

A Viking in the Sun: Harald Hardrada, the Mediterranean, and the
Nordic World, between the late Viking Age
and the Eve of the Crusades

Symposium 3: Multi-Ethnicity in 11th-Century Armies from the Mediterranean and Beyond

Ortigia-Siracusa, Scuola di Specializzazione in Beni Archeologici,
Palazzo Chiaramonte, 13-16 November 2025



Illumination representing the Byzantine invasion of Sicily in 1038, from the 12th-century manuscript, known as the Madrid Skylitzes, of the 11th-century Synopsis of Histories by John Skylitzes