marble stele with vestiges of a relief at the top, measuring 0.45x0,26m.
ii. Source(s) provenance	Found west of Erechtheion on the Athenian Acropolis, now in the Epigraphical Museum, EM 7760.

VII. ORGANIZATION

iv. Officials	ἱεροποιός, *hieropoios*, l. 5. Treasurer (ταμίας, *tamias*, ll. 2, 9).

IX. MEMBERSHIP

ii. Gender	Men
Note	Νίκων, *Athenian Onomasticon* s.v. (128). Ἀγάθων, *Athenian Onomasticon* s.v. (74).
iii. Age	Adults
iv. Status	The names do not allow any further identification.

X. ACTIVITIES

iv. Honours/Other activities	Nikon and Agathon are praised (ἐπαινέσαι, *epainesai*) and honoured with a crown (στέφανος, *stephanos*) for their love of honour (φιλοτιμία, *philotimia*), ll. 7-9.

XII. NOTES

ii. Poland concordance	Poland A32
iii. Bibliography	Pakkanen, P. (1996), *Interpreting early Hellenistic religion. A study based on the mystery cult of Demeter and the cult of Isis*. Helsinki. Tracy, S. (1995), *Athenian democracy in transition. Attic letter cutters of 340-290 B.C.*. Berkeley: 136. Wilhelm, A. (1905), 'Attika psephismata', *AE*, 244 no. 10. (= (1984), *A. Wilhelm. Abhandlungen und Beiträge zur griechischen Inschriftenkunde in Archaiologike Ephemeris und anderen Zeitschriften und Festschriften (1890-1950)*. Leipzig: 26-44) Wilhelm, A. (2006), 'Attische Urkunden. Teil VI' in Taeuber, H. (ed.), *A. Wilhelm. Kleine Schriften III. Schriften aus Adolf Wilhelm Nachlass*. Wien: 274 no. 47.

XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Certain
Note	The association displays all the hallmarks of a private association: distinct name, membership, organization, property and durability.

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