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CAPInv. 1890: xystos

i.	Geographical area	Western Asia Minor
ii.	Region	Ionia
iii.	Site	Erythrai

i.	Full name (original language)	ξυστός (I.Erythrai 416, Il. 4-5)
ii.	Full name (transliterated)	xystos

i. Date(s)	200 (?) - 300 (?) AD

ii. Name elements	Professional:	xystos designates the community of athletes	

i.	Source(s)	I.Erythrai 416 (200 (?) - 300 (?) AD)	
	Online Resources	I.Erythrai 416	
i.a.	Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)	
i.b.	Document(s) typology & language/script	Funerary inscription, Greek	
ii.	Source(s) provenance	Erythrai	

VII. ORGANIZATION iv. Officials ἀρχιγραμματεύς, archigrammateus (Il. 3-4). As is the case at Ephesos, the xystos at Erythrai is attested only in a personal titulature. But while at Ephesos the titles are always archiereus and xystarches, the "chief secretary" seems to refer to specific duties. Maybe xystos, chosen by the deceased's wife in his funerary inscription, actually refers to the synodos.

i.	Private association	Possible
	Note	See above, VII.iv.
ii.	Historical authenticity	Certain