

The Consell de Formentera cultural heritage department reports that the Joan Marí Cardona Local Study Days (*Jornades d'Estudis Locals*) will take shape next week from Monday to Friday. The 8.15pm-nightly talks will be held next to the hospital in the conference room of the Centre de Dia.

Department chief Raquel Guasch described the gatherings as "multidisciplinary events with hard-hitting, exhaustive analysis useful to our own government in terms of documenting local history".

The programme is as follows:

-Monday, 8: *Monedes sense gent? Les fulus i els dirhams andalusins primerencs a Formentera [s.VIII-X]* (Coins without people? Early Andalusian fulus and dirham on Formentera [8th to 10th century]) . Félix

Retamero Serralvo, a historian and professor of sciences of the Antiquity and the Middle Ages at the Autonomous University of Barcelona, will lead the talk. Retamero collaborated on the Encyclopaedia of Eivissa and Formentera, and is not only director of the Spanish Numismatic Association (AEN), but also contributes to their review Gaceta Numismática.

- -Tuesday, 8: *Henri Quillé. Recerca sobre l'hàbitat a Formentera* (Henri Quillé: Researching habitat on Formentera)
- . Led by Guillem Aloy Bibiloni, a doctor of theory and history of architecture at the Higher Technical School of Architecture in Barcelona and winner of the City of Palma's architecture award.
- -Wednesday, 9: Sa Senieta. Una història sota la calç dels seus murs (Sa Senieta: history beneath the lime of its walls)
- . With archaeologist Sergio Moreno Torres, additionally a collaborator on documenting mass graves in the Pine Islands.

-Thursday, 11: *L'Enciclopèdia d'Eivissa i Formentera. Una obra de dos pobles.* (The Encyclopaedia of Eivissa and Formentera: A work spanning two peoples). With Felip Cirer Costa, professor of Catalan language and literature and director of the Encyclopaedia of Eivissa and Formentera.

-Friday, 11: La necròpolis de sa Tanca Vella. Un exemple de la població de Formentera dels segles IV-V dC (Sa Tanca Vella burial ground: A glimpse at the people of fourth to fifth century A.D. Formentera) . With Maria Eulalia Subirà de Galdàcano, a doctor of human biology and associated professor at the Biological Anthropology Unit at the Autonomous University of Barcelona.

As in years past, the CEP will be including the lecture series in its offering of lifelong learning for professional educators, and both the Consell de Formentera and the Govern de les Illes Balears will recognise credits earned from the courses.

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