

CAPInv. 1834: Apollonias[tai] ton syn Sostr[atoi]

I. LOCATION

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| i. Geographical area | Aegean Islands |
| ii. Region | Kos |
| iii. Site | Kos |

II. NAME

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| i. Full name (original language) | Ἀπολλωνιασ[τάν] τῶν συν Σωστρ[άτοι] (<i>IG XII.4 2784</i> , lines 2-3) |
| ii. Full name (transliterated) | Apollonias[tai] ton syn Sostr[atoi] |

III. DATE

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| i. Date(s) | 100 (?) - 1 (?) BC |
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IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

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| ii. Name elements | Personal: | <i>syn Sostratoi</i> (σὺν Σωστρ[άτοι], line 3) |
| | Theophoric: | <i>Apolloniastai</i> (Ἀπολλωνιασ[τάν], line 2) |

V. SOURCES

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| i. Source(s) | <i>IG XII.4 2784</i> . |
| Note | Segre, <i>I. Cos EF 214</i> ; <i>SEG 57.780</i> ; Tsouli 2013: no. 622c. Cf. also Maillot 2013: no. 17. |
| Online Resources | PHI: EF 214 Harland, AGRW 11664 |
| i.a. Source type(s) | Epigraphic source(s) |

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| i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script | Boundary stone of a burial plot; Greek. |
| i.c. Physical format(s) | Cippus of amygdalopetra / <i>Travertin</i> , broken on its upper corners. |
| ii. Source(s) provenance | Found during demolition work in the city of Kos (context lost). |

VI. BUILT AND VISUAL SPACE

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| ii. References to buildings/objects | The point of reference of the boundary stone (ὄρος) is to burial plots, <i>thekaia</i> (θηκα[ίων] line 1). |
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VII. ORGANIZATION

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| i. Founder(s) | Sostratos (line 3). This individual, mentioned in the name of the association, is either its founder or its leader. |
| Gender | Male |
| ii. Leadership | See above. |

X. ACTIVITIES

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| iii. Worship | See above IV.ii. |
| Deities worshipped | Apollo (line 2). |

XII. NOTES

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| iii. Bibliography | S. Maillot (2013), 'Les associations à Cos', in P. Hamon and P. Fröhlich (eds.), <i>Groupes et associations dans les cités grecques</i> , Geneva: 199-226. M. Segre (2007), <i>Iscrizioni di Cos, Epigrafie funerarie</i> , Rome. C. Tsouli, <i>Ταφικά και επιτάφια μνημεία της Κω</i> , diss. Athens 2013. |
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XIII. EVALUATION

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| i. Private association | Certain |
| Note | Little is known about this association and its context. But simply on the basis of its name and by comparison with other highly similar boundary stones of the burial plots of associations near the city of Kos (more than 50 in number, cf. e.g. CAPI no. 1826), we can be confident that it constituted a private association. |