

FRIENDS OF THE PETRIE MUSEUM TRIP TO MADRID

28 May – 1 June 2020

Accompanied by PMF Chair Lucia Gahlin

Joined by Dr José R. Pérez-Accino, Professor of Egyptology and Ancient History at the Universidad Complutense, Madrid

This is our first Friends of the Petrie Museum trip to Madrid, and with the invaluable help and guidance of Cristina Pellejero (team member of the Western Thebes C2 Project: the Royal Cache Wadi Survey), we have planned a 4-night visit to the heart of this vibrant city. Its history and fascinating connections with Ancient Egypt will be brought to life for us by Dr José R. Pérez-Accino. José is a long-standing Friend of the Petrie Museum, and has been a wonderful teacher and friend to many of us over the years. José is Professor of Egyptology and Ancient History at the Universidad Complutense of Madrid, and Co-Director of the Western Thebes C2 Project: the Royal Cache Wadi Survey. He has very kindly offered to combine these roles in welcoming us to Madrid and talking to us about his work. This exciting trip will include visits led by José to the National Museum of Archaeology, and the Temple of Debod reconstructed in the heart of Madrid.

**Price of the trip: £1090 (for single-occupancy room)
£910 (for those sharing a twin or double room)**

To secure your place, please send us a deposit of **£225** (non-returnable unless the trip is cancelled due to circumstances beyond our control) & the booking form on reverse.

Day 1: Morning flight from London Heathrow to Madrid. Check in to centrally located 4* Hotel Agumar on B & B basis (*or hotel of similar standard*).

Afternoon walking tour of Madrid city centre with José R. Pérez-Accino, an opportunity to experience the heart of this vibrant city with a local, but also to chat informally with José, perhaps about his work at Herakleopolis Magna or Western Thebes.

Welcome Group Dinner at a traditional Spanish restaurant.

Day 2: Morning visit to the National Museum of Archaeology with José to explore Madrid's Egyptian and Iberian Archaeology collections. Welcome address by Dr Carmen Perez Die, Curator of Egyptian Antiquities here, and Director of Excavations at Herakleopolis Magna. Afternoon lecture by José on his current work in Egypt.

Day 3: Morning visit to the Temple of Debod with José.

Afternoon visit to Madrid's Royal Palace.

Day 4: A free day to enjoy independent visits, perhaps to the Prado Museum, Reina Sofia Museum, or Thyssen-Bornemisza Museum, or perhaps a day trip to Toledo. Cost of any visits this day not included. Guidance for planning your day will be available.

Day 5: Morning at leisure. Afternoon flight from Madrid to London Heathrow.

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I would like to secure places on the **PMF MADRID TRIP, 28 May – 1 June 2020.**

Single ... Twin ... Double ...

I will be sharing a room with

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I would like to share a room if the opportunity arises

I enclose a cheque for made payable to Friends of the Petrie Museum.

Title(s) & Name(s) (as in passport)

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Name(s) you like to be known by (if different from above)

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Please indicate if you have any dietary requirements for the flights and Welcome Dinner

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Please indicate if you have any health problems of which we should be aware

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The price of this trip includes:

flights from London Heathrow to Madrid in economy class; airport transfers and public transport to group visits; hotel accommodation with breakfasts; entrance to all group visits mentioned in the itinerary and any talks and guided tours; a group Welcome Dinner; donation to the Petrie Museum.

The price of this trip DOES NOT

include: Travel insurance, meals & drinks other than those mentioned in the itinerary; any additional public transport or taxis you decide to take rather than walking with the group.

All travellers must be covered by their own travel insurance. Passengers must not travel against medical advice.

Please send this completed booking form, together with a non-returnable (unless the trip is cancelled due to circumstances beyond our control) deposit of **£225** per person, made payable to **Friends of the Petrie Museum** to Lucia Gahlin at Petrie Museum of Egyptian Archaeology, UCL, Malet Place, London WC1E 6BT.

Payment by bank transfer is possible. For details contact Lucia: lucia@gahlin.org

Full payment of the balance will become due by 28 March 2020.

Please direct any enquiries to:

Lucia Gahlin: lucia@gahlin.org or phone 07590 106944

Please note that we plan to walk as much as possible in Madrid (within reason!).

We reserve the right to change or alter the itinerary or hotel to a similar grade, if circumstances beyond our control dictate.