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CAPInv. 624: syntech[nia ton chrysoch]oon kai argy[rokoPON]

I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	The Near East and Beyond
ii. Region	Syria
iii. Site	Palmyra

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	συντεχ[νία τῶν χρυσοχ]όων καὶ ἀργυ[ροκόπων] (IGLS XVII.1 56, ll. 3-4)
ii. Full name (transliterated)	syntech[nia ton chrysoch]oon kai argy[rokoPON]

III. DATE

i. Date(s)	258 AD
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IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

i. Name in other forms	□ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ <i>tg̃m' dy q̃ny' □ □ bd' d̃hb' wksp</i> (IGLS XVII.1. 56, Aramaic text ll. 3-4)
ii. Name elements	Professional: <i>chrysochooi</i> and <i>argyrokopoi</i> <i>qyny' □ bd' d̃hb' wksp'</i>
iii. Descriptive terms	συντεχνία, <i>syntechnia</i> □ □ <i>tg̃m'</i> , Note <i>syntechnia</i> : IGLS XVII.1 56, Greek text l. 3 <i>tg̃m'</i> : IGLS XVII.1. 56, Aramaic text l. 3

V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	IGLS XVII.1 56 (AD 258)
Note	See also: CIS 3945; IGR III 1031

Online Resources	AGRW ID 10305
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Bilingual Greek-Aramaic dedicatory inscription
i.c. Physical format(s)	At the shaft of a column
ii. Source(s) provenance	Great colonnade at Palmyra

X. ACTIVITIES

iv. Honours/Other activities	The association honours Odainath with a statue.
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XII. NOTES

i. Comments	The Aramaic version uses <i>tg̃m</i> ’ (from Greek τάγμα, <i>tagma</i>) for συντεχνία, <i>syntechnia</i> .
ii. Poland concordance	Poland Z 88
iii. Bibliography	Kaizer, T. (2002), <i>The Religious Life of Palmyra. A Study of the Social Patterns of Worship in the Roman Period</i> . Stuttgart: 216. Yon, J.-B. (2012), <i>Inscriptions grecques et latines de la Syrie XVII.1: Palmyre</i> . Beyrouth.

XIII. EVALUATION

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