

ASPECTE PRIVIND RELAȚIILE DINTRE PROVINCIIILE DACIA ȘI MOESIA SUPERIOR PRIN PRISMA EVIDENȚELOR EPIGRAFICE

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Abstract: Our approach intends to underline possible relationships between the Roman provinces Dacia and Upper Moesia expressed directly in epigraphic material. We tried to identify those inscriptions that mentioned names of localities, either as places of origin or activity for certain individuals. A secondary objective was to establish whether we could speak about a population “exchange” between the two provinces. From an epigraphical point of view only individuals (civilians) and families from Upper Moesia came to Dacia. Decurions or soldiers came from both provinces. Most inscriptions found in Dacia are connected to the towns of Ulpia Traiana Sarmizegetusa and Potaissa and are dated the middle – the end of the IInd century AD. Thus they could be connected either to the reign of the emperor Marcus Aurelius, or with the Marcomanic wars. Few are the epigraphical attested situations of “migrations” outside these events.