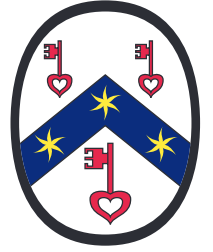


# Research Group on Manuscript Evidence

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## *Who are we?*

We're a group of individuals: scholars, academics, students, and others, devoted to the study, analysis, interpretation, and wonders of the evidence of manuscripts and related materials of many periods, their origins, provenance, history, and legacy.

We started out as a small scholarly society based in England at Corpus Christi College in the University of Cambridge, from where we originated various seminars, workshops, and conference sessions on various topics, before moving our principal base to the United States in 1994 and incorporating the RGME in 1999. With the move, our interests, subjects, and research have widened, to embrace many periods and forms of material evidence, but we have continued to hold events in England on occasion.

We have always maintained our independence, without permanent affiliation to any specific institution. This position allows us to encourage a wide range of participants, covering many disciplines, interests, and perspectives. We have our own multi-lingual digital font **Bembino** to support a growing suite of languages (Western and beyond), in response to requests. (The newest request brings Elvish to **Bembino**.) You can learn about what we do and join our activities from the links given below.

2024 is an Anniversary Year, celebrating 25 years as a nonprofit educational organization and 35 years as an international scholarly society. Besides other events such as a series of Symposia, this year we hold an **Inaugural Session** at the **International Medieval Congress** at the University of Leeds. Welcome!

## *Forthcoming Events*

2024 Autumn Symposium "At the Helm: Spotlight on Special Collections as Teaching Events"  
25-26 October (online)

<https://manuscriptevidence.org/wpme/2024-autumn-symposium-at-the-helm/>

Episodes of "The Research Group Speaks" (21 September, 14 December, online)

<https://manuscriptevidence.org/wpme/the-research-group-speaks-the-series/>

Registration Portal for our events: RGME Eventbrite Collections

<https://www.eventbrite.com/o/research-group-on-manuscript-evidence-54727558903>

## *Website and Social Media*

Official Website: <https://manuscriptevidence.org/wpme/>

Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/Research-Group-on-Manuscript-Evidence-259443617456668/>

Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/rgmemss>

Twitter Feed: (@rgme\_mss)

Bluesky Nest: @rgmesocial.bluesky.social

LinkedIn Group: <https://www.linkedin.com/groups/8181489/>

Blog on *Manuscript Studies*: <https://manuscriptevidence.org/wpme/manuscript-studies/>

— See its growing Contents List:

<https://manuscriptevidence.org/wpme/manuscript-studies-contents-list>

Volunteer to be a GuestBlogger!

*Publications:*

<https://manuscriptevidence.org/wpme/profile/publications/>

# Newsletter Shelf Marks

<https://manuscriptevidence.org/wpme/shelflife/shelfmarks-newsletter/>

## Font Bembino

Meet our multi-lingual font **Bembino**, free to download for commercial or scholarly use alike:

<https://manuscriptevidence.org/wpme/bembino/>

## Join our Activities!

Become a Member (no charge) of the Friends of the Research Group on Manuscript Evidence!

<https://manuscriptevidence.org/wpme/friends-of-the-research-group-on-manuscript-evidence/>

It is easy to contribute to our Mission:

Donations in funds and Contributions in kind (including pro-bono help) are welcome and easy to give:

<https://manuscriptevidence.org/wpme/contributions-and-donations>

<https://manuscriptevidence.org/wpme/2024-anniversary-appeal>

Our organization is powered mainly by volunteers, so that we have low overheads and your contributions go farther to sustain our work. We welcome your help and thank you for your support!

## Questions or suggestions?

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We look forward to welcoming you at our events!



Image: Oslo, Christiana Kathedralskoles Bibliothek, Schøyen MS 223, fols. 114v–115r.

Fragment of 122 leaves from Otto Ege MS 14, a dispersed large-format Vulgate Bible under continuing study by the RGME.

Here opened to parts of the Epistles to Philemon and to the Hebrews.

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