

Einladung zu einem Gastvortrag

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Swedish travelers in Greece during the 18th century

In the 18th century Swedish travelers visited Greece with different purposes: to seek religious and non-religious manuscripts, to see the relics from an ancient age, to examine plants and herbs, to draw up financial reports on the area. These travelers were well educated and all of them had also studied Greek and Latin, besides their specific academic subjects. Their travel accounts are some of the first descriptions of the Greek-speaking communities, since until then the country had been regarded solely as a remnant of an ancient time and not as a constantly developing society where different civilizations intersected.

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