

629. McCone (Kim): OIr. *senchae*, *senchaid* and preliminaries on agent noun formation in Celtic.

In Ériu 46 (1995), pp. 1–10.

ad F. KELLY, *in* Peritia 5 (1986), 74–106. *Senchae* derives from a compound **seno-k^wois(y?)os*, meaning ‘old witness’. *Senchas* represents *senchae* + abstract suffix *-as*.

Kelly (Fergus) (*ref.*)

Classifications:

- D 1.3: Etymology (Individual)
- E 5.1.2: Morphology: Noun, adjective

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- **seno-k^wois*
- *-as* (*senchas*)
- *senchae*
- *senchaid*
- *senchas*