

Manual to the new website of *Supplementum Epigraphicum Graecum Online* – on ‘Brill’s Scholarly Editions’

Brill is pleased to announce a new website for its flagship publication *Supplementum Epigraphicum Graecum* (SEG) with increased search options and more user-friendly navigation.

SEG contains over 100,000 entries on Greek inscriptions from the entire ancient Greek world from the 6th century BCE to the 8th century CE. Entries in *Supplementum Epigraphicum Graecum Online* present complete Greek texts, and a critical apparatus, of new inscriptions; they summarize new readings, interpretations, and studies of known inscriptions.

Brill’s new SEG website enables users to search for entries - including inscription texts - by time period, place of origin, topic, or inscription type (or any combination of these). The new SEG website is hosted on [Brill’s Scholarly Editions platform](#), alongside many other Brill publications.

Once you access [the new SEG website](#), and click on the **Start Reading** button, you will see a search box and a list of SEG entries. If no filter is applied, all entries of SEG (currently numbering over 107,000) will be listed by default.

The screenshot displays the search interface of the SEG website. At the top, there is a search bar with a 'Filter' dropdown and a 'Search...' input field. Below the search bar, the interface is divided into two main sections: a filter sidebar on the left and a list of search results on the right.

Filter Sidebar:

- Volume:** Includes a dropdown menu with 'Type to filter...'.
- Place:** Includes a dropdown menu with 'Type to filter...'.
- Period:** Includes a dropdown menu with 'Type to filter...'.
- From/Until:** Two input fields with values '300' and '500' respectively.
- Index terms:** Includes a dropdown menu with 'Type to filter...'.
- Operator:** Radio buttons for 'AND', 'OR', and 'XOR'.
- Reference:** Includes a dropdown menu with 'Type to filter...'.
- Inscription Type:** Includes a dropdown menu with 'Type to filter...'.
- Concordances:** Includes a dropdown menu with 'Type to filter...'.

Search Results:

Found 107755 entries sorted by: Relevance / Publication Date

- 1-1. Athens (in museum). Titulum antiquissimum editum a Studniczka, Ath. Mitt.
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0001.sego
- 1-2. Athens. IG I 9 (=Syll.³ 41, Hicks-Hill 32, Michel 1428)
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0002.sego
- 1-3. Athens. Decretum atticum de templo exornando, c. a. 420.
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0003.sego
- 1-4. Athens (in museum). Athenienses Apollinem honorant propter oraculum, a. 418.
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0004.sego
- 1-5. Athens. IG I suppl. p. 16, 51, vs. 43/44, suppl. W. Bannier, Ph. Woch.
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0005.sego
- 1-6. Athens. IG I 59, vs. 22/24, suppl. W. Bannier, Ph. Woch.
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0006.sego
- 1-7. Athens. IG I 226 III 22 non X¹ sed H¹
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0007.sego
- 1-8. Athens. Titulum dedicatorium in arce repertum et a Lolling—Wolters
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0008.sego
- 1-9. Athens (in Universitate Johns Hopkins in urbe Baltimore). Signatura artificis, c. a. 530.
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0009.sego
- 1-10. Athens. Signatura artificis, a. 520 — 475.
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0010.sego
- 1-11. Athens. Vas Atticum formae illius quae ἀνακός nuncupatur
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0011.sego
- 1-12. Athens. In vase Attico saec. V, sub numero 1241 a Collignon et Couve
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0012.sego
- 1-13. Athens. In dissertatione quae inscribitur „L'épistate des proèdres” G. Glotz, Rev. Et. Gr. XXXIV
urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.001-0013.sego

Top search bar

You can perform a full text search on all texts in SEG using the top search bar.

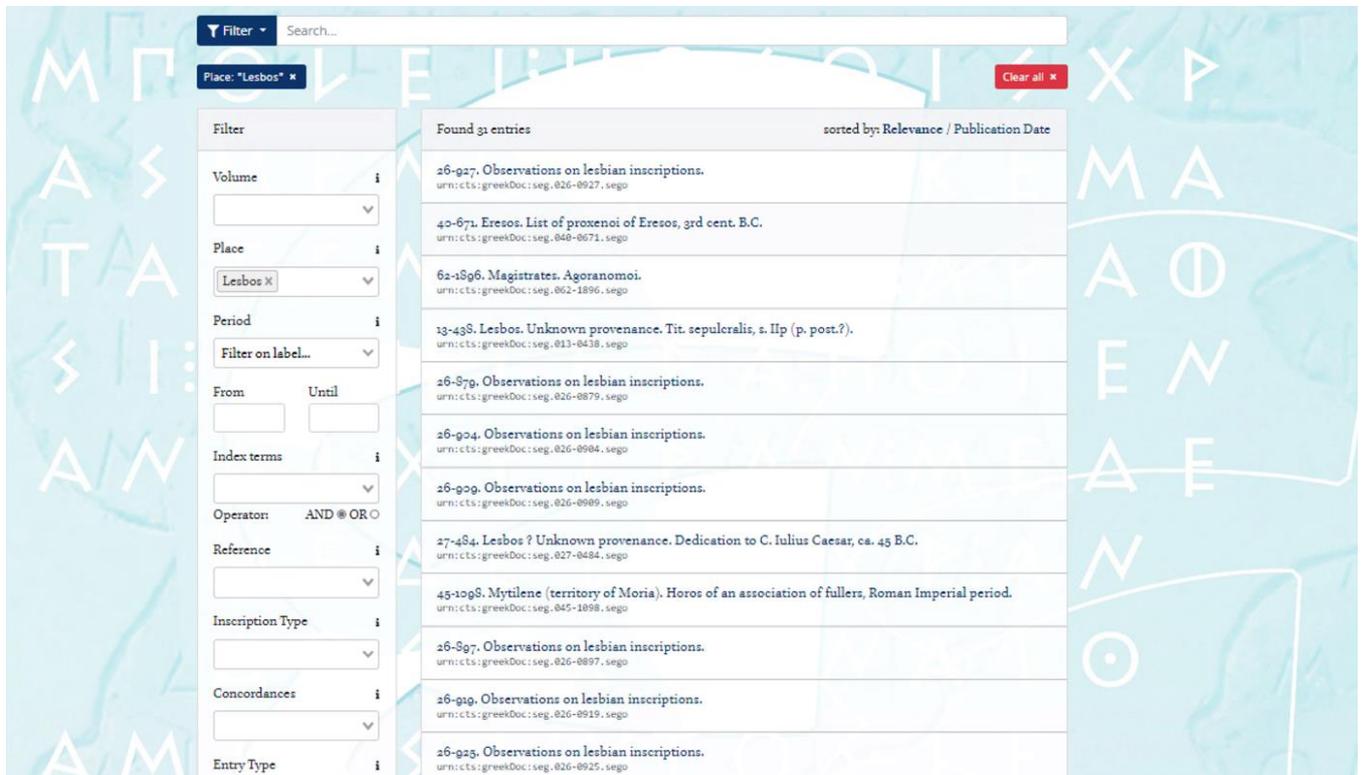
Please note:

- You can type in Greek words. Please change your keyboard to Greek to do so.
- Accents and diacritical signs are ignored and can be omitted.
- To search for IG numbers, please follow the format “IG II-3 670” to get the relevant results.

Filters

In addition to the full text search in the top search bar, you can refine your search by entering further search parameters in the list that appears on the left-hand side of the page when you click “Filter”.

For example, if you are searching for inscriptions found on the island of Lesbos, you can enter “Lesbos” in the field for Place:



The screenshot shows the SEG search interface. At the top, there is a search bar with a "Filter" button and a "Search..." input field. Below the search bar, a blue button indicates the current filter: "Place: 'Lesbos' x". A red "Clear all x" button is located in the top right corner. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column contains a "Filter" sidebar with various search criteria: Volume, Place (set to "Lesbos"), Period (with a "Filter on label..." dropdown), From and Until date fields, Index terms, Operator (set to "AND @ OR @"), Reference, Inscription Type, Concordances, and Entry Type. The right column displays a list of search results, starting with "Found 31 entries" and "sorted by: Relevance / Publication Date". The results list includes entries such as "26-927. Observations on lesbian inscriptions.", "40-671. Eresos. List of proxenoi of Eresos, 3rd cent. B.C.", "62-1896. Magistrates. Agoranomoi.", "13-438. Lesbos. Unknown provenance. Tit. sepulcralis, s. IIP (p. post?).", "26-970. Observations on lesbian inscriptions.", "26-904. Observations on lesbian inscriptions.", "26-909. Observations on lesbian inscriptions.", "27-484. Lesbos? Unknown provenance. Dedication to C. Julius Caesar, ca. 45 B.C.", "45-1098. Mytilene (territory of Moria). Horos of an association of fullers, Roman Imperial period.", "26-897. Observations on lesbian inscriptions.", "26-919. Observations on lesbian inscriptions.", and "26-925. Observations on lesbian inscriptions." Each entry includes a brief description and a URN.

This search will provide you with a list of entries. To clear your specified search parameters, simply click on the red “Clear all” button at the upper right.

Another user-friendly benefit of the new online SEG is the ability to perform combined searches. For instance, to find inscriptions on the topic of slavery in the Hellenistic period, you can fill in the fields of Period (Hellenistic) and Index term (slavery):

Filter Search...

Period: "Hellenistic" × Index terms: "slavery (Selected Topics)" × Clear all ×

Filter	Found 19 entries	sorted by: Relevance / Publication Date
Volume i <input type="text" value="Type to filter..."/>	37-559_c1. Kassandreia. The Roman colony. <small>urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.037-0559_c1.sego</small>	
Place i <input type="text" value="Type to filter..."/>	37-559_c5. Kassandreia. The Roman colony. <small>urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.037-0559_c5.sego</small>	
Period i <input style="border: 1px solid gray;" type="text" value="Hellenistic"/> ×	58-946. Samothrake. The mysteries of the Great Gods. <small>urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.058-0946.sego</small>	
From <input type="text" value="-300"/> Until <input type="text" value="500"/>	32-1254. Nikaia (area of). Corpus. <small>urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.032-1254.sego</small>	
Index terms i <input style="border: 1px solid gray;" type="text" value="slavery (Selected Topics)"/> ×	37-559. Kassandreia. The Roman colony. <small>urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.037-0559.sego</small>	
Operator: AND ● OR ○	51-833. Leukopetra. Religion: Dedications of slaves and free persons to Meter Theon Autochthon, 2nd-4th cent. A.D. <small>urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.051-0833.sego</small>	
Reference i <input type="text" value="Type to filter..."/>	54-1037. Aphrodisias. Dedication to Zeus Nineudios, ca. 1st cent. B. C. <small>urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.054-1037.sego</small>	
	60-1943. Institutions. Ἀστυνόμοι. <small>urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.060-1943.sego</small>	
	50-663. Byzantion. Corpus. <small>urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.050-0663.sego</small>	

For more detailed information per filter, and sample searches, please go to the [SEGO Product Page](#).

Reading an SEG-entry

Once you have clicked on an SEG entry to read, you will benefit from additional helpful features of the new Scholarly Editions platform, designed specifically to host text editions and source texts.

The side panes contain a number of useful tools. On the right-hand side, you can:

1. **export texts:** in plain text, xml, and source xml. If you want to preserve the print formatting of the text, you can also easily copy the text directly from the reader.
2. adjust the **text width and size.**
3. use the **morphology tool.** By putting the Text Mode on 'Highlight' you can click on a word, which then will appear in the box 'Highlight'. The morphology tool, which works for texts in Greek only, will display grammatical information.

Caveat: The morphology tool is trained on Classical texts. However, the Greek inscriptions in *Supplementum Epigraphicum Graecum Online* are often very different from Classical Greek. This may result in less or even no results.

Another option is to copy-paste the word and put it in the Highlight box and click 'enter'.

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More info

∨ CTS URN 🔗

urn:cts:greekDoc:seg.060-0459.sego:lem-ap

∨ EXPORT PASSAGE

text, xml or source.

∨ TEXT MODE

NORMAL HIGHLIGHT

normal selection of text for copying possible

∨ TEXT SIZE

Aα Aα Aα Aα Aα

∨ TEXT WIDTH

Narrow Normal Wide Full

∨ HIGHLIGHT

∨ MORPHOLOGY

In **HIGHLIGHT** text mode, select a word to get morphological analysis.

On the left-hand side, you can see your exact position within a text and you can also perform a text search.

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▼ ENTRY PART LIST

lem ed ap

▼ PASSAGE REFERENCE

lem-ap

▼ TEXT SEARCH

Use text input above to find text in this version.

Supplementum Epigraphicum Graecum, 60-459. Megalopolis (territory of). Epitaph of Aristodamos and Hierokleia, 4th-2nd cent. B.C.

Entry Part lem to Entry Part ap (lem-ap)

lem

Megalopolis (territory of). Epitaph of Aristodamos and Hierokleia, 4th-2nd cent. B.C.

Oblong marble stele found in the valley of modern Oresteio [erstwhile Κασιδοχώρι], NE of Megalopolis, now in the local archaeological collection, inv.no. 124. First mentioned as unpublished by A.Petronotis, *Η Μεγάλη Πύλη της Αρκαδίας* (Athens 1973) 237, and again by idem, *Platon* 26 (1974) 10 no. 53, 13 no. 152, whence the information printed in *LGPV* III.A. Ed.pr. (?) by S.Fritzilas, *art.cit.* (*SEG* 60 458) 112/113 (ph.). The earliest inscription, said to date to the late Classical period, was erased and is now hardly legible:

ed 1 [-----]

2 [[··?··]οξέναι]

3 [χαίρετε]

The rasura was subsequently filled in with two new names, of which the one in L. 2 is older:

1 Ἱερόκλεια

2 Ἀριστόδαμος

ap Fritzilas speculates that Aristodamos may be the same man as, or a relative of, Aristodamos of Phigaleia, tyrant of Megalopolis, according to Pausanias 8.27.11, who was assassinated in ca. 255-252 B.C. (Polybius 10.22.2).

If an entry presents an inscription, the inscription text is provided under the heading ‘edition’, including line numbers. The critical apparatus is marked separately. The entry, which is usually the commentary of the editors on a publication of an inscription, is described as a ‘lemma’.

On the left-side pane, under ‘Entry part list’, you can select one of those three parts of the entry: lemma, edition, or apparatus criticus.

The image shows a screenshot of a web interface with a left sidebar and a main content area. The sidebar contains three sections: 'ENTRY PART LIST', 'PASSAGE REFERENCE', and 'TEXT SEARCH'. In the 'ENTRY PART LIST' section, the text 'lem ed ap' is highlighted with a red circle. The 'PASSAGE REFERENCE' section has a text input field containing 'lem-ap'. The 'TEXT SEARCH' section has an empty text input field and a sub-instruction: 'Use text input above to find text in this version.' A mouse cursor is visible at the bottom right of the main content area.

In the box 'Text Search' you can search words within the entire entry.

For more information on how to make the most of the capabilities offered by the new SEG website, please visit the [Product page](#).