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**To all associations affiliated to the
International Federation of Associations
of Classical Studies (FIEC)**

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FIEC Congress 2028 – call for candidacies

Ladies and Gentlemen,
Dear colleagues,

As you know, the XVIth International Congress of the FIEC was held with great success (but entirely online due to the sanitary circumstances) in Mexico City in August 2022. On that occasion, the organisation of the XVIIth Congress by the Polish Philological Association at the University of Wrocław, from 7 to 11 July 2025, was approved by the Assembly of Delegates and communicated to all member associations.

It is now time to think about the organisation of the XVIIIth FIEC Congress which, according to our statutes, will be held in 2028. Therefore, the FIEC Board would like to launch a call for candidacies from its member associations. Would you be so kind as to forward this call to the members of your association? Any association or institution interested in organising the FIEC International Congress in 2028 is kindly asked to contact the undersigned, Secretary General of the FIEC.

The organisation and financing of the Congress is the responsibility of the local organisers, but the FIEC Board offers logistical collaboration and a modest contribution to the costs of organising the Congress.

On the FIEC website you will find a list of all congresses held so far:

<https://www.fiecnet.org/congresses>

We would be grateful if you could circulate this call for candidacies among your members and we look forward to receiving your proposals, which should be sent **by 31 March 2024** to the Secretary General at thomas.schmidt@unifr.ch

With kindest regards,

Thomas Schmidt
FIEC Secretary General