Contents

List of figures [vii]
List of boxes [xvii]
Acknowledgments [xviii]
Note on the text [xxi]

Introduction [1]

1 The Bronze Age and Early Iron Age in Greece [10]
2 The Geometric period (c. 900–700 BC) and the seventh century BC [66]
3 The Archaic Mediterranean [124]
4 The Classical period: the fifth century BC [194]
5 The late Classical period and Alexander, c. 400–323 BC [264]
6 The legacy of Alexander: the Hellenistic world [320]
7 Roman conquest and the conquest of Rome [382]

Glossary [408]
Bibliography [413]
Picture credits [418]
Index [430]