

CONTENTS

Preface of the Series Editors.....	7
Preface of the Volume Editors	9
List of Figures.....	11

1. Richard Wenghofer and Altay Coşkun

Introduction: The Dialectics of Seleukid Ideology	13
---	----

SECTION I: FORMATION OF SELEUKID DYNASTIC IDEOLOGY

2. Kyle Erickson

Royal Propaganda and the Creation of Royal Status for Seleukos I	33
--	----

3. Eva Anagnostou-Laoutides

The King-Ship of the Seleukids: An Alternative Paradigm for the Anchor Symbol	61
--	----

4. Altay Coşkun

The First Seleukid Benefactions in Miletos and the Creation of a Dynastic Ideology	93
---	----

SECTION II: ENACTING SELEUKID KINGSHIP

5. Babett Edelmann-Singer

Material Culture, Ritual Performance, and Seleukid Rule: Antiochos IV and the Procession at Daphne in 166 BCE.....	115
---	-----

6. Stephen Harrison

Antiochos at Daphne and Xerxes at Sardeis: A Comparative Perspective on the Seleukid Vision of Empire	135
--	-----

7. Rolf Strootman

Ritual Mutilation and the Construction of Treason: The Execution of Molon and Achaïos by Antiochos III	159
---	-----

8. Benjamin E. Scolnic

Second-Hand Propaganda: Polybios and Zeno on the Role of Antiochos IV at the Battle of Panion.....	177
---	-----

SECTION III: RESISTING SELEUKID ROYAL AUTHORITY

<i>9. Deirdre Klokow</i> Connectivity and Rural Spaces in the Seleukid Empire	201
<i>10. Gillian Ramsey</i> Rebel Poleis: The Politics of Anti-Seleukid Violence	219

SECTION IV: REFRAMING SELEUKID IDEOLOGY

<i>11. Germain Payen</i> Le royaume artaxiade dans l'Empire séleucide: de dominé à dominant	237
<i>12. Benjamin E. Scolnic</i> Šar Wars – How a Judaeon Author in the 160's BCE Transformed a Ptolemaic View of Hellenistic History into a Theology for His Time.....	261
<i>13. Eran Almagor</i> “To All Parts of the Kingdom”: The Book of Esther as a Seleukid Text.....	283

SECTION V: RE-ASSESSING SELEUKID IDEOLOGY

<i>14. Richard Wenghofer</i> Diplomatic Resistance to Seleukid Hegemony	319
<i>15. Altay Coşkun</i> The Efficacy of Ideological Discourse: Loyalty to the Seleukid Dynasty in Babylonia, Judaea, and Asia Minor.....	343
About the Authors	367
Index of Names.....	371
Index of Sources	381