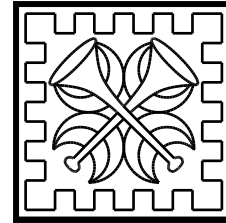# Caid College of Heralds

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Minutes of the January 30, 2011 College of Heralds Meeting

Meeting commenced at 11:00 AM.

In attendance were: Su *Crescent*, Illuminada *Dolphin*, Hrorek *Chevron*, Stephania Aurum, Thomas *Quatrefoil*, Moirin Chiardhubh ni Bhardain, Martin FitzJames, Jeanne Marie *Noir Licorne,* Ursula *Green Staff*, Cormac *Seraph,* Damien *Sable Fret,* Avice *Coral,* Eirikr *Gold Phoenix,* Magdi Al Sahid, Ciothruadh, Hrorek *Chevron,* Eowyn Amberdrake, Mary Dedwydd verch Gwaltr, Fearghus

Upcoming meetings are: February 27, March 20, April 9 (Roadshow at Collegium), and May 15.

Unless otherwise noted, all submitters will accept the creation of a holding name, if appropriate. Approved submissions will be forwarded on the February 27, 2011 Letter of Intent.

A'isha bint Shamir ~ New name.
The submitter desires a feminine name.
A'isha is a feminine name found in Juliana de Luna's "Andalusian Names: Arabs in Spain,"
http://heraldry.sca.org/laurel/names/andalusia.html
Shamir is a masculine name found in Juliana de Luna's "Andalusian Names: Arabs in Spain,"
http://heraldry.sca.org/laurel/names/andalusia.html.
bint is the patronymic designator for "daughter of."
Starkhafn
Returned – no payment or forms received. Name was checked for conflict, will be considered at the February meeting.

A'isha bint Shamir ~ New Device. *Sable, an annulet suspended by three chains in pall Or*.
Starkhafn
Returned – no payment or forms received.

Caitil{i'}n Bhallach ~ New Name.
The submitter desires a feminine name, cares most about the (unspecified) language/culture, and will accept minor but not major changes.
Caitil{i'}n appears as a feminine given name in "Index of Names in Irish Annals" by Mari Elspeth nic Bryan, at (http://www.medievalscotland.org/kmo/AnnalsIndex/) s.n. Caitil{i'}n. This is the standard Early Modern Irish Gaelic spelling, and 10 women by this name are found in the annals in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries.
Bhallach is a woman's byname meaning "the freckled". It is found once in the Annals (see the Feminine Descriptive Bynames section of Mari's article).
Heatherwyne
Name approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Caterina di Cellini ~ Appeal for reconsideration L Name.
The submitter desires a feminine name and will not accept any changes.
The submitter's previous submission, Caterina di Cellini, was returned on the 04/05 LoAR:
> Submitted as *Caterina di Cellini*, in Italian, patronymic bynames appear in the nominative form when accompanied by a preposition. Therefore, we have changed the name to *Caterina di Cellino* to correct the grammar.

The submitter has provided additional documentation, which the submitter asserts shows an alternative naming practice of forming a patronymic based on a byname and cites Rossi, Medici, and Di Zirondi. The submitter asserts that in 15th Century Italian Men's Names at http://heraldry.sca.org/laurel/names/italian15m.html, Talen Gwynek suggests "*Zirondi* should be from *Gironde*, the name of a French province." The complete statement in the

reference is: "Zirondi is probably a form of Girondi. … (and in the next paragraph) the name di Zirondi is more difficult to interpret. In this dialect Zirondi should be from Gironde, the name of a French province. It appears that either di is being used here with locative sense, or this is a patronymic based on a byname."

By precedent:
> Submitted as *Allegranza Maria de Rossi*, the byname *de Rossi* is not grammatically correct. If this is intended to be a patronymic derived from the name *Rosso*, the correct forms are either *di Rosso*, *Rossi*. The submitter indicated that, if *de Rossi* was not acceptable, she would accept *del Rosso*, which is a common name in the 1427 Catasto of Florence. We have made this change. (Allegranza Maria del Rosso, 10/05)

Lyondemere
Forwarded to Laurel without the support of the Caidan College of Heralds. The appeal makes assertions that are not supported by the documentary evidence provided.

Colette de Fournier ~ New Name.
The submitter will accept all changes and indicates no preferences.
Submitted as Colette De Fournier, the locative marker has been changed from De to de in accordance with standard practice.
Colette is found as a feminine given name in "French Names from Paris, 1421, 1423, & 1438" by Aryanhwy merch Catmael at http://heraldry.sca.org/names/french/paris1423.html which cites 3 instances.
Fournier is found as a surname meaning "person of the oven" (a play on the submitter's profession) in "French Names from Paris, 1421, 1423, & 1438" by Aryanhwy merch Catmael at http://heraldry.sca.org/names/french/paris1423.html which cites 5 instances.
Aural and visual conflict with Colecte La Fourniere (11/08, Ansteorra).
Wintermist
Name returned for conflict.

Colette de Fournier ~ New Device. *Or, a chevron between two ravens displayed heads to center and a fox rampant guardant.*
The use of bird, other than an eagle, displayed is a step from period practice.
This is clear of *Or, a chevron between three birds close sable* (Freydís in tryggva Sigurðardóttir, device, Feb. 2001), with a CD for the change of posture of the top two birds and a CD for half the charges (bottommost raven to fox) X.4.h and X.4.e.
Wintermist
Device returned for lack of name.

Dananir al-Attarah ~ Resub K Household Name. **Copperhill Inn**.
The submitter's name was registered 01/06.
Submitter allows all changes and cares most about the sound, "copper hill."
> The previous submission, "Village of Copperhill," was returned by *Crescent* in November 2010, for presumption:
>> Precedent states: [Household name *Pähkinäsaari, Village of*] Additionally, there was considerable discussion whether Village was appropriate as a household designator. The overwhelming consensus was that Village was not an appropriate designator for a household name and, that, if Village should ever be allowed as a designator, that it should be used as an alternate of some level of branch designator. We are, therefore, disallowing use of Village as a designator for a household name. [Petrus Curonus, 03/2004, R-Drachenwald] This submission is returned for the same reason. Household name returned for presumption.

This resubmission addresses the reason for the previous return by changing the designator from 'Village' to 'Inn.'
Copper is a header in R&W, both on its own (p. 109) and as a variant spelling of Cooper (p.108). Both have this spelling dated to period with la Copper 1275 and John Copper 1424. Hill is a header spelling in R&W, p. 231, dated in various spellings from 1191. *Goldhill* is a header spelling in R&W p. 196, dated 1391 "Goldhulle." listed as a locative byname for Gold Hill. There are other, similar surnames with the suffix -hill and an occupational prefix. We feel it is a reasonable assertion that the name "Copperhill" is plausible as both a place-name and locative byname, either as "copper hill" or "cooper's hill." Mari's "English Sign Names" article
> The Compact Edition OED (s.v. copper, p 544) indicates that the first citation of copper is 1000: "*Sax. Leechd. III* where it is spelled copore. Meaning copper money, the submitted spelling is dated to 1588: Shaks, L L L IV, iii, 386 – "if so, our copper buys no better treasure." Meaning a cup-bearer, this spelling dates to 1501: Douglas, *Pal. Hon.* III, lviii- "Mercie is copper and mixes well his wine."

Ekwall p. 355, s.n. Ox**hill** dates this place name in various spellings in the 12th C; p. 279 (s.n. Rain*hill*) dates *Reynhull –hill* to 1246.

(http://www.medievalscotland.org/kmo/inn/) gives (byname)+**inn**/tavern as a plausible construction, citing "Mitford Tavern," dated 1485 with the note: "it is possible Mitford refers to a location instead of a byname." We feel that the constructed name meets both of these patterns, making "Copperhill Inn" a plausible inn name.
Dreiburgen
Name approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Davi d'Orleans ~ New Device Change. *Azure, a sword inverted Or winged at the blade argent and in chief two fleurs-de-lis Or.*
Name was registered 04/02.
His current device (reg. July 2003), *Azure, a sword inverted winged at the blade argent and in chief two fleurs-de-lis Or,* is to be retained as a badge.
Device Change approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Diego Antonio de Palma ~ New Name Change.
The submitter's registered name Diego Antonio de Vega y Palma, registered 07/07, is to be released.
The submitter desires a masculine name and will accept no changes.
All elements of the name are grandfathered to the submitter. This submission deletes one element.
Angels
Name approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Diego Antonio de Palma ~ New Device. *Per chevron gules and argent, three trefoils in base, one and two sable, and a chief ermine.*
Angels
Because a chief abuts the top of the field, instead of covering whatever occupied the upper third of it, the per chevron needs to be a little lower than if there were no chief. The college felt that this per chevron was acceptable in light of the presence of the chief.
Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Elinor Asheycombe ~ New Name.
The submitter desires a feminine name, will accept minor but not major changes, cares most about the language/culture: English early Tudor.
Starkhafn
Returned – no money or forms received.

Elinor Asheycombe ~ New Device. *Purpure, a chevron checky argent and azure and in base a wolf's head couped ululant argent.*
Starkhafn
Returned – no money or forms received.

Elisabeth Goodchilde ~ New Badge. *(Fieldless) On an annulet Or six roundels gules.*
Name was registered 03/01.
The submitter is advised to center the hole of the annulet and make it larger than the roundels on the annulet. This is reminiscent of but clear of Medici, Grand Dukes of Tuscany (important non-SCA arms), *Or, in annulo six torteaux.* It does however conflict with *(Fieldless) An annulet Or pellety* (the Barony of Windmasters' Hill, badge, 11/07).
Heatherwyne
Badge returned for conflict.

Éowyn Amberdrake ~ New Badge: *(Fieldless) A book dragon passant, wings elevated and addorsed, Or.*
Conflict with *Per chevron gules and sable, in base a dragon passant Or* (Alex the Scribe, device, Sept. 2002).
Lyondemere
Badge returned for conflict.

Gottfried von Cochem ~ New Name.
The submitter desires a masculine name, will accept all changes, and cares most about the language/culture: 12th - 13th C German.

Gottfried is a header in Bahlow, p. 183, noted as "one of the most popular Christian names of the Middle Ages."
Cochem is a place-name that isn't in Bahlow. Cochem is found on p. 90 and 116 of <u>Atlas Maior</u> by Joan Blaeu spelled Cocheim.
From the official site for the Castle http://www.burg-cochem.de/english/history.htm: The castle was first mentioned in a document in 1051 when Richeza, Ezzo's oldest daughter and former Queen of Poland, gave the castle to her nephew, Palatine Count Henry I. Even when Ezzo's family ceased to be palatinate counts, Cochem remained connected to the title of the palatinate counts. Years later, in 1151, king Konrad III put an end to a dispute concerning the succession by occupying the castle with troupes.
Starkhafn
Returned – no money or forms received.

Gottfried von Cochem ~ New Device. *Sable, an arm armored and gauntleted embowed issuant from a cloud sininster bearing a sword fractured argent between three mullets Or.*
Starkhafn
Returned – no money or forms received.

Gyldenholt, Barony of ~ New Badge. *Or, a cauldron sable and a bordure azure.*
The submitters name was registered 01/80.
This badge is intended for the Upper Crust Guild.
The form indicates that the name is submitted with this submission, but the form was not presented.
Precedent:
> Conflict with the badge for the House of the Blackened Pot (Jana Aoibeall), *Or, a cauldron suspended from a tripod sable*. The tripod is not significant enough to contribute difference. (03/2000)

Therefore this conflicts with *Or, a cauldron suspended from a tripod sable (Jana Aoibeall, badge, Nov. 1989, Caid).*
There is a single CD for the addition of the bordure.
Gyldenholt
Badge returned for conflict.

Ian the Red ~ New Name.
The submitter desires a masculine name, allows all changes, and cares most about the meaning (unspecified) and sound, like Ian.
The 12/2009 LoAR in accepting Ian the Grene, cites an IGI Parish Record extracts which lists Ian as an English name shortly post period:
> Ian Moore mar. Margret Hewsonn 27th November 1608 Leconfield, Yorkshire and
> Ian Sharp baptised 23rd March 1614 Kidlington, Oxfordshire

Since it is likely that Ian Moore was more than 9 years old when he was married, the first grey-period citation supports Ian as a registerable English name. It was almost certainly pronounced /YAN/, not /EE-ahn/, as it is modernly.
The Middle English Dictionary s.v. <r{e-}d> (adj.), 6a has the following examples of forms of <Red> as a surname:
> <Red>, 1176
> <red>, c. 1200
> <le Rede>, 1220
> <þe rede>, 1397
> <le Rede>, 1374

The OED online s.v. <the>, adj., pron.2, and n.2 notes that the spelling <the> appears in Middle English.
Based on these examples, we believe <the Red> is a plausible variant spelling of the byname.
Angels
Name accepted and forwarded to Laurel.

Ian the Red ~ New Device. *Sable, a pale gules fimbriated Or overall a natural tiger's face argent marked sable between three triquetra Or.*
The submitter is advised to draw the fimbriation wider.
A more lengthy but possibly more clear blazon might be: *Sable, on a pale gules fimbriated between in chief two triquetrae and in base a triquetra Or, overall a natural tiger's face argent marked sable.*
Angels
Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Jamie Muir ~ New Device. *Or, a thistle purpure and on a chief azure three mullets of six points argent.*
The submitter's name was registered 07/05.

Gyldenholt
Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Jimena Montoya ~ New Badge. *Gules, a demi-maiden in her modesty and on a chief embattled argent three mullets of eight points gules.*
The submitter's name was registered 01/04.
(note: the submitter completed a device form, as she intended this to be her "alternate device." As alternate devices are not allowed, I received permission from the submitter to cut and paste the art and information into a badge form)
The submitter is advised to draw the embattlements deeper.
Isles
Badge approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Konstantin Ulfson ~ New Name.
The submitter desires a masculine name, will accept minor but not major changes, and cares most about the spelling.
Starkhafn
Returned – no money or forms received.

Konstantin Ulfson ~ New Device. *Argent, two sea phoenix addorsed and a base engrailed (sable).*
Starkhafn
Returned – no money or forms received.

Lot Ramirez. New Badge: *Per chevron inverted azure and sable, in chief and in pale a rapier fesswise and a mullet of six points elongated to base argent.*
Submitter's name was registered 08/03.
The submitter has *a mullet of six points elongated to base* on his device (*Per chevron rayonny argent and azure, two crescents and a mullet of six points elongated to base counterchanged*), registered August 2003.
Lyondemere
Badge approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Magnus bj{o,}rnkarl ~ New Name.
The submitter desires a masculine name, cares most about the meaning (unspecified), and will accept only minor changes.
Magnus is found as a masculine given name glossed as "Great" in Geirr Bassi, p. .13.
Bj{o,}rnkarl is a byname which means "bear-hunter" found in Nordiskt runnamnslexikon according to Viking Answer Lady's site: http://www.vikinganswerlady.com/ONMensNames.shtml Bj{o,}rnkarl is also found in Scandanavian Personal names in Lincolnshire and Yorkshire, by Fellows-Jensen, Gillian, Copenhagen 1968, p. 55 which suggest that is is "Either an Anglo-Scand short form *Berkil of an orig by.n. By{o,}rnkarl "bear-hunter" (PNYE 109) or a compound name, first el. Bj{o,}rn-, second el. –ketill. Bj{o,}rnkarl is recorded in Jämtland (Lind 146; Nord.Kult.VII66)."
Darach
The name is approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Magnus bj{o,}rnkarl ~ New Device: *Gyronny sable and gules, a theow rampant argent*.
As drawn, the depiction of the theow is identical to the depiction of the theow found in A New Dictionary of Heraldry edited by Stephen Friar on page 342.
From Sept. 2007 (s. Erik de Tyr), "we grant no heraldic difference between a theow and a wolf" therefore this conflicts with *Gules, ermined argent, a wolf rampant argent* (Johnathan Crusadene Whitewolf, device, registered at some point, whose name was registered 08/86). Other conflicts may exist. In addition, the RfS (VIII.2.b.iv) require that armory divided into more than four pieces use a metal and a color.
Darach
Device returned for conflict and lack of contrast.

Rhys Ravenscroft ~ New Alternate Name. Richard Studley.
Submitter's name was registered 03/01.
Submitter desires a masculine name and will accept minor but not major changes. Submitter will not allow the creation of a holding name.
Richard is found in "Late 16th Century English Names" by Talan Gwynek at http://heraldry.sca.org/laurel/names/eng16/eng16mfreq.html. Richard is the fourth most popular name, composing 8.9% of given names.

Studley appears as the surname of an author "John *Studley*." See the attached title page to his 1566 Translation of "Mecka." Also see "Peter *Studley*" on the title page of "The Looking Glass," c.1635. *Studley* is also found in "Surnames in 15th Century York," by Karen Larsdotter. http://heraldry.sca.org/laurel/names/york15/surnames-alphabetical.htm. *Studley* is also found in R&W p, 432 (s.n. *Studley*) which cites Henry *Studley* dated 1373.
Isles
Name approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Serenity of the Isles ~ New Name
The submitter desires a feminine name and allows no changes.
Serenity is the submitter's given name as attested by Crescent and Dolphin.
the Isles is an SCA branch-name, registered August 1979. Submitter resides in the Shire of the Isles.
Isles
Name is approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Serenity of the Isles ~ New Device *Per chevron argent and azure, two domestic cats combattant and Joan of Arc statant affronty counterchanged.*
Device was returned for redraw. The chevron needs to be drawn with the point of the per chevron higher on the field and with an angle less than 90°. The feet are in trian aspect and the figure is neither affront or to dexter. The central figure should be facing fully forward or fully sideways though its feet could be in a "V" formation. The cats should be drawn larger as befits primary charges. Several suggestions were made since the submitter specifically wants Joan of Arc: less detail on the armor would allow for the figure to be more clearly female, changing or removing the sword might also facilitate the identification of the figure as feminine, and more detail on the face and hair might help with identifying the figure as female. The submitter is also advised to clarify what makes the figure Joan of Arc, as opposed to an armored female human.
Due to the multiple artistic problems, a complete conflict check was not done
Isles
Device returned for redraw.

Speranza de Rauvenna ~ New Device Change. *Azure, on a chevron inverted between two griffins passant Or three mullets sable.*
Name registered 11/10 with device *Per bend sinister argent and sable, a bend sinister vert between a mullet azure and a griffin passant Or.*
Previously registered device to become badge if this is registered.
The submitter is advised that the lines of the chevron should be steeper and parallel.
Calafia
Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Thorbjorn Hrafna Ulfsson ~ Resub L Name Change.
The submitter desires a masculine name and allows all changes. No other preferences were indicated.
The name was submitted as Thorbjorn <u>Ulfhrafn</u> Ulfsson. The CoH was unable to document Ulfhrafn, so the name was changed to Hrafna, which the submitter explicitly allowed.
The submitter's name Thórbjörn Assa was registered 01/92. This name should be retained as an alternate name.
> Returned 07/04 LOAR ~ **Thórbjörn Úlfsson**. Name change from Thórbjörn Assa.
>> Aural conflict with the registered name **Thorbjorn Olafsson**, registered December 1987. The given names are identical. In June 2001, the name Astrid Olafsdatter was ruled an aural conflict with Astrith Ulfsdottir. Therefore, Olafsson and Ulfsson are also an aural conflict.

Thorbjorn is found in Gierr Bassi p.16 as a compound given name (Thor + bjorn)
Hrafna, is found as a descriptive byname glossed as 'raven' in Gierr Bassi p. 23.
Ulfsson, son of Ulfr, a masculine given name found in Gierr Bassi p. 15. This patronymic is formed according to the pattern Grimr to Grimsson on p.17
Wintermist
Name approved as changed and forwarded to Laurel.

Tiberius Claudius Bibulus ~ Resub L. Device. *Per chevron gules and argent, three mullets in chevron and on a point pointed argent an increscent gules.*
Name registered 11/10.
His previous submission, with the identical blazon was returned on the 11/10 LoAR:
> This device is returned for blurring the distinction between per chevron and a point pointed. Society standards for per chevron require the point of the line to rise above a notional per fess line of division,

which this submission very nearly does. A properly drawn per chevron line of division would reach nearly to the top of the field. A properly drawn point pointed would not appear to be the lower quarter of a per saltire field.

This is a redraw with the point pointed is more clearly drawn.

Nordwache

Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Tristan the English ~ New Name

The submitter desires a masculine name and will accept no changes.

Tristan de Luna y Arellano is cited by the submitter as a Spaniard born in Borobia, Spain in 1559.

Tristán is found in "Spanish Names from the late 15th Century" by Julia Smith at www.s-gabriel.org/names/juliana/isabella/mensgivenalpha.html where it is cited as occurring twice.

the English is documented as meaning from England. *English* is found in R&W, p. 156 (s.n. English), dates Adam *le Englis* to 1194-1211 and John (le) *Englisshe* to 1317.

The combination of English and Spanish is a SFPP per precedent (Andrew Quintero, 09/99).

Gyldenholdt

Name approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Tristan the English ~ New Device: *Gules, an open book argent surmounted by a sword inverted Or between three lozenges argent within a bordure sable.*

RfS VIII.2.b.i requires that charges have good contrast with the field. The sable bordure lacks contrast with the gules field.

Device returned for lack of contrast.

Ulricus de Kynton ~ New Name.

The submitter desires a masculine name and will not accept any changes to the name.

Ulricus is found as a masculine given name "from Old English, Wulfric, compound of wulf 'wolf' and ric 'ruler'."in Withycombe p. 284, s.n Ulric dated in this spelling to 1086.

de Kynton is found in R&W p. 266, s.n. Kinton with William de Kinton dated 1191. Johnson, *Placenames of England and Wales*, p. 331 s.n. Kinton dates Kynton to 1340.

Altavia

Name approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Ulricus de Kynton ~ New Device *Per pale gules and sable, a triple-towered castle argent between two lanterns Or.*

Altavia

Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Vlad Hideg Resub Kingdom Device. *Sable, a winged serpent displayed within an orle of chain Or.*

His name is on the LoPaD of the July 2010 LoAR (published Oct. 2010) and should appear on the January 2011 LoAR.

Previous armorial submission: *Sable, a python glissant palewise Or wings displayed was* returned April 2004 for conflict with *Per saltire gules and sable, a python erect wings displayed Or (Jonathon Hawk, 03/92).*

This submission adds a second primary charge, with creates the needed 2nd CD.

The submitter is a member of the Chivalry. He appears under the name Vlad the Indifferent in the Caidan OP: <<00409>> 04/02/15 Chivalry/KSCA <00594> at http://heralds.sca-caid.org/op/index.php .

Calafia

Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.