

2023 ASOR ANNUAL MEETING PROGRAM

Chicago, November 15-18, 2023

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PROGRAM-AT-A-GLANCE (CHICAGO)

This schedule is current as of November 8, 2023.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2023

12:00–8:30pm ASOR Registration Tables and Help Desk Open (Normandie Foyer, 2nd Floor)

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the Plenary Address. Please stop by to pick up your name badge any time between 12:00pm to 8:30pm.

7:00-8:30pm Welcome to the Annual Meeting and Plenary Address (Grand Ballroom, 2nd Floor)

(CST) Death by Data? Or What Has a Decade of Research on Palmyrene Funerary Sculpture Taught Us about the Ancient

World?

Dr. Rubina Raja | Aarhus University and director of the Danish National Research Foundation's Centre of Excellence for Urban

Network Evolutions

8:30-9:30pm

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Welcome Reception (Grand Ballroom, 2nd Floor)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2023

8:20–10:25am 1A. Archaeology of Cyprus I (Continental Room A, Lobby)

(CST) 1B. Archaeology of the Near East: Bronze and Iron Ages I (Continental Room B, Lobby)

1C. Figuring Violence: Images of Terror and Terror of Images I (Continental Room C, Lobby)

1D. Reintegrating African in the Ancient World – Workshop (Waldorf Room, 3'd Floor) 1E. The Early Iron Age in Canaan, Israel, Judah, and Philistia (Astoria Room, 3'd Floor)

1F. Theoretical and Anthropological Approaches to the Near East (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

1G. Archaeology of the Near East: The Classical Periods I (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

1H. Archaeology of Religion in the Levant during the Second and First Millennia BCE I (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)

11. Archaeology and Biblical Studies I (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

1J. Preserving the Cultural Heritage of the Madaba Region of Jordan - Workshop (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

10:25–10:40am Coffee Break with Exhibitors (Normandie Lounge, 2nd Floor)

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10:40am-12:45pm 2A. Archaeology of Cyprus II (Continental Room A, Lobby)

(CST) 2B. Archaeology of the Near East: Bronze and Iron Ages II (Continental Room B, Lobby)

2C. Figuring Violence: Images of Terror and Terror of Images II (Continental Room C, Lobby)

2D. Gender in the Ancient Near East I (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

2E. Olive Oil Production and Use in the Southern Levant in the Bronze and Iron Ages (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

2F. Archaeology of Deserts: Theoretical and Methodological Approaches I (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

2G. Archaeology of the Near East: The Classical Periods II (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

2H. Archaeology of Islamic Society I (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)
2I. Archaeology and Biblical Studies II (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

2J. Archaeology of Petra and Nabataea I (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

12:45–2:00pm Early Card (CST)

Early Career Scholars Brown Bag Lunch and Panel (Boulevard Room C, 2nd Floor)

2:00-4:05pm

3A. Archaeology of Cyprus III (Continental Room A, Lobby)

(CST) 3B. So What? Finding Meaning in Near Eastern Studies – Workshop (Continental Room B, Lobby)

3C. Defending the Past in the Present: Making the Case for the Study of the Ancient World (Workshop) (Continental Room C,

Lobby)

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- 3D. Gender in the Ancient Near East II (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)
- 3E. Archaeology of the Southern Levant (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)
- 3F. Archaeology of Deserts: Theoretical and Methodological Approaches II (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)
- 3G. Digging up Data: A Showcase of Ongoing Digital Scholarship Projects Workshop (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)
- 3H. Archaeology of Islamic Society II (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)
- 3l. The Journey to Document Minorities' Heritage in the Maghreb (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)
- 3J. Archaeology of Petra and Nabataea II (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

4:20-6:25pm

(CST)

- 4A. Celebrating Thomas E. Levy's Career: Archaeology in the Eastern Mediterranean and Beyond (Continental Room A, Lobby)
- 4B. Environmental Archaeology of the Ancient Near East (Continental Room B, Lobby)
- 4C. Archaeology of Israel I (Continental Room C, Lobby)
- 4D. Gender in the Ancient Near East III (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)
- 4F. Reports on Current Excavations (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)
- 4G. Glyptic Databases: Collaboration and Integration in the Digital Humanities Transition Workshop (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2023

8:20-10:25am

- 5A. Ancient Inscriptions I (Continental Room A, Lobby)
- (CST)
- 5B. Archaeology of Jordan I Excavation Reports (Continental Room B, Lobby)
- 5C. Archaeology of Israel II (Continental Room C, Lobby)
- 5D. Teaching about the Ancient World with Museum Objects Workshop (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)
- 5E. Archaeology of Religion in the Levant during the Second and First Millennia BCE II (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)
- 5F. Problematising the End of the Middle Bronze Age in Anatolia Workshop (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)
- 5G. History of Archaeology I (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)
- 5H. Cultural Heritage in Crisis: People Oriented Workshop (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)
- 51. Archaeology and History of Feasting and Foodways I (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)
- 5J. So Wicked and So Wild: Aging, Old Age, and Bodily Representation in the Ancient World and Modern Academy I (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

10:25-10:40am

Coffee Break (Normandie Lounge, 2nd Floor) Sponsored by Penn State University Press

- 10:40am-12:45pm 6A. Ancient Inscriptions II (Continental Room A, Lobby)
- (CST)

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- 6B. Archaeology of Jordan II Artifact Studies (Continental Room B, Lobby)
- 6D. Archaeologies of Memory I (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)
- 6E. Isotopic Investigations in the Ancient Near East and Caucasus (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)
- 6F. Approaches to Dress and the Body (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)
- 6G. History of Archaeology II (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)
- 6H. Giving it Back: Repatriation and the Ownership of Antiquity Workshop (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)
- 61. Archaeology and History of Feasting and Foodways II (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)
- 6J. So Wicked and So Wild: Aging, Old Age, and Bodily Representation in the Ancient World and Modern Academy II (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

12:45-2:00pm (CST)

ASOR Members' Meeting, Sharon Herbert, Presiding (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

2:00-4:05pm 7A. Ancient Inscriptions III (Continental Room A, Lobby)

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- 7B. Archaeology of Jordan III Methods and Heritage (Continental Room B, Lobby)
- 7C. Cultural Heritage: Preservation, Presentation, and Management I (Continental Room C, Lobby)
- 7D. Archaeologies of Memory II (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)
- 7E. Bioarchaeology in the Near East I (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)
- 7F. Archaeology of Egypt I (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)
- 7G. Archaeology of the Kurdistan Region of Iraq I (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)
- 7H. Interdisciplinary Approaches to Seals, Sealing Practices, and Administration I (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)
- 7I. Sea of Change: Climate and Environmental Change on the Shores of the Sea of Galilee I (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)
- 7J. Biblical Texts in Cultural Context (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)
- 7K. (Re)Visiting the Past in the Present: Monuments in Place Workshop (Boulevard Room A, 2nd Floor)

4:20-6:25pm

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8A. Northwest Semitic Inscriptions, Languages, and Literatures (Continental Room A, Lobby)

8C. Cultural Heritage: Preservation, Presentation, and Management II (Continental Room C, Lobby)

8D. Archaeologies of Memory III (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

8E. Bioarchaeology in the Near East II (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

8F. Archaeology of Egypt II (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

8G. Archaeology of the Kurdistan Region of Iraq II (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

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8J. Cultures of Mobility and Borders in the Ancient Near East (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2023

8:20–10:25am 9A. The Aims of Scribal Education in the Ancient Middle East I (Continental Room A, Lobby)

(CST) 9B. Digital Ethics in Ancient Near Eastern Research – Workshop (Continental Room B, Lobby)

9C. The Transition from the Neo-Assyrian to the Neo-Babylonian Periods (Continental Room C, Lobby)

9D. Recent Work in the Archaeological Sciences (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

9E. Archaeology of Anatolia I (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor) 9F. Archaeology of Egypt III (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

9G. Ceramic Buildings Materials in the Roman and Late Antique Near East - Workshop (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

9H. Archaeology of Iran I (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor) 9I. Archaeology of Connectivity I (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

9J. The Persians and the Phoenicians: Administration, Market, and Trade (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

9K. Archaeology of the Near East and Video Games I (Boulevard Room A, 2nd Floor)

10:25–10:40am Coffee Break and Exhibitor Raffle (Normandie Lounge, 2nd Floor)

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10:40am-12:45pm 10A. The Aims of Scribal Education in the Ancient Middle East II (Continental Room A, Lobby)

(CST) 10B. Understanding Power in the Ancient World: Approaches, Manifestations, and Responses (Continental Room B, Lobby)

10C. Digital Archaeology and History I (Continental Room C, Lobby)
10D. Art Historical Approaches to the Near East I (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

10E. Archaeology of Anatolia II (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

10F. Uniting Survey and Excavation Data from the Hesi Region (Israel) (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

10G. Archaeology of Mesopotamia I (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor) 10H. Archaeology of Iran II (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor) 10I. Archaeology of Connectivity II (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

10J. Islamic Seas and Shores: Connecting the Medieval Maritime World (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

10K. Archaeology of the Near East and Video Games II (Boulevard Room A, 2nd Floor)

 12:45-2:00pm
 Poster Session (Grand Ballroom Foyer, 2nd Floor)

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 Chair(s): Sarah Wenner, University of Cincinnati

12:45–2:00pm Initiative on the Status of Women in ASOR: Mentoring Lunch (Boulevard Room C, 2nd Floor)

2:00–4:05pm 11A. The Aims of Scribal Education in the Ancient Middle East III (Continental Room A, Lobby)

11B. Museums and Social Justice (Continental Room B, Lobby)

11C. Digital Archaeology and History II (Continental Room C, Lobby) 11D. Art Historical Approaches to the Near East II (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

11E. Archaeology of Arabia I (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

11F. Archaeology of the Black Sea and Caucasus (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor Floor)

11G. Archaeology of Mesopotamia II (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

111. Protect and Secure: Technology of Data Protection in the Ancient Near East I (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

11J. Islamic Society in the Western Mediterranean and Atlantic Coast I (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

4:20-6:25pm

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12A. Portrait of a (non) Artist?: Drawings, Models, Plans, and Molds, in Ancient West Asia (Continental Room A, Lobby)

12B. Empires of the Broader Ancient Near Eastern World: Subsistence and Distribution (Continental Room B, Lobby)

12C. Digital Archaeology and History III (Continental Room C, Lobby)

12D. Art Historical Approaches to the Near East III (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

12E. Archaeology of Arabia II (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

12F. Maritime Archaeology (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

12G. Prehistoric Archaeology (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

12H. ASOR and the Archaeological Field School: Are We Doing Enough? – Workshop (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)

12I. Protect and Secure: Technology of Data Protection in the Ancient Near East II (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

12J. Islamic Society in the Western Mediterranean and Atlantic Coast II (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)



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Rubina Raja

Aarhus University, Denmark

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(CST) Chairs(s): Kevin Fisher, University of British Columbia | Catherine Kearns, University of Chicago

8:20-8:40am The Aceramic Neolithic in the West of Cyprus: Choirokoitian without Choirokoitia?

Andrew McCarthy

University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom. College of Southern Nevada, USA

8:45-9:05am Laroumena/Arkhangelos: A Middle Cypriot Settlement in Kalavasos

Mara T. Horowitz¹, Christine Johnston², Enrico De Benedictis³

¹ SUNY Purchase, USA. ² Western Washington University, USA. ³ University of Cyprus, Cyprus

9:10-9:30am The Bronze Age Settlement of Kissonerga-Skalia

<u>Lindy Crewe</u> CAARI, Cyprus

9:35-9:55am Monuments, Structure, and Space at Late Bronze Age Maroni, Cyprus

Sturt W. Manning¹, Georgia M Andreou², Carrie Atkins³, Emily Booker⁴, Kevin D Fisher⁵, Artemis Georgious⁶, Catherine M Kearns⁷,

Brita Lorentzen⁸, Thomas M Urban¹

¹Cornell University, USA. ² University of Southampton, United Kingdom. ³ University of Toronto, Canada. ⁴ Brown University, USA. ⁵ University of British Colombia, Canada. ⁶ University of Cyprus, Cyprus. ⁷ University of Chicago, USA. ⁸ University of Georgia, USA

10:00-10:20am Investigating Early Hellenistic Cyprus: Excavations at Pyla-Vigla, 2002-23

Thomas P. Landvatter¹, Brandon R. Olsen²

¹Reed College, USA. ² Metropolitan State University of Denver, USA

8:20–10:25am 1B. Archaeology of the Near East: Bronze and Iron Ages I (Continental Room B, Lobby)

(CST) Chairs(s): J. P. Dessel, University of Tennessee

8:20-8:40am The Bronze Age Rampart of Khaybar and the Issue of Walled Oases in Northwestern Arabia

Guillaume Charloux

French National Center for Scientific Research (CNRS), UMR 8167, France

8:45-9:05am What's Next? The Transition Between Bronze and Iron Age at Uşaklı Höyük (Turkey)

Marta Doglio

University of Pisa, Italy

9:10-9:30am MBA Courtyard Palaces in the Northern Levant

Holly A. Winter

The University of Sydney, Australia

9:35-9:55am Structure and Function in the Late Third Millennium BCE: Results of Recent Excavations at Tell Tayinat (2017-2022)

Lynn Welton

University of Toronto, Canada

10:00-10:20am A Regional Examination of Livestock Management in the Early Bronze Age in the Southern Levant Using Isotopic Analyses

Elizabeth R. Arnold¹, Haskel J. Greenfield², Tine Greenfield³, Gideon Hartman⁴

¹Grand Valley State University, USA. ²University of Manitoba, Canada. ³University of Cambridge, United Kingdom. ⁴University of

Connecticut, USA.

8:20–10:25am 1C. Figuring Violence: Images of Terror and Terror of Images (Continental Room C, Lobby)

(CST) Chairs(s): Laura Battini, CNRS, Collège de France, Paris | Anthony SooHoo, Pontifical Biblical Institute, Rome

8:20-8:40am "Even the Cattle Mourn": (Pre-) Figuring Violence in Mesopotamian, Egyptian, and Anatolian Lament

David A. Hannan, Grace Clements

Harvard University, Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations, USA

8:45-9:05am The Iconography of Humiliation: Analyzing Select Depictions of Bound Foreigners in New Kingdom Egypt

Mark D. Janzen

Lanier Center for Archaeology, Lipscomb University, USA

9:10-9:30am Cross-examining Elamite iconoclasm (Virtual)

Samuel Reinikainen

University of Helsinki, Finland. Centre of Excellence in Ancient Near Eastern Empires, Finland

General Discussion

8:20–10:25am 1D. Reintegrating African in the Ancient World – Workshop (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chairs(s): Brenda J. Baker, Arizona State University | Geoff Emberling, University of Michigan

8:20-8:25am Introduction

<u>Brenda Baker</u>

Arizona State University

8:25-8:35am Replacing Eurocentric with Africanist Models of the State for the Kingdom of Kush

<u>Stuart T. Smith</u>

University of California, Santa Barbara

8:35-8:45am **Discussion**

8:45-8:55am Investigating Meroe from a Sudanic perspective (Virtual)

<u>David N. Edwards</u> University of Leicester

8:55-9:00am **Discussion**

9:00-9:10am Commoners and the Meroitic Social Complexity (Virtual)

Mohamed Faroug Ali

International University of Africa, The Africa Institute

9:10-9:15am **Discussion**

9:15-9:25am Social Complexity in Sudan (Virtual)

Isabelle Vella Gregory¹, Michael Brass²

¹University of Cambridge. ²University College London

9:25-9:35am **Discussion**

9:35-9:45am Defining Aksum: Northern Ethiopia (Tigray) and Eritrea in the 1st Millennium CE

<u>Tasha Vorderstrasse</u> University of Chicago

9:45-9:50am Discussion

9:50-10:00am Challenging Narratives of Highly Centralized Governments: Case Study of the Akusmite State (450BCE-900 CE) (Virtual)

Helina Woldekiros

Washington University in St. Louis

10:00-10:05am **Discussion**

10:05-10:20am General Discussion

10:20-10:25am Conclusions

Geoff Emberling University of Michigan

8:20–10:25am 1E. The Early Iron Age in Canaan, Israel, Judah, and Philistia (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chairs(s): Jeffrey R. Chadwick, Brigham Young University | Aren M. Maeir, Bar-Ilan University

8:20-8:45am A Four-Room House Compound at Tell Dothan, Area A: An Examination of a bet-ab in Northern Manasseh

George A. Pierce

Brigham Young University, USA

8:50-9:15am Philistine Elements at Khirbet el-Ra'i

Kyle H. Keimer

Macquarie University, Australia

9:20-9:45am Interpreting Khirbet Qeiyafa as a Patrimonial Fort

Zachary Thomas

W. F. Albright Institute of Archaeological Research, Israel

9:50-10:15am Chronological Aspects of the Early Iron Age Settlement at Tel Abel Beth Maacah

Naama Yahalom Mack¹, Robert A. Mullins²

¹The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel. ²Azusa Pacific University, USA

8:20–10:25am 1F. Theoretical and Anthropological Approaches to the Near East (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chairs(s): Darrell J. Rohl, Calvin College | Matthew Winter, University of Arizona

8:20-8:40am Divine Mistresses Through the Looking Glass: On the Liminal Role of Women in Iron Age II Sacred Spaces

Yifat Thareani

Hebrew Union College, Israel. NYU Tel Aviv, Israel

8:45-9:05am The Emergence and Development of Concepts of Justice in Sumer in the Third Millennium BCE from an Anthropological

Perspective (Virtual) Joachim L. Schaper

University of Aberdeen, United Kingdom

9:10-9:30am War Made Kings and Kings Made War: Ideology and State Sanctioned Violence in Early Dynastic Mesopotamia

Mark S. Schwartz

Grand Valley State University, USA

9:35-9:55am Ontology and the (Fragmentary) Archaeological Record: The CIDOC-CRM in Theory and Practice

Darrell J. Rohl

Calvin University, USA

10:00-10:20am Philistine Group Identity Through the Lens of Successful Group Behavior

Jill C. Katz

Yeshiva University, USA

8:20–10:25am 1G. Archaeology of the Near East: The Classical Periods I (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chairs(s): Simeon Ehrlich, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem | Robyn Le Blanc, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

8:20-8:40am Reconstructing the Central Plaza of Roman Döra

Becky Martin

Boston University, USA

8:45-9:05am The Roman Imperial Cult Temple at Bethsaida/Julias

Rami Arav

University of Nebraska at Omaha, USA

9:10-9:30am Identifying a Roman Vineyard at Ashkelon

Simeon D. Ehrlich

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel

9:35-9:55am After the Annexation: A Re-Assessment of the Roman Impact upon the Nabataean Incense Road in the Wadi Arabah anD

Negev Desert during the Antonine and Severan Periods, ca. 138-235 CE.

Benjamin J. Dolinka¹, Tali Erickson-Gini²

¹University of Maryland Global Campus, USA. ²Israel Antiquities Authority, Israel

8:20–10:25am 1H. Archaeology of Religion in the Levant during the Second and First Millennia BCE I (Lake Michigan

(CST) Room, 8th Floor)

Chair(s): Nadia Ben-Marzouk, University of Zurich | Ido Koch, Tel Aviv University | Lidar Sapir-Hen, Tel Aviv University

8:20-8:40am Querying Levantine Religion using the Database of Religious History

M. Willis Monroe^{1,2}, Andrew Danielson², Ian Randall²

¹University of New Brunswick, Canada. ²University of British Columbia, Canada

8:45-9:05am From Space to Place: The Making of Temples (Virtual)

Matthew N. Susnow

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel

9:10-9:30am Egyptian Religious Landscapes and Middle Bronze Age Seal Amulets in the Southern Levant

Nadia Ben-Marzouk

University of Zurich, Switzerland

9:35-9:55am The House of the Rising Sun: A Late Bronze Age Temple at Tel Azekah (Virtual)

Hannah M. Ripps

Tel Aviv University, Israel

10:00-10:20am The Archaeology of Ancient Levantine Religion From a Study of Religion's Perspective

Christoph Uehlinger

University of Zurich, Switzerland

8:20–10:25am 11. Archaeology and Biblical Studies I (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chairs(s): Stephen Cook, Virginia Theological Seminary

8:20-8:40am About Phoenicians, Israelites, and the Production of Blue and Purple Dye a Tel Shiqmona

Golan Shalvi^{1,2}, Ayelet Gilboa²

¹University of Chicago, USA ²University of Haifa, Israel

8:45-9:05am "You can look at the ghost, he will talk with you": Voices of the Dead in the Iron Age Near East

Elizabeth Bloch-Smith

Princeton Theological Seminary, USA

9:10-9:30am Ritual, Sacred Spaces, and Sacred Power: Architecture, Cultic Objects, and Worship at the Iron IIA Ataruz Temple

Chang-Ho Ji¹, Aaron Schade², Choong-Ryeol Lee³, Christopher Miner²

¹La Sierra University, USA. ² Brigham Young University, USA. ³ Sahmyook University, Korea, Republic of

9:35-9:55am Israel's Cult in Judah's Bible: Methodological Considerations for the Use of Priestly Texts and Archaeology in the

Reconstruction of Ancient Israelite Sacrifice

Jonathan S. Greer

Grand Valley State University, USA

10:00-10:20am Rewritten History, Social Memory, and Solomon's Accession in Chronicles

Doren G. Snoek

The University of Chicago, USA

8:20–10:25am (CST)

1J. Preserving the Cultural Heritage of the Madaba Region of Jordan – Workshop (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

Chairs(s): Douglas Clark, La Sierra University | Marta D'Andrea, Sapienza University of Rome | Basem Mahamid, Department of Antiquities, Madaba | Andrea Polcaro, Perugia University | Suzanna Richard, Gannon University

"Why is the Early Bronze Age Cool?" Some Thoughts on Presenting the Early Bronze Age of the Madaba Governorate in the Proposed New Regional Archaeological Museum (Virtual)

Marta D'Andrea

Sapienza Università di Roma, Italy

Coming Full Circle: Restoring and Returning Items from Dhiban to Local Museums

<u>Danielle S. Fatkin</u> Knox College, USA

Enhancing Site Value for Adjacent Communities - The Case of Tell Dhiban in the Madiba Region

Bruce Routledge

University of Liverpool, United Kingdom

Progress and Projections: The Madaba Regional Archaeological Museum Project (MRAMP)

<u>Douglas R. Clark</u> La Sierra University, USA

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10:40-11:00am Architectural Energetics in Southcentral Cyprus: A Study of Monumental Ashlar Construction at Kalavasos Ayios

Dhimitrios

Caroline Barnes¹, Graham Braun²

¹ University of British Colombia, Canada. ² University of Cincinnati, USA

11:05-11:25am Change in Maritime Connectivity in Cyprus and the Southern Levant Throughout the Middle and Late Bronze Ages: The

Case of Cypriot Ceramics

Brigid Clark

¹ University of Haifa, Israel

11:30-11:50am Epipaleolithic Wayfarers: Early Explorers of Cyprus (Virtual)

Lisa Maher¹, Danielle Macdonald², Alan Simmons³, Sally Steward⁴

¹ University of California, Berkeley, USA. ² University of Tulsa, USA. ³ University of Nevada, Las Vegas, USA. ⁴ Trent University, Canada

11:55am-12:15pm A Palace at the Cypro-Archaic Kingdom of Marion? Ceramic Evidence for Elite Lifestyles and Intercultural Connections

with the Aegean World

Nassos Papalexandrou

The University of Texas at Austin, USA

12:20-12:40pm Hellenistic And Early Roman Levels at Idalion: A Change of Identity?

Pamela Gaber

Lycoming College, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 2B. Archaeology of the Near East: Bronze and Iron Ages II (Continental Room B, Lobby)

Chairs(s): J. P. Dessel, University of Tennessee, USA

10:40-11:00am

Reevaluating Ivory Exchange of the Late Bronze and iron Ages Southern Levant (Virtual)

Harel Shochat¹, Ayelet Gilboa¹, Guy Bar-Oz², Cheryl A. Makarewicz³

¹ School of Archaeology and Maritime Cultures, and the Zinman Institute of Archaeology, University of Haifa, Israel. ² School of Archaeology and Maritime Cultures, University of Haifa, Israel. 3 Institute of Prehistoric and Protohistoric Archaeology, University

of Kiel, Germany

11:05-11:25am

Bathing for Kings or Gods?: A Closer Look at the "Bathroom" in the Back Building 7050 at Hazor

Laura Mazow¹, Jennie Ebeling²

¹ East Carolina University, USA. ² University of Evansville, USA

11:30-11:50am

Bones and Stones: Spatial Analyses of Bone, Chipped Stone, and Ground Stone Tool Distribution from the Early Bronze

Age III Domestic Area of Tell es-Safi/Gath, Israel

Sarah J. Richardson¹, Haskel J. Greenfield¹, Tina L. Greenfield², Jeremy Beller³, Francesca Manclossi⁴, Shira Albaz⁵, Aren M. Maeir⁵ ¹University of Manitoba, Canada. ²University of Manitoba – Near Eastern Biblical Archaeology Lab, Canada. ³Simon Fraser University - Department of Archaeology, Canada. 4 Istituto di Scienze del Patrimonio Culturale - Consiglio delle Ricerche, Italy. 5 Bar-

Ilan University, Israel

11:55am-12:15pm

Radiocarbon Dating and Iron Age Chronology in the Southern Levant: Region-wide Analysis and Future Directions

Lyndelle Webster

Austrian Academy of Sciences, Austria

12:20-12:40pm

The Amman Theater Statue and Shalmaneser III's Reference to "Baasha son of Ruhubi"

Joel S. Burnett

Baylor University, USA

10:40-12:45pm (CST)

2C. Figuring Violence: Images of Terror and Terror of Images II (Continental Room C, Lobby)

Chair(s): Laura Battini, CNTS, Collège de France, Paris | Anthony SooHoo, Pontifical Biblical Institute, Rome

10:40-11:00am

Fear and Terror as Appropriate Responses in Assyrian Royal Inscriptions (Virtual)

Sarah C. Melville

Clarkson University, USA

11:05-11:25am

'May Aššur decree an evil and unpleasant fate for you': Curses in Neo-Assyrian Royal Annals and Reliefs

Anthony P. SooHoo

Pontifical Biblical Institute (Rome), Italy

11:30-11:50am

Warrior versus Saviour: Royal Rhetorics of War in the First Millennium BCE (Virtual)

Jinyan Wang

University of Toronto, Canada

10:40am-12:45pm 2D. Gender in the Ancient Near East I (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST)

Chairs(s): Stephanie Lynn Budin, Near Eastern Archeology | Debra Foran, Wilfrid Laurier University

10:40-11:00am

Lamaštu's Cold Feet: Transgressive Marriage as a Means to Dispel Monstrosity

Kelsie Ehalt

University of Michigan, USA

11:05-11:25am

Tablet-room Talk: Sex, Violence, and Scribal Training in OB Nippur and Beyond (Virutal)

Noam Cohen

New York University, USA

11:30-11:50am

An Awilu, a Girseqû and an Assinnu Walk into a Bedroom: Suggesting a New Approach to ANE Homosexuality Studies

Stephanie L. Budin

ASOR, USA

11:55am-12:15pm 152. Putting on a Show: A Re-analysis of Gender and Performativity at the Royal Cemetery of Ur

Nora Al-Aati

University of Pennsylvania, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 2E. Olive Oil Production and Use in the Southern Levant in the Bronze and Iron Ages (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST)

Chair(s): Jeffery R. Chadwick, Brigham Young University | Aren M. Maeir, Bar-llan University

10:40-11:10am Soothed with Oil: Olive Oil as Remedy in the Ancient Near East

Eric Lee Welch

University of Kentucky, USA

11:15-11:45am The Olive Oil Industry at Tell Biet Mirsim

<u>Michael Freikman</u>, Igor Kreimerman Hebrew University in Jerusalem, Israel

11:50am-12:20pm The Olive Oil Industry at Iron Age II Tel Miqne-Ekron: Exploring Industrial Oil Production as Compared to Domestic and

Household Oil Production

Jeffrey R. Chadwick

Brigham Young University Jerusalem Center, Israel. Brigham Young University, USA

12:25-12:45pm General Discussion

10:40am-12:45pm 2F. Archaeology of Deserts: Theoretical and Methodological Approaches I (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Laurel Darcy Hackley, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

10:40-11:00am The Occasional Desert: Sistan in Green and Brown

Mitchell Allen

University of California Berkeley, USA

11:05-11:25am Centering the Periphery: New Perspectives on the Centrality of Arid Environments and the Independence of its People in the

Economic History of Central Asia

Mariana Castro

New York University, USA

11:30-11:50am Curvilinear Architecture: A Gift of Semi and Arid Zones to More Fertile regions in Late Prehistoric Times in the Levant?

(Virtual) Eliot L. Braun

WF Albright Institute of Archeological Research, Israel

10:40am–12:45pm 2G. Archaeology of the Near East: The Classical Periods II (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Simeon Ehrlich, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem | Robyn Le Blanc, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

10:40-11:00am A Byzantine Church or Cult Palace in Front of Pan's Cave in Paneas/Caesarea Philippi (Virtual)

Adi Erlich

University of Haifa, Israel

11:0511:25am Exploring the Significance of Water Management Systems in Classical Archaeology in Jordan (Virtual)

<u>Alaa M. Ababne</u>

Autonomous de Barcelona University, Spain

11:30-11:50am Directing the Flow: Reassessing Water Networks at Jerash and Umm Qais

<u>Clare K. Rasmussen</u> Bryn Mawr College, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 2H. Archaeology of Islamic Society I (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Ian W. N. Jones, University of California San Diego | Tasha Vorderstrasse, University of Chicago

10:40-11:00am From Christianity to Islam. Religious Change in Nubia in the 2nd Millennium CE.

Artur Obłuski

Polish Centre of Mediterranean Archaeology, University of Warsaw, Poland. Oriental Institute, University of Chicago, USA

11:05-11:25am Pottery Indicators of Metamorphosis between Christian and Islamic Society in Nubia. A Study Case from Old

Dongola

<u>Katarzyna de Lellis-Danys</u> University of Warsaw, Poland

11:30-11:50am Use, Reuse, and Abandonment. Urban and Household Dynamics Through the Assemblages of the Islamic Period

Settlement

of Old Dongola (Sudan).

Lorenzo de Lellis

Polish Centre of Mediterranean Archaeology - University of Warsaw, Poland

11:55am-12:15pm Islamic and Indian Glass in the Christian Kingdom of Alwa

<u>Joanna Then-Obłuska</u>¹, Laure Dussubieux² ¹University of Warsaw, Poland. ² Field Museum, USA

12:20pm-12:40pm Seeb Community History Project: Survey of a Medieval Town on the Coast of Oman (Virtual)

<u>Maria M. Gajewska¹,</u> Leila Araar², Rosalind MacDonald³, Charlotte Nash-Pye⁴⁵, Alix Normandeau⁶, Eve MacDonald७, Seth M. N.

Priestman⁸

¹University of Cambridge, United Kingdom. ²University of York, United Kingdom. ³Independent, Canada. ⁴University of Kent, United Kingdom. ⁵British Museum, United Kingdom. ⁶Independent, Oman. ⁷Cardiff University, United Kingdom. ⁸Durham University, United

Kingdom

10:40am-12:45pm 2l. Archaeology and Biblical Studies II (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Stephen Cook, Virginia Theological Seminary

10:40-11:00am The Battle of Kadesh: Meaning for Israel and the Bible

Peter Feinman

Institute of History, Archaeology, and Education, USA

11:05-11:25am The Trail of Sennacherib's Military Camps Through Judah

Stephen C. Compton Independent, USA

11:30-11:50am Collective Memory of Neo-Assyrian Campaigns in Amos's Oracles Against the Nations: An Argument for their Date of

Composition (Virtual)

Gad Barnea

University of Haifa, Israel

11:55-12:45pm General Discussion

10:40am-12:45pm 2J. Archaeology of Petra and Nabataea I (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

Chair(s): Cynthia Finlayson, Brigham Young University | David F. Graf, University of Miami (Florida)

10:40-11:00am Collecting Life in the Desert: Nabataean Water Strategies on the Ad-Deir Plateau, Petra and What We Can Learn from Them

in Our Age of Fresh Water Scarcity

Cynthia S. Finlayson

Brigham Young University, USA

11:05-11:25am Nabataean Gold Jewelry from Wadi Mataha, Petra, Jordan

David J. Johnson

Brigham Young University, USA

11:30-11:50am A Report on the Second Season of Excavations of Element 139, Ad-Deir Plateau, Petra, Jordan

Josie M. Newbold

Heritage Museum of Layton, USA. Brigham Young University, USA

11:55am-12:15pm The Nabataean and Roman Uses of the Eastern Complex at Iram (Wadi Ramm, Jordan)

M. Barbara Reeves¹, Dennine Dudley²

¹ Queen's University, Canada. ² University of Victoria, Canada

1:00–2:00pm Early Career Scholars Brown Bag (Boulevard Room C, 2nd Floor)

(CST)

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2:00–4:05pm 3A. Archaeology of Cyprus III (Continental Room A, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Kevin Fisher, University of British Columbia | Catherine Kearns, University of Chicago

2:00-2:20pm Neolithic Islanders: What Have We Learned About Early Settlements of Cyprus?

Alan H. Simmons

University of Nevada, Las Vegas, USA. Desert Research Institute, USA

2:25-2:45pm On the Cosmic Context of the Sanctuary of Apollo Hylates at Kourion

Bede C. Carpenter Lipscomb University, USA

2:50-3:10pm Orienting the Classical Canon: The Kourian Harpocrates-Apollo's Contribution to Art History

Charles A. Steward¹, Laura A. Swantek², Lucas P. Grimsley³, Thomas W. Davis⁴

¹ Benedictine College (Kansas), USA. ² Arizona State University, USA. ³ Azusa Pacific University, USA. ⁴ Lipscomb University, USA

3:15-3:35pm Roman Cyprus: New Research and New Thoughts on Roman Urbanization in Cyprus (Virtual)

Craig Barker

The University of Sydney, Australia

3:40-4:00pm The Diaspora of Ancient Cypriot Art

(CST) <u>Ann-Marie Knoblauch</u> Virginia Tech, USA

2:00-4:05pm

(CST)

3B. So What? Finding Meaning in Near Eastern Studies – Workshop (Continental Room B, Lobby)

Chair(s): Susan Cohen, Montana State University | Marwan Kilani, Swiss National Research Foundation, Basel University | Regine Pruzsinszky, Albert-Ludwigs-Universitäi Freiburg

Why "So What" Matters So Much

Susan Cohen

Montana State University

What Attracts Attention? A Statistical look at BASOR's Readership

Marwan Kilani

Basel University, Switzerland

Knowledge for Knowledge's Sake?

Marian Feldman

Johns Hopkins University, USA

So, What If the Ancient World Had No Boundaries? Thinking About and Publishing for an Antiquity Without Borders

Steven Garfinkle

Western Washington University, USA

The Case for a Global Turn for Framing (Theorizing) the Past in the Southern Levant: Achieving Relevance for our Discipline Through Engaging Discourses on the Anthropocene

Oystein S. LaBianca Andrews University, USA

Why Save Ancient Studies? (Virtual)

David Danzig

ISAW, NYU & Save Ancient Studies Alliance, USA

Disseminating Archaeological Discovery Via Podcasts, Or, Behind the Scenes at the This Week in the Ancient Near East, the Happy Funtime Tell-All Edition

<u>Alexander H. Joffe</u>¹, JP Dessel², Rachel Hallote³

 1 Independent Scholar, USA. 2 University of Tennessee, Knoxville USA. 3 Purchase College SUNY, USA

The Meaning and Ethics of Scholarship: Why Do We Do What We Do?

Sunwoo Lee

University of Chicago Graham School, USA

Into the Deep: Ancient History and Humanity's Self-Awareness

Pavla Rosenstein

Yale University, USA

2:00-4:05pm

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3C. Defending the Past in the Present: Making the Case for the Study of the Ancient World – Workshop

(Continental Room C, Lobby)

Chair(s): Emily Miller Bonney, California State University, Fullerton | Leann Pace, Wake Forest University

A Blessing and a Curse: Using Material Culture in Undergraduate Pedagogy

<u>Cynthia Shafer-Elliott</u> Baylor University, USA

Reflections on Teaching Environmental History

<u>Christopher W. Jones</u> University of Helsinki, Finland

Exploring Present Issues in the Past through Ashkelon Burial 375: Infant Death, Commemoration, Migration, and Mixed Ethnicity

Kristine Garroway

Hebrew Union College, USA

Agatha and Me: Or How an Object Can Tell a Story and Not Always the One You Expect

Amy E. Barron

Fleming College, Canada

An Enigmatic Bracelet and an Enduring Question: Distinguishing Jews, Samaritans, and Christians (Virtual)

Megan Nutzman

Old Dominion University, USA

An Impression of Presence and Loss: Archaeology's Voice in Confronting Climate Change (Virtual)

Emily S. K. Anderson

Johns Hopkins University, USA

Ancient Memorials and Modern Memories

Fredric R. Brandfon

Expedition to the Coastal Pain of Israel, USA

Shall We Remember the Past, or Repeat It?

Brent Davis

University of Melbourne, Australia

2:00-4:05pm

3D. Gender in the Ancient Near East II (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST)

Chair(s): Stephanie Lynn Budin, Near Eastern Archaeology | Debra Foran, Wilfrid Laurier University

2:00-2:20pm

Pregnancy and Childbirth Rituals in the Ancient Near East and the Bible

Susan Ackerman

Dartmouth College, USA

2:25-2:45pm

Esther and the Problem of Consent: The Taking of Women in the Biblical Text and Ancient Near East

Sarah Gane Burton
Andrews University, USA

2:50-3:10pm

In Pursuit of In/Visibilities in Levantine Material Culture: An Object-Based Approach to Gender History

Bruno Biermann

University of Bern, Switzerland. University of Zurich, Switzerland

3:15-3:35pm

Engendering Creative Expression in Bronze Age Cyprus

Louise Steel

University of Wales Trinity Saint David, United Kingdom

2:00-4:05pm

3E. Archaeology of the Southern Levant (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST)

Chair(s): Sarah Richardson, University of Manitoba

2:00-2:20pm

Neolithic Lithic Sickle Blades of Tell Abu Suwwan from the 2005-2008, 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2022 Seasons

<u>Jalal Abedalaziz Alheji</u> Jordanian, Jordan 2:25-2:45pm Tel Dan in the Early Iron Age: The 2018-2022 Excavation

Aaron A. Burke¹, David Ilan², Jacob C. Damm³

¹University of California, Los Angeles, USA. ²Hebrew Union College, Jerusalem, Israel. ³SUNY Cortland, USA

2:50-3:10pm The Origins of the Exodus in Hellenistic Construction Fill? Iconography of Power and the "Memory" of Late Bronze Age

Canaan (Virtual) John Will Rice

Heidelberg University, Germany. Tel Aviv University, Israel

3:150-3:35pm Aegean Pottery in the Late Bronze Age Eastern Mediterranean: a New Technological Look at Selected Materials from

Beth Shean

Stephen Czujko

University of Missouri-Columbia, USA

3:40-4:00pm The Contribution of Khirbet Bet Netofa to the Study of Rural Life in Galilee Over a Long Period of Time

David Hamidovic

University of Lausanne, Switzerland

2:00–4:05pm 3F. Archaeology of Deserts: Theoretical and Methodological Approaches II (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Laurel Darcy Hackley, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill

2:00-2:20pm Desert Landscapes of South-East Iran (Virtual)

Friederike K. Jürcke¹, Benjamin Mutin²

¹University of Cambridge, United Kingdom. ²Sorbonne Université, France

2:25-2:45pm When the Margins Weren't Marginal: Remote Sensing and Ground Truthing in the Black Desert, Jordan

Austin C. Hill¹, Yorke M. Rowan², Morag M. Kersel³

¹University of Pennsylvania, USA. ²University of Chicago, USA. ³DePaul University, USA

2:50-3:10pm Desert Potential: Reframing Human Interaction with Landscape in the Egyptian Western Desert

Julian Thibeau

University of Michigan, USA

3:15-3:35pm The Personal Oasis: Perception, Phenomenology, and Large Datasets in the Eastern Desert

<u>Laurel D. Hackley</u> UNC Chapel Hill, USA

2:00–4:05pm 3G. The Journey to Document Minorities' Heritage in the Maghreb (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Emna Mizouni, Carthagina

The Challenge and Promise of Protecting Ethnic and Religious Minority Heritage in the Maghreb and Sahel (Virtual)

William Raynolds ASOR, USA

How Grassroots Initiatives Preserve and Protect Tunisian Cultural Heritage

Barbara Anglisz

Independent scholar, USA

Documenting Endangered Heritage as a Tool for Connecting Tunisian's Minority

Jamel Ben Saidane Carthagina, Tunisia

Ibadi Mosques on the Island of Djerba: Different Functions

Safouane Tlili Carthagina, Tunisia

Le cimetière israélite de la ville de Soliman en voie de disparition (Virtual)

Awatef Bahroun

Université de Manouba, Tunisia

3H. Archaeology of Islamic Society II (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor) 2:00-4:05pm

Chair(s): Ian W. N. Jones, University of California, San Diego | Tasha Vorderstrasse, University of Chicago (CST)

2:00-2:20pm An Archaeobotanical Investigation of 13th and 14th Century Foodways and Kitchen Culture at Tall Hisban, Central Jordan

(Virtual)

Alan Farahani¹, Bethany Walker²

¹SciScope Solutions, USA. ²Universität Bonn, Germany

2:25-2:45pm The Islamic Baydha Project: Investigating the Archaeology a Rural Islamic Community in the Hinterland of Petra

Micaela Sinibaldi

University of Warsaw, Poland. Cardiff University, United Kingdom

2:50-3:10pm Reconstructing Social Networks Through Archaeometry: The Ties That Bind in Mamluk Syria

Salama Kassem

Islamic Archaeology Research Unit, University of Bonn, Germany

Yenişehir-i Fener (Larissa); an Ottoman Urban Center in the Greek Mainland 3:15-3:40pm

> Anastasia Thamnopoulou University of Bonn, Germany

General Discussion 3:45-4:00pm

(CST)

31. Digging up Data: A Showcase on Ongoing Digital Scholarship Projects – Workshop (Lake Huron Room, 8th 2:00-4:05pm Floor)

> Chair(s): Melissa Cradic, The Alexandria Archive Institute/Open Context | Tiffany Earley-Spadoni, University of Central Florida | Leigh Anne Lieberman, Princeton University

Considerations for Digital Data Collection, Processing, and Visualization Methods for Architectural Features in Southcentral Cyprus

Graham C. Braun¹, Caroline Barnes²

¹University of Cincinnati, USA. ²University of British Columbia, Canada

In the Footprints of Monsters: Mapping the Many Geographies of Archaic Creature Pots (Virtual)

Liz Neill

Boston University, USA

Digital Scholarship and Ancient Terracottas: the Case of 1st Millennium Terracotta Figurines from Tell Mardikh (Virtual)

Maria-Gabriella Micale

Freie Universität Berlin, Germany

A Digital Initiative: Recoloring Ancient Artifacts via Decorrelation Stretch and Reflectance Transformation Imaging (Virtual)

Lauren K. McCormick Syracuse University, USA

Succeeding Through Failure: Problems with Archaeological Database Creations (Virtual)

Bethany Hucks

Heidelberg University, Germany

3J. Archaeology of Petra and Nabataea II (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor) 2:00-4:05pm

Chair(s): Cynthia Finlayson, Brigham Young University | David F. Graf, University of Miami (Florida) (CST)

A Comparative Analysis of Mortuary and Domestic Artifacts from Petra's North Ridge (Virtual) 2:00-2:20pm

> McClean Pink, Megan Perry East Carolina University, USA

Animal Afterlives at Petra 2:25-2:45pm

Kathryn Grossman¹, Lubna Omar², Bénédicte Khan³

¹North Carolina State University, USA. ²Binghamton University, USA. ³Archaïos, France

The Nabataean and Roman Ceramic Tradition from the Petra Garden and Pool Complex: Beyond Typology 2:50-3:10pm

Pamela K. Koulianos¹, Sarah Wenner², Leigh-Ann Bedal³

¹Independent Scholar, USA. ²University of Cincinnati, USA. ³Penn State Erie, The Behrend College, USA

3:15-3:35pm IG XII Suppl. 307: Proxenia and Second-Century Nabataea

Anna Accettola

USA

3:40-4:00pm Nabataean Embassies to Rome: The Epigraphic Evidence

David F. Graf

University of Miami (Florida), USA

4:20–6:25pm 4A. Celebrating Thomas E. Levy's Career: Archaeology in the Eastern Mediterranean and Beyond (Continental

(CST) Room A, Lobby)

Chair(s): Erez Ben-Yosey, Tel Aviv University | Ian W. N. Jones, University of California, San Diego

4:20-4:35pm The Architectural Bias in Biblical Archaeology: Response to Recent Criticism

Erez Ben-Yosef

Tel Aviv University, Israel

4:40-4:55pm Assessing the Impact of Arabah Copper Production for Historical Research

Sarah Malena

St. Mary's College of Maryland, USA

5:00-5:15pm Cyber-Archaeology and Public-Oriented Dissemination: Non-Linear Archaeological Storytelling in 3D in Iron Age Faynan,

Jordan

Matthew D Howland¹, Brady Liss²

¹Wichita State University, USA. ²University of California San Diego, USA

5:20-5:35pm All Things Must Pass: Exploring the End of Industrial-Scale Copper Production in Iron Age Faynan, Jordan

<u>Brady Liss</u>¹, Erez Ben-Yosef², Mohammad Najjar¹, Thomas E. Levy¹¹University of California San Diego, USA. ²Tel Aviv University, Israel

5:40-5:55pm Patterns of Settlement and the Organizing Principles in Early Bronze Age Copper Manufacturing

Aaron D Gidding

University of California, Santa Barbara, USA

6:00-6:15pm "Phaeno, the place where the copper is dug": A Fragmentary Archaeology of Late Roman Khirbat Faynān, Southern

Jordan

lan W. N. Jones

University of California San Diego, USA

6:15-6:25pm **Respondent**

Thomas E. Levy

University of California, San Diego, USA

4:20–6:25pm 4B. Environmental Archaeology of the Ancient Near East (Continental Room B, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Elise Laugier, Utah State University | Brita Lorentzen, Cornell University

4:20-4:40pm A View from the Jezreel: Initial Findings from the Hellenistic Archaeobotanical Assemblage at Tel Shimron

Alexander T. Dorr¹, Kathleen J. Birney², John M. Marston¹ Boston University, USA. ²Wesleyan University, USA

4:45-5:05pm Social Stratification in Urban and Rural Golan During the Roman Period; a View From the Faunal Remains (Virtual)

Ram Bouchnick¹, Arleta Kowalewska², Michael Eisenberg³, Mechael Osband^{1,2}

¹Kinneret Academic College, Israel. ²University of Haifa, Israel. ³The German Protestant Institute of Archaeology, Germany

5:10-5:30pm Seeds of the Crusades: Archaeobotanical Material from Caesarea Maritima, Israel

<u>Jennifer Ramsay</u> SUNY Brockport, USA

5:35-5:55pm Dendro-archaeo-ecology Evidence for the Environmental Footprint of Religious Artwork Production in Medieval and Post

Byzantine Cyprus

Brita Lorentzen¹, Sturt Manning^{2,3}, Nikolas Bakirtzis³

¹University of Georgia, USA. ²Cornell University, USA. ³Cyprus Institute, Cyprus

6:00-6:2pm Wood Resources and Timber Procurement in Lebanon during the Bronze and Iron Ages Hermann Genz¹, Katleen Deckers² ¹American University of Beirut, Lebanon. ²University of Tuebingen, Germany 4:20-6:25pm 4C. Archaeology of Israel I (Continental Room C, Lobby) (CST) Chair(s): Boaz Gross, Israeli Institute of Archaeology and Tel Aviv University | Felix Höflmayer, Austrian Academy of Sciences 4:20-4:40pm The 2023 Season of the Selz Foundation Hazor Excavations in Memory of Yigael Yadin Igor Kreimerman The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel The Figurines from tell Halif: Recent Discoveries 4:45-5:05pm Nancy Serwint Arizona State University, USA Newly Exposed Insulae at Hippos of the Decapolis and their Contribution to the Understanding of the Cityscape (Virtual) 5:10-5:30pm Arleta Kowalewska, Michael Eisenberg Hippos Excavation Project, Israel The Evolution of "Late Philistine Decorated Ware": New Evidence from the Field III Gateway at Tel Gezer 5:35-5:55pm Stanley Klassen University of Toronto, Canada The Neo-Assyrian period at Dor: Examination of the Ceramic Assemblages by Means of a New Chronological Tool 6:00-6:20pm Pnina Torn Broers Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel 4D. Gender in the Ancient Near East III (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor) 4:20-6:25pm Chair(s): Stephanie Lynn Budin, Near Eastern Archaeology | Debra Foran, Wilfrid Laurier University (CST) Tiamat - A Woman's Life in Middle Bronze Age Tel Ifshar (Virtual) 4:20-4:40pm Miriam C. Chernoff Independent Scholar, USA Olive Oil for the Cultic Corner? An Artifact Biography of 3 Iron I Kraters at Tall al-'Umayri, Jordan 4:45-5:05pm Monique D. Roddy Walla Walla University, USA. La Sierra University, USA Materiality and Animism as Agents of Iconographical Change: The Anthropomorphism of the Sycomore Goddess in 5:10-5:30pm Ancient Egypt (Virtual) Shirly Ben-Dor Evian¹, Eshchar Gichon² ¹University of Haifa, Israel. ²Tel Aviv University, Israel Female Leadership in Meroitic Ancient Sudan and South Africa 5:35-5:55pm Abdelmonim Ahmed Abdalla Babiker International University of Africa (IUA), Sudan 4F. Reports on Current Excavations (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor) 4:20-6:25pm (CST) Chair(s): Daniel Schindler | Bowling Green State University GIS and Photogrammetric Landscape Modeling at Politiko-Troullia, Cyprus 4:20-4:40pm Elizabeth Ridder¹, Patricia Fall², Steven Falconer² ¹California State University San Marcos. ²University of North Carolina, Charlotte The Archaeology of Olive Oil: An EBIV Olive Oil Production/Storage Site at Khirbet Um al-Ghozlan in Jordan 4:45-5:05pm James Fraser¹, Caroline Cartwright² ¹W.F. Albright Institute of Archaeological Research. ²The British Museum Investigating a Late Bronze Age Urban Landscape: Recent Fieldwork at Kalavasos-Ayios Dhimitrios, Cyprus 5:10-5:30pm

¹University of British Columbia. ²University of Southampton. ³University of Chicago. ⁴Cornell University

Kevin Fisher¹, Georgia Andreou², Catherine Kearns³, Sturt Manning⁴

5:35-5:55pm A Preliminary Discussion of Ceramics Production at Kefar Shikhin

James Strange¹, Mordechai Aviam², Yehoshua Dray², C. Thomas McCollough³, Paulina Wołodźko⁴

¹Samford University, ²Kinneret Academic College. ³Coastal Carolina University, Centre College. ⁴Institute of Mediterranean and

Oriental Cultures, Polish Academy of Sciences, Poland

43. 4G. Glyptic Databases: Collaboration and Integration in the Digital Humanities Transition – Workshop (Lake

(CST) Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

Chair(s): Nadia Ben-Marzouk, The University of Zurich | Ben Greet, The University of Zurich

4:20-4:40pm Studying the Umma Archive through a FileMaket Database

Rudi Mayr

Rosen Collection, USA

4:45-5:05pm Challenges in Documenting Seals in the Yale Babylonian Collection (Virtual)

Agnete W. Lassen, Elizabeth A Knott

Yale University, USA

5:10-5:30pm From Paper to Bytes - The new Digital Corpus of Stamp-seals from the Southern Levant (Virtual)

<u>Stefan Münger</u>

(CST)

Institute of Jewish Studies, University of Bern, Switzerland

5:35-5:55pm Personal to Communal: Combining Individual Databases of Indus Seals

Marta E. Ameri¹, Gregg Jamison²

¹Colby College, USA. ²University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, USA

6:00-6:20pm Toward Developing a Shared Research Tool for Glyptic: Exploring Some Potential Challenges of Working Across Regional

and Disciplinary Boundaries

<u>Nadia Ben-Marzouk</u>, Ben Greet University of Zurich, Switzerland

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2023

8:20–10:25am *5A. Ancient Inscriptions I (Continental Room A, Lobby)*

(CST) Chair(s): Jessie DeGrado, University of Michigan | Madadh Richey, Brandeis University

8:20-8:40am Sound Values of Hieroglyphs as Evidence of Archaic Egyptian Linguistic Connections

Brendan Hainline

Metropolitan Museum of Art, USA

8:45-9:05am Blessings and Curses in the Assyrian Royal Inscriptions (Virtual)

Zozan Tarhan

Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski, Bulgaria

9:10-9:30am Hieroglyphs as Memory: Reading Images in Egyptian Royal Decrees

<u>Victoria Almansa-Villatoro</u> Harvard University, USA

9:35-9:55am Reading the Layout and Design of the Amarna Tablet as an Instruction Manual for Readers

Alice H. Mandell

Johns Hopkins University, USA

8:20–10:25am 5B. Archaeology of Jordan I – Excavation Reports (Continental Room B, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Monique Roddy, Walla Walla University | Stephanie Selover, University of Washington | Craig Tyson, Deyouville

8:20-8:40am Early Bronze I in Wādī Ziqlāb, Northern Jordan

Natalia M. Handziuk, Edward B. Banning

University of Toronto, Canada

8:45-9:05am Expedition 2023 to Khirbat Iskandar, Jordan

Suzanne Richard¹, Jesse C. Long, Jr.², Marta D'Andrea³

¹Gannon University, USA. ²Lubbock Christian University, USA. ³Sapienza University of Rome, Italy

9:10-9:30am Khirbat Ataruz 2022-23 Seasons: Excavations, New Findings, and Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR)

<u>Aaron Schade</u>¹, John McBride¹, Chang-ho Ji², Keili Kwong¹ Brigham Young University, USA. ²La Sierra University, USA

9:35-9:55am Introducing the Khirbet al-Khalde Archaeological Project: Initial Results from the Inaugural 2023 Survey Season

<u>Craig A. Harvey</u>¹, Emanuele Intagliata², Rubina Raja³

¹University of Alberta, Canada. ²Università degli Studi di Milano, Italy. ³Aarhus University, Denmark

10:00-10:20am Surveys and Excavations at the Ancient Town of Nebo (Khirbat al-Mukhayyat, Jordan)

<u>Debra Foran</u>¹, Andrew Danielson², Gregory Braun³, Grant Ginson⁴, Věra Doležálková⁵, Rose Campbell⁶

¹Wilfrid Laurier University, Canada. ²University of British Columbia, Canada. ³University of Toronto, Canada. ⁴Trent University,

Canada. 5 Czech Archaeological Heritage Institute, Czech Republic. 6 University of California, Los Angeles, USA

8:20–10:25am 5C. Archaeology of Israel II (Continental Room C, Lobby)

Chair(s): Boaz Gross, Israeli Institute of Archaeology and Tel Aviv University | Felix Hölfmayer, Austrian Academy of Sciences

8:20-8:40am How to Date a City Wall? The Case Study of Middle Bronze Age Lachish (Virtual)

Yosef Garfinkel

(CST)

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel

8:45-9:05am The Archaeology of the Gaza Strip from Its Earliest Remains Until the Byzantine Period

<u>Wolfgang Zwickel</u>

Johannes Gutenberg-University Mainz, Germany

9:10-9:30am The Rock Cut Pool Pollen Analysis

Patrick Scott Geyer¹, Shelby Finch², Madison Amaral¹

¹University of San Diego, USA. ²University of San Diego, USA

9:35-9:55am The Tombs of Nazareth Pollen Analysis

Patrick Scott Geyer, Gabriella Perko, Shelby Finch

University of San Diego, USA

8:20-10:25am

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5D. Teaching About the Ancient World with Museum Objects – Workshop (Waldorf Room, 3rd Room)

Chair(s): Lissette Jimenez, San Francisco State University | Jennifer Thum, Harvard Art Museums | Carl Walsh, Barnes Foundation

What is Authenticity? Teaching with Fakes, Forgeries, and Copies in Museums

Carl Walsh¹, Kaelin Jewell²

¹New York University, USA. ²Barnes Foundation, USA

Reframing Ancient Egyptian Art in Museum Contexts

Ashley Arico

Art Institute of Chicago, USA

"Good" Provenance and Bad People: Probing Ethics and Ownership with Students at the Harvard Art Museums

Caitlin C. Clerkin

Harvard Art Museums, USA

How Did this Get to the Museum?: Teaching about Colonialism and the Provenance of Ancient Egyptian Objects

Lissette Jiménez

San Francisco State University, USA

From Glyphs to Bytes: Ancient Egypt and the Future of Digital Humanities in Museum-based Learning (Virtual)

Elizabeth Minor

Wellesley College, USA

Not All Questions Have Answers: ISAC's Roman sculpture collection and the opportunities it presented as exhibition

Kiersten Neuman

University of Chicago, USA

Teaching Ancient Nubia: Learning to Look

Sydney A. Pickens

Archaeology in the Community, USA

A More Inclusive Approach to Ancient Color investigation in Collections: Developing an Accessible, Online Technical Survey Toolkit for Humanities Researchers

Caroline Roberts, Suzanne Davis

Kelsey Museum of Archaeology, USA

Using Ancient Objects to Create a History Lab

Jessica Tomkins

Wofford College, USA

Seeing in Art and Medical Imaging: Radiologists' Encounters with the Ancient World at the Harvard Art Museums

Jen Thum

Harvard Art Museums, USA

8:20-10:25am

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5E. Archaeology of Religion in the Levant during the Second and First Millennia BCE II (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

Chair(s): Deirdre Fulton, Baylor University | Ido Koch, Tel Aviv University | Lidar Sapir-Hen, Tel Aviv University

8:20-8:40am A Spectrum of Possibilities for the Study of Ritual Behaviour in the Iron Age Southern Levant

Diederik J. H. Halbertsma

University of Liverpool, United Kingdom

8:45-9:05am Levantine Terracotta Figurines and the Religion of Place: Figurines as Evidence of Commonality or Singularity in

Levantine Religion?

Erin Darby

University of Tennessee, USA

9:10-9:30am Feeding the Living or the Dead? Animal Offerings at Ashkelon, Israel

Deirdre N. Fulton, Christina Olson

Baylor University, USA

9:35-9:55am Tuning into the Past: The Evidence of Music in Philistine Cult (Virtual)

Shoshana R. Guterman¹, Shira Albaz^{1,2}, Aren M. Maeir¹
¹Bar-Ilan University, Israel. ²University of Haifa, Israel

10:00-10:20am Religious Discourse and Memory Practices at the Karatepe Gateways

Leopoldo Zampiccoli

Institute for the Study of the Ancient World (NYU), USA

8:20–10:25am 5F. Problematising the End of the Middle Bronze Age in Anatolia – Workshop (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Müge Durusu-Tanriöver, Temple University | İlgi Gerçek, Bilkent University | Yağmur Heffron, University College Lonon

8:25-8:35am Problematizing the End of the MBA in Anatolia and the World

<u>Gojko Barjamovic</u> Harvard University, USA

8:35-8:45am Family Matters: Reconstructing the Anatolian Middle Bronze Age

N. İlgi Gerçek

Bilkent University, Turkey

8:45-8:55am Interfering in the Affairs of Kings: a Merchants' View on the Last Days of the Old Assyrian Trade Network

Nancy Highcock

British Museum, United Kingdom

9:00-9:15am Where is the Divide? Expanding the Geographic Scope of the Middle Bronze Age to South-Central Anatolia

Anna Berlekamp

University of Chicago, USA

9:15-9:25am Development of Settlement Organization in the Middle to Late Bronze Age Transition: The Impact of the Hittite State

Ege Dagbasi

Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg, Germany

9:25-9:35am The End of the Middle Bronze Age at Zincirli, Türkiye: a View from the Southeast (Virtual)

Kathryn R. Morgan¹, Virginia R. Herrmann², Sturt Manning³, Sebastiano Soldi⁴

¹Duke University, USA. ²Penn Museum, USA. ³Cornell University, USA. ⁴Institute of Sciences for Cultural Heritage (ISPC),

National Research Council (CNR), Rome, Italy

9:45-9:55am Continuity and change in Anatolian sealing practices at the end of the Middle Bronze Age

Oya Topçuoğlu

Northwestern University, USA

9:55-10:05am From Karum to Capital: The Impact of Political Transition on Animal Economies at Middle Bronze Age Boğazköy-Hattuša

Christine A. Mikeska

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA

10:05-10:15am The Burden of Time: Exhibiting Change and Continuity

<u>Pınar Durgun</u>

Vorderasiatisches Museum, Berlin State Museums, Germany

10:05-10:15am **Discussion**

8:20–10:25am 5G. History of Archaeology I (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Nassos Papalexandrou, The University of Texas at Austin, Art and Art History | Leticia Rodriguez, University of California, Berkeley

8:20-8:45am Labib Sorial: An Egyptian Copt and a Tales of Two Tells

Jeffrey R. Zorn

Cornell University, USA

8:45-9:05am A Brief Look at the Many Professional Contributions Made by Grace Mary Hood Crowfoot and Her Exceptional Family

Beth Alpert Nakhai

University of Arizona, USA

9:10-9:30am Three Pioneers of Archaeology in Wadi Arabah: T. E. Lawrence, Fritz Frank and Nelson Glueck

<u>Joseph A. Greene</u> Harvard University, USA

9:35-9:55am A Mysterious Affair at Megiddo

Eric H. Cline

George Washington University, USA

10:00-10:20 'The Royal Bridge': Carl Blegen and the Hellenization of Troy in the Interwar Aegean

Jacob Engstrom

University of Cincinnati, USA

8:20-10:25am

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5H. Cultural Heritage in Crisis: People Oriented – Workshop (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)

Chair(s): Tashia Dare, Independent Scholar | Jenna de Vries Morton, Umm al-Jimal Archaeological Project

Destruction of the Elamite Archaeological Sites and Artworks Over the Recent Four Decades (Virtual)

Sara Hajinezhad

Università Degli Studi di Napoli "L'Orientale", Italy

Cultural Heritage Professionals: How Can They be Helped in Crisis Situations? (Virtual)

Helene S. Sader

American University of Beirut, Lebanon

Efforts to Protect Cultural Heritage in Syria during the Conflict (Virtual)

Ahmed Fatima Kzzo

American Center of Research, Jordan

Supporting Local Cultural Heritage Professionals in Northwestern Syria

Mariko Makino¹, Sari Jammo², Yoko Taniguchi²

¹Research Institute of Cultural Properties, Teikyo University, Japan. ²University of Tsukuba, Japan

Cultural Heritage at War: Who Cares about Monuments (Wo)Men? (Virtual)

Nour A. Munawar

Doha Institute for Graduate Studies, Qatar

The Role of Non-State Actors in Preserving Cultural Heritage in Times of Conflict: Syria a Case Study (Virtual)

Amr Al Azm

Shawnee State University, USA. Qatar University, Qatar

Strength in Numbers: The Importance of Long-term Relationships for Heritage Protection

Darren P. Ashby, Michael D. Danti, Richard L. Zettler

University of Pennsylvania, USA

8:20–10:25am 51. Archaeology and History of Feasting and Foodways I (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

Chair(s): Jacob Damm, University of California

8:20-8:40am There and Back Again: the Origins of Utilitarian Metallurgy at Jericho Reconsidered

Haskel J. Greenfield

University of Manitoba, Canada

8:45-9:05am Cover Your Mouth! Methods, Materials, and Contexts for Protecting the Contents of Ancient Vessels.

Gary P. Arbino

Gateway Seminary, USA

9:10-9:30am Plants as Practice: Bitter Vetch Consumption over the longue durée in the Southern Levant

<u>Jacob C. Damm</u> SUNY Cortland, USA

9:35-9:55am "Arise, Eat, for the Journey is Too Great for You" - Foods for Travel in the Ancient Near East (Virtual)

Caleb T. Chow

Lancaster Bible College - Capital Seminary & Graduate School, USA

8:20–10:25am 5J. So Wicked and So Wild: Aging, Old Age, and Bodily Representation in the Ancient World and Modern

(CST) Academy I (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

Chair(s): Alison Acker Gruseke, Williams College

8:20-8:40am "Wise" Women, Sacred Space: Older (?) Women and Israel's Desert Tabernacle (Exod 35:25-26)

Alison Acker Gruseke Williams College, USA

8:45-9:05am Aging Women in Mesopotamian Literature (Virtual)

Karen Sonik

Auburn University, USA

9:10-9:30am Age, Acquired Disability, and Identity: Visual Impairment and Blindness in Hebrew Biblical Narratives (Virtual)

Eric J. Harvey

American Council of Learned Societies, USA

9:35-9:55am The Weeping Elders of Ezra 3:12: Place Attachment and the Identity Formation of the Returnees (Virtual)

Kaz Hayashi

Bethel Seminary and University, USA

10:00-10:20am Biblical Hebrew in Old Age: A Sociolinguistic Description of the Language of Old People in the Hebrew Bible

Dong-Hyuk Kim

Yonsei University, Korea, Republic of

10:25–10:40am Coffee Break (Normandie Lounge, 2nd Floor)

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10:40am-12:45pm 6A. Ancient Inscriptions II (Continental Room A, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Jessie DeGrado, University of Michigan | Madadh Richey, Brandeis University

10:40-11:00am The ba-spirits of Amun-Re: Theology and Visible Language in Achaemenid Period Egypt

Hong Yu Chen

University of California, Los Angeles, USA

11:05-11:25am The Neo-Assyrian "Name Book" Revisited

Michael A. Chapin

Johns Hopkins University, USA

11:55am-12:15pm Women and the Goddesses. Engagement of Women in the Cult of Female Deities in the Classical Near East (Virtual)

<u>Aleksandra Kubiak-Schneider</u> University of Wrocław, Poland

10:40am-12:45pm 6B. Archaeology of Jordan II - Artifact Studies (Continental Room B, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Monique Roddy, Walla Walla University | Stephanie Selover, University of Washington | Craig Tyson, D'Youville University

10:40-11:00am The "Moabite cooking pot": Analysis and Dating

Margreet L. Steiner

Independent researcher, Netherlands

11:05-11:25am The Square Rim Cooking Pot: a Review of its Development during Iron Age II

Michael Christian Orellana Mendez

Andrews University, USA. Universidad Peruana Union, Peru

11:30-11:50am Sacred Time at Home Part 2: Lion Statue, Votive Offerings, Libations, and Incense Burning

Abelardo Rivas

Andrews University, USA

11:55am-12:15pm Fashionable Lifestyle or Ritual Purity? Chalkstone Vessels in Early Roman Transjordan

<u>Jeannette Boertien</u>

University of Groningen, Netherlands

12:20-12:40pm "The Earth is Filled with Thy Creation:" Psalm 103 (104) and the Floor Mosaics in the Church of Sts Lot and Procopius

<u>Kristen Flake</u>, Bede C. Carpenter Lipscomb University, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 6D. Archaeologies of Memory I (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Janling Fu, Harvard University | Tate Paulette, North Carolina State University

10:40-11:00am Dislocated Memory: Byzantine Holy Place Souvenirs

Rangar H. Cline

University of Oklahoma, USA

11:05-11:25am Rethinking the Function of Rock Inscriptions in Northeast Africa

Iman J. Nagy UCLA, USA

11:30-11:50am Stepping into Muhammad's Shoes: The Multidimensional Function of Sandals in Early Islam

Jordan B. Barr

Florida State University, USA

11:55am-12:15pm In the Running: Technique as Memory

Rachel Webberman

University of California, Berkeley, USA

12:20-12:40pm But Does It Spark Joy? On Material Spareness in Babylonian Aesthetics & Memory

Seth Richardson

University of Chicago, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 6E. Isotopic Investigations in the Ancient Near East and Caucasus (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Benjamin Irvine, Koç University | G. Bike Yazıcıoğlu-Santamaria, University of Chicago

10:40-11:00am Revised inferences on Crop Management in the Early to Middle Bronze Age Southern Levant from Stable Isotopic

Analyses

<u>Steven Porson</u>¹, Patricia Fall¹, Steven Falconer¹, Suzanne Pilaar Birch², Elizabeth Ridder³

¹UNC Charlotte, USA. ²University of Georgia, USA. ³California State University San Marcos, USA

11:05-11:25am An Isotopic Approach to Understanding Agropastoral Systems at Gordion, Central Anatolia

<u>John M Marston</u>¹, David Meiggs², Petra Vaiglova³, Ethan Baxter⁴

¹Boston University, USA. ²Rochester Institute of Technology, USA. ³Australia National University, Australia. ⁴Boston College,

USA

11:30-11:50am Persistence in Pastoralist Strategies During the Uruk Period at Tepe Farrukhabad

Anna Luurtsema¹, Kara Larson², Henry Wright², Alicia Ventresca Miller²¹University of Pennsylvania, USA, ²University of Michigan, USA

11:55am-12:15pm Herd Management and Mobility at the Early-Middle Bronze Age Transition in the Southern Levant

Suzanne E Pilaar Birch¹, Steven Falconer², Patricia Fall², Elizabeth Ridder³, Steven Porson², Mary Metzger⁴

¹University of Georgia, USA. ²University of North Carolina, Charlotte, USA. ³California State University San Marcos, USA. ⁴ USA

12:20-12:40pm Emerging Strontium Isoscapes of Anatolia: New Datasets & New Perspectives in Bioavailable 87Sr/86Sr Baseline Studies

G. Biké Yazıcıoğlu-Santamaria¹, Suzanne E. Pilaar Birch², David C. Meiggs³

¹Simon Fraser University, Canada. ²University of Georgia, USA. ³Rochester Institute of Technology, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 6F. Approaches to Dress and the Body (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Neville McFerrin, University of North Texas

10:40-11:00am Textile Producers at the Intersection of Power Relations in New Kingdom Egypt

Jordan Galczynski

University of California, Los Angeles, USA

11:05-11:25am All the Yarns of Uttu: Fringed Bodies and Textiles of Third Millennium BC Mesopotamia

Elizabeth Clancy

Institute of Fine Arts, USA

11:30-11:50am Apparel of Access and the Enigma of the Day of Atonement (Virtual)

Christine Palmer

Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, USA

11:55am-12:15pm The Architecture of Comportment: Movement, Dress, and the Reciprocality of Identity Construction at Persepolis

Neville McFerrin

University of North Texas, USA

12:20-12:40pm Children Adorned in Death: Examining Predynastic Body Adornments in Children's Burials

Maryan Ragheb

University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), USA

10:40am-12:45pm 6G. History of Archaeology II (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Nassos Papalexandrou, The University of Texas at Austin, Art and Art History | Leticia Rodriguez, University of California, Berkeley

10:40-11:00am A Partnership of Unequals: Ottoman Comparanda for Historicising Labour Relations Between Local and Foreign

Archaeologists in Contemporary Turkey <u>Yağmur Heffron</u>¹, Filiz Tütüncü Çağlar² ¹UCL, United Kingdom. ²EUME, Germany

11:05-11:25am Social Class and 'ANE Archaeology' in UK Higher Education: Historical Trajectories and Barriers to Accessibility

Neil Erskine

University of Glasgow, United Kingdom

11:30-11:50am Archaeology, Photography and a Legacy of Museums and Looting in Yemen. Collaborating on the Values of Archives in

South Arabian Heritage Documentation

Alexander Nagel

Smithsonian Institution, USA. State University of New York, USA

11:55am-12:15pm On the Plateau: Bronze, Chlorite, and the Discovery of the Jiroft Culture (Virtual)

Breton A. Langendorfer Independent Scholar, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 6H. Giving it Back: Repartition and the Ownership of Antiquity - Workshop (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Jane DeRose Evans, Temple University | Frederick Winter, DC - AIA

Repatriation of Cultural Property Under U.S. Federal Law

<u>Karin Orenstein</u> Independent, USA

U.S. Implementation of the 1970 UNESCO Convention and the Repatriation of Illegal Antiquities

Virginia R. Herrmann

U.S Department of State (Contractor), USA

Repatriation Beyond the Law

Patty Gerstenblith

DePaul University College of Law, USA

Tentative: Navigating Repatriations in the Courts of Law and Public Opinion (Virtual)

<u>Helena Arose</u>

The Antiquities Coalition, USA

Cesnola and Cypriot Antiquities Laws

Ann-Marie Knoblauch Virginia Tech, USA

The Metropolitan Museum of Art: Cultural Property Policies and Practices (Virtual)

Sarah Lepinski

The Metropolitan Museum of Art, USA

Repatriating a Hoard of Early Bronze Age Gold in the Penn Museum

Charles Brian Rose

University of Pennsylvania, USA

Do We Have a Duty of Care to Already-Looted Objects?

Elizabeth Marlowe Colgate University, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 6l. Archaeology and History of Feasting and Foodw3ays II (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Jacob Damm, University of California

10:40-11:00am Dining with the Dead: Reevaluating the Contexts of εἰδωλόθυτος in 1 Corinthians

> Claire R. Campbell Yale Divinity School, USA

11:05-11:25am What Pots Do: Commensality, Gender and the Lagynos in Hellenistic Drinking Festivals

> Nicole N. Constantine Stanford University, USA

Late Pharaonic Wine from the Egyptian Oases 11:30-11:50am

Brian P. Muhs

University of Chicago, USA

On Flaying 11:55am-12:15pm

Eric Aupperle

Harvard University, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 6J. So Wicked and So Wild: Aging, Old Age, and Bodily Representation in the Ancient World and Modern

Academy II (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor) (CST) Chair(s): Alison Acker Gruseke, Williams College

10:40-11:00am

Elderly Israelite Women: An Ethnographic Perspective

Carol Meyers Duke University, USA

The Longevity of Early Mortals in Genesis and Mesopotamian Sources (Virtual) 11:05-11:25am

Takayoshi Oshima

University of Leipzig, Germany

The Desire for the "Lengthening of Days" and the Syro-Anatolian Ideal of "Old Age" 11:30-11:50am

Trinity International University - Divinity School, USA

A New Beginning with Old People: The Role and Representation of Zechariah, Elisabeth, and Anna in the Gospel of Luke 11:55am-12:15am

Albertina Oegema

Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz, Germany

ASOR Members' Meeting, Sharon Herbert, Presiding (Waldorf Room 3rd Floor) 12:50-1:55pm (CST)

7A. Ancient Inscription III (Continental Room A, Lobby) 2:00-4:05pm

Chair(s): Jessie DeGrado, University of Michigan | Madadh Richey, Brandeis University (CST)

The Newly Discovered Persepolis Fortification Aramaic Ostraca 2:00-2:20pm

Annalisa Azzoni¹, Mitchka Shahryari² (CST)

¹ Vanderbilt University, USA. ² Université de Lille, France

Between Two Cultures: Translation and Multimodality in the Tel Fekheriyeh Inscription 2:25-2:45pm

Morganne Ottobre

Johns Hopkins University, USA

An Inscribed Bowl Sherd from Balu'a 2:50-3:10pm

> Charles Hughes-Huff St. Bernard's STM, USA

3:15-3:35pm A New Translation of the Palmyrene Aramaic Inscription (PAT 248) of the Altar to Sol in Rome (Virtual)

Catherine E Bonesho

UCLA, USA

2:00–4:05pm 7B. Archaeology of Jordan III – Methods and Heritage (Continental Room B, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Monique Roddy, Walla Walla University | Stephanie Selover, University of Washington | Craig Tyson, Deyouville

2:00-2:20pm Evidence of Earthquake by Direct Dating of Rockfall at Ba`ja Neolithic Site (South Jordan) Using Rock Surface

Luminescence (Virtual)

Sahar al Khasawneh², Andrew Murray², Hans Georg K. Gebel²

¹ Faculty of Archaeology and Anthropology, Yarmouk University, Jordan. ²Department of Geoscience, Aarhus University, Denmark. ³

Institute for Near Eastern Archaeology, Freie Universität Berlin, Germany

2:25-2:45am TYRAS Preliminary Results: CORONA Satellite-Imagery and Cost Distance Modelling in Northern Jordan (Virtual)

Marta Lorenzon¹, Paula Gheorghiade¹, Antti Lahelma¹, Maher Tarboush²

¹University of Helsinki, Finland. ²Yarmouk University, Jordan

2:50-3:10pm Heritage, Cultural, and Tourism Experiences: Opportunities for Amman Citadel Local Community Members – Amman,

Jordan

Hisham Al Majali ACOR, Jordan

3:15-3:35pm Amman Citadel Southern Slope Development Project: An Insight at the Heritage Houses

Hanadi Omar Al Taher

The American Center of Research, Jordan

2:00–4:05pm 7C. Cultural Heritage: Preservation, Presentation, and Management I (Continental Room C, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Kiersten Neumann, Institute for the Study of Ancient Cultures University of Chicago

2:00-2:20pm Post-Conflict Cultural Rehabilitation of the Yezidi (Êzîdî) Heritage in Northern Iraq (Virtual)

Marc Marín Webb

University of Pennsylvania, USA

2:25-2:45pm Conservation, Presentation, and Earthquake Response at Tell Atchana, Alalakh (Virtual)

Murat Akar¹, Müge Bulu², Hélène Maloigne², Tara Ingman³, Onur Hasan Kırman²

¹Hatay Mustafa Kemal University, Turkey. ²Alalakh Excavations, Turkey. ³Research Center for Anatolian Civilizations, Koç

University, Turkey

2:50-3:10pm Sudan Archaeological Heritage Protection Project (SAHPP). A Four Year Feedback in Implementing an ALIPH Sponsorship

Marc E.L. Maillot Oriental Institute, USA

3:15-3:35pm The Père Albert Jamme, M.Afr. Collection: Preserving Yemen's Cultural Heritage

Devonte Narde

The Catholic University of America, USA

Discussion

2:00–4:05pm 7D. Archaeologies of Memories II (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Janling Fu, Harvard University | Tate Paulette, North Caroline State University

2:00-2:20pm Infant Burials and Memory at Late Chalcolithic Çadır Höyük

Burcu Yıldırım¹, Laurel D. Hackley², Sharon R. Steadman³

¹Leiden University, Netherlands. ²UNC Chapel Hill, USA. ³SUNY Cortland, USA

2:25-2:45pm Mortuary Communities of Practice: Early Bronze Age IA Tomb Builders and Social Memory on the Southeastern Dead Sea

Plain, Jordan

Meredith S. Chesson

University of Notre Dame, USA

Death, Belonging, and Memory: Social Relationships and Organization through EB IA Mortuary Assemblages at Bab adh-(CST) 2:50-3:10pm Dhra' Megan M. Nishida University of Notre Dame, USA 3:15-3:35pm As If You Were There: Memory, the Body, and Sensing in Neo-Assyrian Art Allison K. Thomason Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, USA 3:40-4:00pm Ancestral Forms: Body Symbolism in Cultural Memory and Identity Nathanael Shelley Columbia University, USA 7E. Bioarchaeology in the Near East I (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor) 2:00-4:05pm Chair(s): Megan A. Perry, East Caroline University | Sarah Schrader, Leiden University (CST) Bioarchaeological Research at STARC: Shedding Light on the Population History and Structure of Diverse Groups Across 2:00-2:20pm the Eastern Mediterranean Efthymia Nikita¹, Antonio Caruso¹, Anna Karligkioti¹, Mahmoud Mardini¹, Chryssa Vergidou^{1,2} ¹The Cyprus Institute, Cyprus. ²University of Groningen, Netherlands The Transition to Adulthood at Tombos: a Biocultural Examination of Puberty, Social Age, and Health 2:25-2:45pm Michele R. Buzon¹, Katie M. Whitmore², Emily R. Eiseman¹, Abigail G. Taylor¹, Heidi Joelle Althaus¹ ¹Purdue University, USA. ²SNA International supporting the Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency, USA 2:50-3:10pm An Analysis of the Lived Experiences of the Juveniles of Early Bronze Age Karataş-Semayük Christina M. Trent¹, Donovan M. Adams¹, Ali Metin Büyükkarakaya² ¹University of Central Florida, USA. ²Hacettepe University, Turkey 3:15-3:35pm Kheny's Children: Funerary Practices as a Proxy for the Reconstruction of Nonadult Social Stratification in New Kingdom Gebel el-Silsila, Egypt Barbara Veselka¹, John Ward², Maria Nilsson² ¹Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium. ²Lund University, Sweden General Discussion 3:40-4:05pm 7F. Archaeology of Egypt I (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor) 2:00-4:05pm (CST) Chair(s): Julia Troche, Missouri State University 2:00-2:20pm The Early Dynastic "Labels" Contextualized: Towards an Understanding of Performance, Participation and Memory in Early Egyptian Royal Ritual Jeffrey Newman University of California, Los Angeles, USA 2:25-2:45pm New Papyri from the Bab el Gasus: Identifying the Provenience and Prosopography of HM 84123 Foy D. Scalf University of Chicago, USA 2:50-3:10pm A Donation Stela from Tell-Farain (Buto): New Evidences About Tefnakht Before His Coronation (Virtual) Karim El Ridy Ministry of Tourism and Antiquities, Egypt 3:15-3:35pm How "A Body Takes Shape" in the Account of the Stela of Irtisen (Louvre N168) (Virtual) Paul Dambowic Pratt Institute, USA 7G. The Archaeology of the Kurdistan Region of Iraq I (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor) 2:00-4:05pm (CST) Chair(s): Jason Ur, Harvard University Sacred Spaces and Ritual Practices in Northern Mesopotamia at the end of the 3rd Millennium BCE. New Evidence from 2:00-2:20pm

Kunara (Iraqi Kurdistan) (Virtual)

ArScAn, UMR7041 - CNRS, France

Barbara Chiti

2:25-2:45pm The Tepe Gawra Lower Town Survey 2022

Khaled Abu Jayyab

University of Toronto, Canada

2:50-3:10pm Can GIS Model Ancient Nomadic Movement? A Case Study Among the Qashqa'i Nomads of Southwest Iran, 20th century

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Madeline M. Ouimet
University of Chicago, USA

Hasan Ahmed Qasim

Kurdistan Archaeology Organization/KAO, Iraq

2:00–4:05pm 7H. Interdisciplinary Approaches to Seals, Sealing Practices, and Administration I (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)

Chair(s): Sarah Scott, Wagner College | Oya Topçuoğlu, Northwestern University

2:00-2:20pm Al, Annotation and Mesopotamian Cylinder Seals

Lara C. Bampfield

University of Oxford, United Kingdom

2:25-2:45pm Shades of Meaning: Color Recording at the Yale Babylonian Collection

Jamie Lattin¹, Elizabeth Knott^{2,1}

¹Yale University, USA. ²New York University, USA

2:50-3:10pm Networking Seals: A Social Network Analysis Approach to Nuzi Cylinder Seals

Faith Myrick

Johns Hopkins University, USA

2:00–4:05pm 7l. Sea of Change: Climate and Environmental Change on the Shores of the Sea of Galilee I (Lake Huron Room,

(CST) **8th Floor**)

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Chair(s): Michal Artzy, University of Haifa | Miriam Belmaker, The University of Tulsa

2:00-2:20pm Using Small Mammals as a Paleoecological Proxy in Near Eastern Archaeology: The Sea of Galilee as a Case Study

<u>Miriam Belmaker</u>

The University of Tulsa, USA

2:25-2:45pm Across the Slate Gray Lake: Geographical, Climatological, Hydrographical, and Socio-economic Determinants of the Late

Hellenistic/Early Roman Boat from the Sea of Galilee.

Jerome L. Hall

University of San Diego, USA

2:50-3:10pm Bronze and Iron Age Urban Ecology of the Sea of Galilee Hinterland: Hazor as a Case Study

<u>Timothy D Edwards</u>¹, Shlomit Bechar², Miriam Belmaker¹¹The University of Tulsa, USA. ²The University of Haifa, Israel

2:00–4:05pm 7J. Biblical Texts in Cultural Context (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

Chair(s): Kristine Henriksen Garroway, Hebrew Union College | Christine Elizabeth Palmer, Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary

2:00-2:20pm "What Do These Stones Mean?" Standing Stones and Social Memory (De-)Construction

<u>Julian C. Chike</u> Baylor University, USA

2:25-2:45pm Biblical Covenants, Patronage, and Socio-Political Memory in the Southern Levant (Virtual)

Emanuel Pfoh

University of Helsinki, Finland. CONICET, Argentina

2:50-3:10pm You Are What You Eat: Food and Collective Memory in Ancient Israel

Cynthia Shafer-Elliott Baylor University, USA

3:15-3:35pm Ritual Vulnerability and Care: The Case of Judean Pillar Figurines in Tomb Contexts (Virtual)

Kerry Sonia

Colby College, USA

3:40-4:00pm Remembering Judahite Children in Death

Kristine Garroway

Hebrew Union College, USA

2:00–4:05pm (CST)

7K. (Re)Visiting the Past in the Present: Monuments in Place – Workshop (Boulevard Room A, 2nd Floor)

Chair(s): Morag M. Kersel, DePaul University | Matthew Howland, Wichita State University

(Re) Visiting the Past in the Present: Monuments in Place

Morag M. Kersel
DePaul University, USA

(Re) Visiting the Past in the Present: Monuments in Place

James Osborne

University of Chicago, USA

(Re) Visiting the Past in the Present: Monuments in Place

Catherine Kearns

University of Chicago, USA

(Re) Visiting the Past in the Present: Monuments in Place

Yorke M. Rowan

University of Chicago, USA

4:20–6:25pm 8A. Northwest Semitic Inscriptions, Languages, and Literatures (Continental Room A, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Simon Chavel, The University of Chicago Divinity School

4:20-4:40pm Three Ugaritologists Read the New Amorite-Akkadian Bilinguals

Andrew Burlingame¹, Robert Hawley², Dennis Pardee³

¹Wheaton College, USA. ²École Pratique des Hautes Études, France. ³University of Chicago, USA

4:45-5:05pm The Aramaic of Everyday Life: A New Look at Non-Monumental Inscriptions, ca. 850-650 BCE

Madadh Richey

Brandeis University, USA

5:10-5:30pm Text, Language and Interpretation in a Qumran Isaiah Scroll (Virtual)

Noam Mizrahi

Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel

5:35-5:55pm Greeks and Phoenicians at the "Fire Gates": Proposing a Northwest Semitic Name for Pithekoussai (Ischia)

<u>Carolina Lopez-Ruiz</u> University of Chicago, USA

4:20-6:25pm 8C. Cultural Heritage: Preservation, Presentation, and Management II (Continental Room C, Lobby)

Chair(s): Kiersten Neumann, Institute for the Study of Ancient Cultures University of Chicago

4:20-4:40pm Introducing Lebanese schoolchildren to their rich cultural heritage

Jack Nurpetlian

(CST)

America University of Beirut, Lebanon

4:45-5:05pm Heritage Interpretation Process, Heritage Resources Between Inclusion and Exclusion, Jordan Case Study

<u>Abdelkader Ababneh</u>

Department of Tourism and Travel - Yarmouk University, Jordan

5:10-5:30pm Maritime Cultural Heritage in the Gaza Strip: Recent Approaches in Capacity Building and Community Engagement

Georgia M Andreou¹, Yasmeen Elkhoudary²

¹University of Southampton, United Kingdom. ²Council of British research in the Levant, United Kingdom

5:35-5:55pm The Impact of Conservation Procedures in a Recognised World Heritage City on the Local Community and Their Daily

Life. The Case of the Old City of Akko, Israel (Virtual)

<u>Shelley-Anne Peleg</u> Univesity of Haifa, Israel 4:20–6:25pm 8D. Archaeologies of Memory III (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Janling Fu, Harvard University | Tate Paulette, North Carolina State University

4:20-4:40pm Assembling the Dead: Collective Burials, Embodiment, and Memory in the Ancient Levant

Melissa S. Cradic

University at Albany, State University of New York, USA. Alexandria Archive Institute/Open Context, USA. Bade Museum of

Archaeology, Pacific School of Religion, USA

4:45-5:05pm Material Memory and Post-mortem Itineraries in Human-herd Animal Relations in the Late Bronze Age South Caucasus

Hannah Chazin

Columbia University, USA

5:10-5:30pm Miqveh as a Site of Memory: Ancient Jewish Immersion Pools in Israel as Assemblages of Corporeal, Ecological, and Ritual

Life (Virtual)

Jaimie N Luria

Cornell University (

Cornell University, USA

5:35-5:55pm Selective Memory and the Material Culture of the Kingdom of Cyprus

<u>an E. Randall</u>

University of British Columbia, Canada

4:20–6:25pm 8E. Bioarchaeology in the Near East II (Astoria Rom, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Megan A. Perry, East Carolina University | Sarah Schrader, Leiden University

4:20-4:40pm Care and Health at the Late Antique Monastery of Deir 'Ain 'Abata

Cecelia Chisdock

University of Notre Dame, USA

4:45-5:05pm The Bioarchaeology of Meroitic Nubia: New Insights from the Ancient Necropolis at Nuri

Remah Abdelrahim Ahmed¹, Gretchen Emma Zoeller², Jenail Marshall³, Abagail Breidenstein⁴, Pearce Paul Creasman⁵

¹Al Neelain University, Sudan. ²University of Pittsburgh, USA. ³Purdue University, USA. ⁴Binghamton University, USA. ⁵American

Center of Research, Jordan

5:10-5:30pm Giardia duodenalis and Dysentery in Iron Age Jerusalem (7th-6th Centuries BCE) (Virtual)

Piers D. Mitchell¹, Tianyi Wang¹, Ya'akov Billig², Yuval Gadot³, Peter Warnock⁴, Dafna Langgut³

¹University of Cambridge, United Kingdom. ²Israel Antiquities Authority, Israel. ³Tel Aviv University, Israel. ⁴Muskegon Community

College, USA

5:35-5:55pm Are They Buried Separately? Investigation of Nonadult Burials from a Spatial Perspective in the Northern Levant at Tell el-

Kerkh, Syria Sari Jammo

University of Tsukuba

4:20–6:25pm 8F. Archaeology of Egypt II (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Julia Troche, Missouri State University

4:20-4:40pm The Lanier Center for Archaeology's 2023 Season as Part of The Nuri Archaeological Expedition

Thomas Davis¹, James Hoffmeier²

¹Lanier Center for Archaeology, Lipscomb University, USA. ²Lanier Center for Archaeology, USA

4:45-5:05pm Nuri Temple 400: an Interpretation of its Monumental Function and Dating

John A. Harmon, Thomas W Davis

Lipscomb University, USA

5:10-5:30am Reassessing the Function of the Meroitic 'Market Compound' at Meinarti, Upper Nubia: How to Address the Debate over

the identification of Magazines, Markets, Granaries, and Warehouses?

Gabrielle Choimet

Sorbonne University, France

5:35-5:55pm (Re)Contextualizing Statuary Reuse at Medinet Habu

Kylie M. Thomsen

University of California, Los Angeles, USA

6:00-6:20pm The Chapel of Osiris Ptah Neb-Ankh and its Function within Karnak Temple

<u>Danielle Candelora</u> SUNY Cortland, USA

4:20–6:25pm 8G. The Archaeology of the Kurdistan Region of Iraq II (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Jason Ur, Harvard University

4:20-4:40pm Mo' Sherds Mo' Problems? The Post-Assyrian Period (ca. 600-400 BCE) at Qach Rresh, Iraqi Kurdistan

Kyra E. Kaercher¹, Petra M. Creamer²

¹Montana State University-Northern, USA. ²Emory University, USA

4:45-5:05pm Low-Cost Seismic Methods for the Detection of Qanat Landscapes on the Erbil Plain

<u>Jordan Brown</u>¹, Mehrnoush Soroush², James W. Rector¹, Aram Amin³, Nisha Kumar⁴, Parsa Kheirandish Zidehsaraei⁵, Jason Ur⁴ ¹University of California, Berkeley, USA. ²University of Chicago, USA. ³Iraqi Institute for the Conservation of Antiquities

and Heritage, Iraq. 4 Harvard University, USA. 5 Università di Pisa, Italy

5:10-5:30pm The Sebittu Project: Results of the 2023 Surveys and Excavations in the Erbil Plain

Timothy Matney

University of Akron, USA

5:35-5:55pm Were Imperial Landscapes Also Landscapes of Empires? A Bottom-Up Approach to the Settlement Structures of

Mesopotamia from the Iron Age to the Early 1st Millennium CE

Rocco Palermo

(CST)

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Bryn Mawr College, USA

4:20–6:25pm 8H. Interdisciplinary Approaches to Seal, Sealing Practices and Administration II (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)

Chair(s): Sarah Scott, Wagner College | Oya Topçuoğlu, Northwestern University

4:20-4:40pm Watchful Stones: The Potent Co-presence of Script and Front-Facing Animals in Cretan MBA Prism Seals (Virtual)

Emily S.K. Anderson

Johns Hopkins Univeristy, USA

4:45-5:05pm New Insights from the Cyprus Museum 'Old Collection' (Virtual)

Alexander Thomas Donald
La Trobe University, Australia

5:10-5:30pm The Glyptic Profile of Megiddo

Ben Greet

University of Zurich, Switzerland

5:35-5:55pm Sealings from Khani Masi: A Biographical Approach

Adam E. Miglio¹, Claudia Glatz², Jacob Lauinger³

¹Wheaton College, USA. ²University of Glasgow, United Kingdom. ³Johns Hopkins University, USA

4:20–6:25pm 81. Sea of Change: Climate and Environmental Change on the Shores of the Sea of Galilee II (Lake Huron Room,

8th Floor)

Chair(s): Michal Artzy, University of Haifa | Miriam Belmaker, The University of Tulsa

4:20-4:40pm Kursi Beach Excavations: Archaeological Remains as Indicators of Late-Holocene Sea of Galilee Level Changes

Michal Artzy¹, Matthieu Giaime^{2,3}

¹Hatter Laboratory, Recanati Institute for Maritime Studies, Department of Maritime Civilizations, School of Archaeology University of Haifa, Israel. ²ASM UMR5140, Université Montpellier 3, CNRS, MCC, France. ³Hatter Laboratory, Recanati Institute

 $for \ Maritime \ Studies, Department \ of \ Maritime \ Civilizations, \ University \ of \ Haifa, \ Israel$

4:45-5:05pm Settlement Development and Lake Level Changes in Tiberias in the Byzantine and Early Islamic Periods. Preliminary

Results of the South Tiberias Lake Area Project (Virtual)

Emmanuel Nantet
University of Haifa, Israel

5:10-5:30pm Sea of Change: Climate and Environmental Change on the Shores of the Sea of Galilee

Wolfgang Zwickel

University of Mainz, Old Testament and Biblical Archaeology, Germany

4:20–6:25pm 8J. Cultures of Mobility and Borders in the Ancient Near Ear (Lake Erie Room A, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Shane M. Thompson, North Caroline Wesleyan College | Eric M. Trinka, James Madison University

4:20-4:40pm Yahweh and the Mountain: A Mythological Response to New Topography and Borders

Shane M. Thompson

North Carolina Wesleyan University, USA

5:10-5:30pm Idealized Boundaries of the Kingdom of Babylon

Zachary Rubin

Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel

5:35-5:55pm A Comprehensive Analysis of Late Bronze Age Copper Sources: Reevaluation of Copper Ingots using Lead Isotope

Analysis, Chemical Composition, and a Mixing Model (Virtual)

<u>Danny M. Finn</u>, Naama Yahalom-Mack, Yigal Erel The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel

6:00-6:20pm A Hydrological Model of Migration and Settlement in Biblical Transjordan (Virtual)

Deborah A. Hurn

Avondale University, Australia. Australian Institute of Archaeology, Australia

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2023

8:20–10:25am 9A. The Aims of Scribal Education in the Ancient Middle East I (Continental Room A, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Jana Matuszak, Institute for the Study of Ancient Cultures, University of Chicago | Susanne Paulus, Institute for the Study of Ancient

Cultures, University of Chicago

8:20-8:40am Back to School in Babylonia – School at the End of an Era

Susanne Paulus

University of Chicago, USA

8:45-9:05am Old Babylonian Scribal Education: Curricular Aims, Goals, and Objectives.

Niek Veldhuis UC Berkeley, USA

9:10-9:30am The Role of Sumerian Model Contracts in the Old Babylonian Scribal Education: an Assessment (Virtual)

Gabriella Spada

Sapienza - University of Rome, Italy

9:35-9:55am Learning to Write Letters in Akkadian (Virtual)

Marine Béranger

Freie Universität Berlin, Germany

10:00-10:20am This is Your Homework of the Day! On the é-um-mi-a Records from Old Babylonian Nippur.

Anne Goddeeris

Ghent University, Belgium

8:20–10:25am 9B. Digital Ethics in Ancient Near Eastern Research – Workshop (Continental Room B, Lobby)

Chair(s): Ellie Bennett, University of Helsinki | Sara Mohr, Hamilton College

Assyriology, Digital Humanities and Ethics (Virtual)

Saana Svärd

(CST)

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University of Helsinki, Finland

For Whom the Model Loads: Digital Public Archaeology and the Digital Divide

Matthew D. Howland

Wichita State University, USA

When in Doubt, Leave Her Out? Including Women in Virtual Simulations in Antiquity: The Case of the Neo-Assyrian Queen in

Nimrud's Northwest Palace

Amy Rebecca Gansell
St John's University, USA

Don't Ask, Don't Tell: The Odd and Murky Business of Sharing, Scraping, and Stealing Cuneiform Text Metadata in an Online

Research Environment (Virtual)

Rune Rattenborg

Uppsala University, Sweden

8:20–10:25am 9C. The Transition from the Neo-Assyrians to the Neo-Babylonian Periods (Continental Room C, Lobby)

Chair(s): Jonathan Gardner, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School | Christopher W. Jones, University of Helsinki

8:20-8:40am The Case for Global Assyria

<u>Christopher W. Jones</u> University of Helsinki, USA

8:45-9:05am Collapse and Transition from the Rural Perspective in the Post-Assyrian Period

<u>Petra M. Creamer</u> Emory University, USA

9:10-9:30am Imperial Shifts in Iron-Age Mesopotamian-style Buildings from the Southern Levant

Heidi Fessler

Loyola Marymount University, USA

9:35-9:55am The Far Margins of Empire: Edom and the Negev in the late 7th and 6th century BCE

Andrew J. Danielson

University of British Columbia, Canada

8:20–10:25am 9D. Recent Work in the Archaeological Sciences (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Zachary Dunseth, Brown University

8:20-8:40am Redefining the Cyprus Orefields: Innovative Provenancing of Ancient Copper Metallurgy

Patrick Degryse^{1,2}, Sarah De Ceuster¹

¹KU Leuven, Belgium. ²Leiden University, Netherlands

8:45-9:05am A Part of It All? Micro-archaeological Investigations of Food Storage Features in the Northern Fertile Crescent

Valentina Tumolo^{1,2}, Lisa Maher²

¹Università degli Studi della Tuscia, Italy. ²UC Berkeley, USA

9:10-9:30am Phytoliths as a Proxy to Investigate Yavne's Wine and Pottery Production Industries

Kali R Wade¹, Rachel Lindemann^{2,1}, Shawn Bubel²

¹Atlatl Archaeology Ltd., Canada. ²University of Lethbridge, Canada

9:35-9:55am Pathologies of an Ancient Livestock Population: A Glimpse into Patterns of Practice

Theo Kassebaum

University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, USA

10:00-10:20am How did the Legion get its Ferrata: A Transdisciplinary Study of Ferrous Metallurgy at Roman Iudaea/Palaestina

<u>Yarden Pagelson</u>, Peter Fabian, Yuval Goren Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Israel

8:20–10:25am *9E. Archaeology of Anatolia I (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)*

(CST) Chair(s): James Osborne, Oriental Institute, University of Chicago

8:20-8:40am Pottery Production and Trade at Küllüoba, Turkey: A Discussion of Craft Production and Networks in Western Anatolia

From a Microscopic Level (Virutal)

Ashley Cercone

University at Buffalo (SUNY Buffalo), USA

8:45-9:05am Surveying Hittite Empire's Western Frontier: Polatlı Landscape Archaeology and Survey Project (PLAS)

<u>Müge Durusu-Tanriover</u> Temple University, USA

9:10-9:30am Locating Tarhuntašša, an Imperial Capital in Central Anatolia

Michele Massa

Biljent University, Turkey

9:35-9:55am New Discoveries on Alabaster Idols and Statuettes of the 3rd Millennium BC at Kültepe: A Comparative Analysis to

Understand the Typology, Context And Meanings of Ritual Objects (Virutal)

Güzel Öztürk¹, Fikri Kulakoglu²

¹Balıkesir University, Turkey. ²Ankara University, Turkey

10:00-10:20am Monumental Loaves: The Role of Fire Installations in Structuring Elite Space at 2nd Millennium BCE Kaymakçı, Western

Anatolia

<u>Catherine B. Scott</u>, Tunç Kaner Koç University, Turkey

8:20–10:25am 9F. Archaeology of Egypt III (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Julia Troche, Missouri State University

8:20-8:40am The Liquid Commodities Trade Between Egypt and the Levant in the 3rd Millennium BC

Karin Sowada¹, Sophia Aharonovich², Margaret Serpico³

¹Macquarie University, Australia. ²Australian Catholic University, Australia. ³University College London, United Kingdom

8:45-9:05am Problematizing Egyptian "Model Tools": A Characterization of the Functionality of Egyptian Cupreous Tools in Museum

Collections

Matei T. Tichindelean

University of California, Los Angeles, USA

9:10-9:30am Life is More than Food: Gardens in Ancient Egypt

Robyn Price

Brown University, USA

9:35-9:55am New Stories, Old Wood: Reinvestigating Coffin Fragments from New Kingdom Saqqara

Caroline J. Arbuckle MacLeod

St Thomas More College, University of Saskatchewan, Canada

10:00-10:20am Color Me Beautiful: Dyes and Dyeing in Roman Egyptian Textiles from Karanis, Egypt

Suzanne L. Davis, Caroline Roberts

University of Michigan, Kelsey Museum of Archaeology, USA

8:20–10:25am 9G. Ceramic Building Materials in the Roman and Late Antique Near East – Workshop (Lake Ontario Room, 8th

(CST) Floor)

Chair(s): Braig A. Harvey, University of Alberta

Ceramic Building Materials in Bathhouses of Syria-Palaestina (Virtual)

Arleta Kowalewska

Hippos Excavations Project, Israel

The Roof Tiles of Ala VII Phrygum from Tel Shalem (Virtual)

Clarissa Agricola

Archaeological Institute, University of Cologne, Germany

A Uniquely Preserved Roof from a Byzantine Church in Ancient Ashdod-Yam

Philip Ebeling

University of Münster, Germany

Trash or Treasure? Recycled Roof Tiles and Bricks in Roman Petra (Virtual)

Pirjo Hamari

University of Helsinki, Finland

Bricks and Melted Bricks from Humayma, Jordan

M. Barbara Reeves¹, Craig A. Harvey²

¹Queen's University, Canada. ²University of Alberta, Canada

8:20–10:25am 9H. Archaeology of Iran I (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Kyle Gregory Olson, University of Pennsylvania

8:20-8:40am Revisiting Seh Gabi, a Chalcolithic Site in Western Iran: Importance, Methodology, and Challenges

Golnaz Hossein Mardi

University of Toronto, Canada

8:45-9:05am Old Mandibles, New Insights: Herd Management at Tepe Yahya, Iran

Melina Seabrook Harvard University, USA

9:10-9:30am Fingerprint Impressions on Ganj Dareh's Clay Objects: Case Study for Reconstructing Gender and Age Roles in the Early

Neolithic (Virtual) Sanaz Shirvani

University of Montreal, Canada

9:35-9:55am Giving New Life to a Key Legacy Collection from Iran: the Case of the Ganj Dareh Archive (1965-1974) (Virtual)

<u>Julien Riel-Salvatore</u>, Sanaz Shirvani, Alejandra Uribe Albornoz, Stéphanie Falardeau, Estelle Maitre

Université de Montréal, Canada

10:00-10:20am Separation of Objects from Contexts: Research Strategies for a Divided Dataset (Mahidasht Survey Project, Kermanshah,

western Iran) (Virtual)

Steve Renette

University of Cambridge, England

8:20-10:25am

91. Archaeology of Connectivity I (Kae Huron Room, 8th Floor)

(CST)

Chair(s): Laura Pisanu, University of Melbourne

8:20-8:40am The Aegean Lion and its Connections to Egypt and the Near East (Virtual)

<u>Christopher James Greenough</u> The University of Melbourne, Australia

8:45-9:05am The Boat of Heaven Brings Bounty: Near Eastern Influence in Aegean Initiation Ritual

Brandelyn M. Andres Yavapai College, USA

9:10-9:30am In a State of Suspenseful Animation: Let's Party Like It's 1199

Louise A. Hitchcock

University of Melbourne, Australia

9:35-10:25am General Discussion

8:20-10:25am

(CST)

9J. The Persians and the Phoenicians: Administration, Markets, and Trade – Workshop (Lake Erie Room, 8th

Floor)

Chair(s): Helen Dixon, East Carolina University | James D. Moore, Humboldt University, Berlin

Mortuary Markets: Sidon's Role in a Network of Exchange in Burial Goods and Ideas

Helen Dixon

East Carolina University, USA

In Search of the Persians on Cyprus: Chronology, Geography and Archaeology

<u>Joseph A. Greene</u> Harvard University, USA

Phoenician and Imperial Aramaic Administrative Interactions

James D. Moore

Ohio State University, USA

Quantifying Exports in the Elephantine Palimpsest (TAD C3.7)

<u>Christopher S. Parmenter</u> Ohio State University, USA

Persian Military Garrisons as Sites of International Trade in Achaemenid Egypt (Virtual)

<u>Joanna S. Töyräänvuori</u> University of Helsinki, Finland

8:20–10:25am (CST)

9K. Archaeology of the Near East and Video Games I (Boulevard Room A, 2nd Floor)

Chair(s): Tine Rassalle, Museum of the Southern Jewish Experience

8:20-8:40am The Queen and the Non-Player Character: Women of the Ancient Near East in Assassin's Creed

Roselyn A. Campbell

University of California, Los Angeles, USA. University of California, Riverside, USA

8:45-9:05am A Look at the Accuracy of How Weaving and Textiles Are Represented Within Video Games and How It Relates to the

Future of Virtual Reality

Jaime I. Bennett

La Sierra University, USA

Divine Pixels: Unveiling the Interactive Gospel - Exploring the Representation of Jesus and the New Testament in Video 9:10-9:30am

Games

Tine Rassalle

Museum of the Southern Jewish Experience

9:35-10:00am General Discussion

Coffee Break & Exhibitory Raffle (Normandie Lounge, 2nd Floor) 10:25-10:40am

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10:40am-12:45pm 10A. The Aims of Scribal Education in the Ancient Middle East II (Continental Room A, Lobby)

Chair(s): Jana Matuszak, Institute for the Study of Ancient Cultures, University of Chicago | Susanne Paulus, Institute for the Study of Ancient (CST)

Cultures, University of Chicago

Considering the Role of Professional Texts and their Transmission in the Scribal Curriculum 10:40-11:00am

Gina Konstantopoulos

University of California Los Angeles, USA

11:05-11:25am School Days and School Hours: How Long Did it Take to Learn to Write in Early Mesopotamia?

Paul Delnero

Johns Hopkins University, USA

11:30-11:50am Name it! Lists of Personal Names as Pedagogical Tools

> Klaus Wagensonner Yale University, USA

11:55am-12:15pm The Prisms of House F

Richard JL Essam

Johns Hopkins University, USA

Beyond House F: The Education of Elite Children in Areas TA and TB of Old Babylonian Nippur 12:20-12:40pm

Piotr Michalowski

University of Michigan, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 10B. Understanding Power in the Ancient World: Approaches, Manifestations, and Responses (Continental Room

B, Lobby) (CST)

Chair(s): Shane M. Thompson, North Carolina Wesleyan College | Jessica Tomkins, Wofford College

10:40-11:00am Reciprocal Care or Royal Coercion? Gramscian Common Sense, Consciousness, and Subalternity Amongst the Workers at

> Deir el-Medina Leah Neiman

Brown University, USA

Negotiating Power in Silence: Absence of Kingship as Resistance in Middle Kingdom Egypt 11:05-11:25am

Luiza Osorio G. Silva

University of California, Irvine, USA

11:30-11:50am The Joy of Propaganda: The Affective Potency of Ancient Near Eastern Courts

Timothy Hogue

University of Pennsylvania, USA

The Art of Achaemenid Allegiance: (Dis)Simulating Persian Iconography in Clazomenian Sarcophagi 11:55am-12:15pm

> Leticia R. Rodriguez Trinity University, USA

Mobility and/as Power (Virtual) 12:20-12:40pm

> Eric M. Trinka Colby College, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 10C. Digital Archaeology and History I (Continental Room C, Lobby)

(CST)

Chair(s): Tiffany Earley-Spadoni, University of Central Florida | Matthew Howland, Wichita State University

10:40-11:0am

The Application of Laser Scanning and Photogrammetry for the Documentation, Preservation and Conservation of Miniature Figurative Ancient Pieces from Southern Levant in the Early Bronze Age(Khirbet Ez Zeraqon Miniature Figurative

Pieces, Case Study) (Virtual)

Fardous Khalid Al-Ajlouny¹, Amara Mohammad Abu Zaitoun², Hassan Ahmad Alyassin¹

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11:05-11:25am

Accessibility and the Untapped Potential of 3D photogrammetric Modeling in bioarchaeology: a Case Study from the

Nubian Necropolis, Nuri (Virtual)

<u>Gretchen Emma Zoeller</u>¹, Jenail Marshall², Kari A. Guilbault², Remah Abdelrahim³, Pearce Paul Creasman⁴, Abagail Bridenstein⁵ ¹ University of Pittsburgh, USA.² Purdue University, USA.³ Al NEELAIE University, Sudan.⁴ American Center of Research (ACOR),

Jordan. 5 Binghamton University, USA

11:30-11:50am

Reassessing the Utility of 4D Photogrammetry at Tall al-'Umayri: Novel Approaches for Daily Photogrammetry in the

Trenches

Matthew L. Vincent¹, Kent V. Bramlett², Douglas R. Clark²

¹American Center of Research, Jordan. ²La Sierra University, USA

11:55am-12:15pm

Mapping Ancient Architecture using Aerial Thermal Imaging: Case Studies from Oman

Jesse Casana¹, Paige Paulsen², Jennifer Swerida³, Eli Dollarhide⁴, Petra Creamer⁵, Austin Chad Hill⁶, Carolin Ferwerda¹ ¹Dartmouth, USA. ²Johns Hopkins University, USA. ³Bryn Mawr College, USA. ⁴NYU Abu Dhabi, UAE. ⁵Emory University,

USA. 6 University of Pennsylvania, USA

12:20-12:40pm

Disasters and Archaeology: A Remote Sensing Approach for Determination of Archaeology At-Risk to Desertification in

Iran and Beyond (Virtual)

Rachel Smith-Leach

The University of Oxford, United Kingdom. Adventure Partners, USA. Chronicle Heritage, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 10D. Art Historical Approaches to the Near East I (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST)

Chair(s): Amy Gansell, St. John's University | S. Rebecca Martin, Boston University

10:40-11:00am

Cylinder Seals in Image/Imagination

Elizabeth A. Knott Yale University, USA

11:05-11:25am

Why Zebu Was Used as the Divine Guardian of Chogha Zanbil? Based on a New Iconological Approach (Virtual)

Sara Hajinezhad

Università degli Studi di Napoli "L'Orientale", Italy

11:30-11:50am

Hybrid Furniture and Composite Creatures in Nubian Cross-Cultural Interactions

Carl Walsh

New York University, USA

11:55am-12:15pm

Frames of Liminality: A Diachronic Study of the Running Spiral Motif in the Aegean and the Near East

<u>Lambros Tapinos</u>

The University of Melbourne, Australia

12:20-12:40pm

General Discussion

10:40am-12:45pm 10E. Archaeology of Anatolia II (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): James Osborne, Oriental Institute, University of Chicago

10:40-11:00am

The 2023 Season of the Kerkenes Project

Scott Branting¹, Joseph W. Lehner², Sevil Baltalı Tırpan³, Gökçe Bike Yazıcıoğlu-Santamaria⁴, Dominique Langis-Barsetti⁵, Tuna Kalaycı⁶, Sarah R. Graff⁷, Nilüfer Baturayoğlu Yöney¹, Amanda Groff¹, Soran Avcıl⁸, Canan Çakırlar Oddens⁹, Jessica Robkin¹, Laurien

Folkerts9, Ruben Komen9, Étienne Beaulac10, Alain Goupil10, Annalise Whalen1, Atakan Atabas1

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Canada. 5 University of Toronto, Canada. 6 Leiden University, Netherlands. 7 Arizona State University, USA. 8 Kerkenes Project,

Turkey. 9 University of Groningen, Netherlands. 10 Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières, Canada

11:05-11:25am Tracing Palace Ware Production in the Neo-Assyrian Provinces

Britt E. Hartenberger¹, Timothy C. Matney²

¹Western Michigan University, USA. ²University of Akron, USA

11:30-11:50am Recent Archaeological Fieldwork at Tell Atchana: Revisiting the End of the Late Bronze Age at Alalakh

Murat Akar¹, Müge Bulu², <u>Tara Ingman</u>³, Ulaş Avşar⁴, Hasan Peker⁵, Hélène Maloigne², Onur Hasan Kırman²

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Koç University, Turkey. ⁴Middle East Technical University, Turkey. ⁵Istanbul University, Turkey

11:55am-12:15pm Coping with Climate Change: Continued Work at Çadır Höyük

Sharon R. Steadman¹, Burcu Yıldırım², Deniz Erdem³, Jennifer C. Ross⁴, Gregory McMahon⁵

¹SUNY Cortland, USA. ²Leiden University, Turkey. ³Middle Eastern Technical University, Turkey. ⁴Hood College, USA. ⁵University of

New Hampshire, USA

12:20-12:45pm General Discussion

10:40am-12:45pm 10F. Uniting Survey and Excavation Data from the Hesi Region (Israel) (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Jeffrey A. Blakely, Cobb Institute of Archaeology, Mississippi State University. University of Wisconsin-Madison

10:40-11:00am Geology and Hydrology: The Waters of Hesi

Jeffrey A. Blakely, Erika M. Niemann

Cobb Institute, Mississippi State University, USA

11:05-11:25am Flora: Understanding the Industrial Ash Deposits at Tell el-Hesi

Geoffrey E. Ludvik^{1,2}, Jeffrey A. Blakely^{1,2}

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11:30-11:50am The Results of Recent Excavations at Iron Age II Khirbet Summeily in Southern Israel

James W. Hardin

Mississippi State University, USA

11:5am-12:15pm Feeding Hesi: Insights from Excavations and Surveys regarding Herd Management and Food Provisioning at EB IIIA Tell el-

Hesi

Kara Larson^{1,2}, Anna Luurtsema³, Alicia Ventresca Miller¹

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12:20-12:40pm General Discussion

Timothy P. Harrison

ISAC Museum, University of Chicago

10:40am-12:45pm 10G. Archaeology of Mesopotamia I (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Darren Ashby, University of Pennsylvania | Katherina Burge, University of Pennsylvania

10:40-11:oaam Report on the Fourth and Fifth Seasons of the Lagash Archaeological Project (Virtual)

<u>Holly Pittman</u>

University of Pennsylvania, USA. Penn Museum, USA

11:05-11:25am From Clay to Pots: the ED IIIA Pottery Workshop from Area H at Lagash (Virtual)

Sara Pizzimenti¹, Marc Marin Webb²

¹University of Pisa, Italy. ²University of Pennsylvania, USA

11:30-11:50am The Early Dynastic Pottery Repertoire Sequence from Area H in Lagash (Iraq): Persistence, Changes, Evolutions. Sara (CST)

Quaggio (University of Pisa) (Virtual)

Sara Quaggio

University of Pisa, Italy

11:55am-12:15pm Four Seasons of Geoarchaeological Investigations at Tell al-Hiba, Lagash: A Summary Report (Virtual)

Reed Goodman

New York University (ISAW), USA

12:20-12:40pm Recent Landscape Exploration of the Eastern Side of Lagash During Extensive Arid Seasons (Virtual)

Zaid Alrawi

Penn Museum, USA

10:40am-12:45pm 10H. Archaeology of Iran II (Lake Michigan Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Kyle Gregory Olson, University of Pennsylvania

10:40-11:00am The Freer Bowl: Bellerophon Unveiled

JoAnn Scurlock

Elmhurst College (Retired), USA

11:05-11:25am Proto-Elamite Enclaves in the Eastern Iran (Virtual)

Nasir Eskandari

University of Tehran, Iran, Islamic Republic of

11:30-11:50am A Review of Methods and Theory for Re-Use of Legacy Collections in the Archaeology of Iran

Kyle G. Olson

Washington University in St. Louis, USA

11:55am-12:15pm Tangeh Dez Crypt, an Elimaite Innovation in the North of Khuzestan

<u>Artism Bakhtiarvand</u>¹, Maryam Hoseinpor², Ayub Soltani³ ¹Tehran University. ² Isfahan University. ³ Abhar University

12:20pm-12:40pm Revision of Hasanlu VII Period, it's Cultural Zone and Chronology Based on the New Excavations in the Lake Urmia Basin

(Virtual)

Ghader Ebrahimi, Sepideh Majidkha

University of Mohaghegh Ardabili, Iran, Islamic Republic of

10:40am-12:45pm 101. Archaeology of Connectivity II (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Laura Pisanu, University of Melbourne

10:40-11:00am Cypriot Trade and Diplomacy in the Late Bronze Age: a Mirror Perspective

Laura Elisabeth Alvarez

University of Cambridge, United Kingdom. Université libre de Bruxelles, Belgium

11:05-11:25am Between East and West: The Role of Nuragic Sardinia in the Late Bronze Age Metal Trade (Virtual)

Serena Sabatini

University of Gothenburg, Sweden

11:30-11:50am Southern Sardinia and the Wider Mediterranean Web - A View from the islet of Sant'Antioco (Virtual)

Constance von Rüden

Ruhr-University Bochum, Germany

11:55am-12:15pm General Discussion

10:40am-12:45pm 10J. Islamic Seas and Shores: Connecting the Medieval Maritime World (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Veronica Morriss, University of Chicago | Asa Eger, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

10:40-11:00am Connecting East Africa to the Mediterranean

<u>Tasha Vorderstrasse</u> University of Chicago, USA

11:05-11:25am Global Interaction in the Late 19th/early 20th Century Bosnian Coastal Town of Caesarea

Asa Eger

University of North Carolina Greensboro

11:30-11:50am Defensive Systems in the Medieval and Postmedieval Alboran Sea. A Comparative Study (Virtual)

<u>Bilal Sarr</u>, Luca Mattei University of Granada, Spain

11:55am-12:15pm General Discussion

10:40am-12:45pm 10K. Archaeology of the Near East ad Video Games II (Boulevard Room A, 2nd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Tine Rassalle, Museum of the Southern Jewish Experience

10:40-11:00am Winning: Archaeological Concepts and Video Games

<u>Shannon Martino</u> Morton College, USA

11:05-11:25am The Neverending Story of Gilgamesh: Using Dungeons and Dragons to Teach History and Explore Myth

Samantha Suppes

University of Chicago, USA

11:30-11:50am Archaeogaming Education in Middle Schools (Virtual)

Paige Brevick^{1,2}, David Danzig^{3,2}

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World, New York University, USA

11:55am-12:15pm Fringe Engagement in Archaeology: The Use of Twitch to Encourage the Exploration of Archaeogaming

Debra Trusty

University of Iowa, USA

12:20-12:40pm General Discussion

12:45–2:00pm Poster Session (Grand Ballroom Royer, 2nd Floor)

(CST) Session Chair: Sarah Wenner, University of Cincinnati

Mapping the Past: A Quantitative Approach to Hittite Historical Geography via Network Analysis

Ali Akman

Brown University, USA

The Beauty and the Beast (The Value of Memory Re Use of Basalt Atone in the Local Community of Umm El-Jimal)

Ahmad Hussein Aladamat

Umm El-Jimal Municipality, Jordan

The Issue of Social Complexity in the Early Bronze Age of Anatolia Through Built Environment-Behavior Perspective

<u>Ayşe Iraz Alpay</u>

Middle East Technical University, Turkey

Improved Imaging Techniques to Identify Tattoos in Human Mummified Remains

Anne Austin

University of Missouri St. Louis, USA

Beyond Borders: Exploring Exchange Activities in the Near east at the End of the Pottery Neolithic

Anna M. Bach-Gomez

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain

Characterizing the Calcite of Ancient "Egyptian Alabaster"

Micah Gold, Ellery Frahm, Agnete Lassen, Andrew Koh

Yale University, USA

Piecing together the Past: The Ceramic Assemblage of the Renewed Excavations at Erimi Pitharka

Brigid Clark¹, Laerke Recht², Lorenzo Mazzotta³, Katarzyna Zeman-Wisniewska⁴

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Emergency documentation, consolidation, and stabilization of the fortifications at the Early Bronze Age site of Khirbat Iskandar, Jordan (Virtual)

Marta D'Andrea¹, Suzanne Richard², Jesse C. Long Jr³, Nicola Lanzaro¹, Maéva Lhériteau⁴, Carolina Cioffi¹

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Social Media Utilization for Engagement of Humanities-Based Non-Profit Audiences: Opportunities, Models, and Barriers David Danzig

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Landscape Perspectives of an Early Bronze Age Settlement: Results of the 2023 Khirbat Iskandar Umm el-Idham Survey

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Tracking 7,000 years of technological developments in the copper mines of Timna using vitrification of slag as a proxy

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NAHAN—North African Heritage Archives Network: A Shared Online Resource

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Cuts Like a Knife? A Non-Destructive Cementum Seasonality Study Using the Canadian Light Source Synchrotron

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Sacred Animals in Elamite Iconography: A Comparative Cultural Interpretation through a new adaptation of Panofsky's Approach (Virtual)

Sara Hajinezhad

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Bringing the Past to the Future: Preservation and Accessibility of Written Data from the Sotira Kaminoudhia Excavations

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Decoding Communities of Practice: Textile Marks from Pharaonic Egypt

Heidi Hilliker

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A Comparison of Digital Unwrapping Methods for Cylindrical Seals

Junyan Hu, Elizabeth Knott, Agnete Lassen, Klaus Wagensonner

Yale University, USA

Third Intermediate Period / Iron Age I-IIA Raphia and The Fate of the North Sinai Forts during the Bronze to Iron Age Transition

Stuart J Ibrahim

University of Melbourne, Australia

Digital Media and Online Resources in Ancient Mediterranean Studies Teaching: Current Practices and Future Opportunities (Virtual)

Christine L Johnston¹, Chelsea A.M. Gardner²

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Publishing Your Data & Using Published Data

Sarah Whitcher Kansa, Eric C Kansa

Open Context (Alexandria Archive Institute), USA

Kites in the Context of Climate Change. The 2023 Kites in Context Field Season

Ali Atallah Al-Hajji¹², Jennifer Feng³, Joseph Harris⁴, Blair Heidkamp⁵, Austin Chad Hill³, <u>Morag M. Kersel</u>f°, Kathleen Morrison³, Megan Nishida⁷, Gary O. Rollefson⁸, Yorke M. Rowan⁴, Amelie Schmücker⁹

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An Examination of Function and Privacy: Exploring the Nominal Correlation within the Neighborhood Organization of an Early Urban Center, Case Study of Titriş Höyük

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The Return to Hesi: Report of the 2023 Excavation Season at Tell el-Hesi

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A Study of Polymer Bonding and the Restoration of Fragmented Ancient Pottery

Ellie S Martin

Brigham Young University, USA

Contemplating Humanity Through Artifacts: Engagement With Ancient Near East Imagery as Heritage Education (Virtual)

Kayssa Mavrides

Sapienza University of Rome, Italy

Monkeys, Musicians, and Weavers: Multivalency in the Monkey Frieze from Xeste 3

Laura B. Mazow

East Carolina University, USA

A multi-isotope approach to dendroprovenancing: progress and prospects

Liam McDonald, Sturt W Manning

Cornell University, USA

A Multipurpose Tool: Investigating the Implications of Acheulian Hand Axes Present in the Hesi Region

Elizabeth Meyer, Kara Larson

University of Michigan, USA

Analysis of Ancient Nubian Funerary Feasting through Organic Residue Testing (Gas Chromatography - Mass Spectrometry / GC-MS)

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Copper circulation in the southern Levant during the EBIIIA: Tell el-Hesi as a case study

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So what is the "Instituto Bíblico y Oriental" (Spain)?

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The Gird-i Matrab Archaeological Project: Exploring Rural Life in Mesopotamia From the Birth of Social Complexity to the Age of the Empires

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Communities of Ceramic Practice and the development of complex societies in the Jordan Valley in the 4th and 3rd millennia BCE

Kyriaki Papastergiou

Durham University, United Kingdom. British Museum, United Kingdom

The Ceramic Incense Shovels of Shikhin

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Childhood Injury at Bab adh-Dhra'

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Embodied Inequality in Ancient Nubia: A Bioarchaeological Examination of Long Bone Length

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The CyberArchWarehouse: An immersive collaborative environment for academic research in archaeology and other scientific fields

Neil Smith, Adrian Rodarte, Aria Gross Villa, Jeffrey Hata, Thomas Levy UC San Diego, USA

Historic Metahumans

Neil Smith, Joseph Dang, Joseph Teh, Jack Andolina, Jialin Chen, Aryeh Keating, Thomas Levy UC San Diego, USA

Monastic Networks and Economic Dynamics in Medieval Kyrenia Range: A Case Study of Sourp Magar Monastery, Cyprus

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Pebbles on the Ground: the systematic sampling of floors at Tel el-Hesi 2023

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Mining and Quarrying: A Synchronic Mapping of Technological Variations and Social Complexity During the Chalcolithic Period in Israel

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Preliminary Analysis of a Late Bronze Age Shell Cache from Tell el-Hesi

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Contexticon: A Digital Solution for Teaching Koine Greek in Context

Annalise Whalen

University of Central Florida, USA

Investigating Early Hellenistic Cyprus Floor Assemblage: Excvations at Pyla-Vigla, 2023

Anna Wilson Reed College, USA

12:45-2:00pm

(CST)

Initiative on the Status of Women in ASOR: Mentoring Lunch (Boulevard C, 2nd Floor)

2:00 pm-4:05pm 11A. The Aims of Scribal Education in the Ancient Middle East III (Continental Room A, Lobby)

(CST)

Chair(s): Jana Matuszak, Institute for the Study of Ancient Cultures, University of Chicago | Susanne Paulus, Institute for the Study of Ancient Cultures, University of Chicago

2:00-2:20pm

Lessons and Laughter: Humor as a Pedagogical Method in 1st Millennium Mesopotamia

Shana Zaia

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Netherlands

2:25-2:45pm

Houses, Neighborhoods, Complaints: An Emergent Topic in Sumerian Proverb Collection 2

Mason C. Wilkes

Johns Hopkins University, USA

2:50-3:10pm

Literary Intertextuality in the Context of the Old Babylonian Scribal School

Jane Gordon

University of Chicago, USA

3:15-3:35pm

Only for Bureaucrats? Sumerian Literature Between Scribal Education and Scholarship

Jana Matuszak

University of Chicago, USA

3:40-4:05pm

General Discussion

2:00 pm-4:05pm 11B. Museums and Social Justice (Continental Room B, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Caitlin Clerkin, Harvard Art Museums | Katherine Larson, Corning Museum of Glass

2:00-2:20pm Can Ancient Objects Do Modern Racist Work? Excavating the History of the Johns Hopkins Archaeological Museum, (CST)

1882-1930 (Virtual) Sanchita Balachandran

Johns Hopkins Archaeological Museum, USA

2:25-2:45pm A Look into the Past, Present, and Future of a Museum: What Should and Can Change?

Pinar Durgun¹

¹Vorderasiatisches Museum, Berlin State Museums, Germany.

2:50-3:10pm From Cuneiform to Emoji: Why Does Writing Matter? (Virtual)

Yaroub Al Obaidi
Duquesne University, USA

3:15-3:35pm Modeling Transparency and Reflexivity in Collections Management: the Pella Case Study

Siavash Samei¹, Beth Derderian², Marianne Wardle², Sydney Berenson², Maura Ellenberger², Moira McCudden², Kendall

Travarca², Emily Voneman², Olivia Navarro-Farr²
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3:40-4:00pm New Stories from Old Coins at the Cincinnati Art Museum

Sarah Wenner

Cincinnati Art Museum, USA

2:00 pm-4:05pm 11C. Digital Archaeology and History II (Continental Room C, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Tiffany Earley-Spadoni, University of Central Florida | Matthew Howland, Wichita State University

2:00-2:20pm Identifying Ancient Intra Monastic Pathways Among Gandharan Buddhist Sites Through GIS

Faizan A. Khan^{1,2}, Fred Valdez^{1,3}

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2:25-2:45pm Exploring Valley Landscapes in Kushan Afghanistan - Circuit Analysis and Site Placement in the Hindu Kush

Harrison M. Morin

The University of Chicago, USA

2:50-3:10pm Up in Flames!: Reconstructing the Fall of Kerkenes with Agent-Based Modelling

<u>Dominique Langis-Barsetti</u> University of Toronto, Canada

3:15-3:35pm Hot Heads and Livers: Comparing Akkadian and English Embodiments of 'Anger'

Ellie Bennett

University of Helsinki, Finland

3:40-4:00pm Investigating Nineteenth-Century Nile Networks: The Diaries of Mrs. Emma B. Andrews (Virtual)

Sarah Ketchley

University of Washington, USA

2:00 pm-4:05pm 11D. Art Historical Approaches to the Near East II (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Amy Gansell, St. John's University | S. Rebecca Martin, Boston University

2:00-2:20pm Conspicuous Alterity: The Role of Monument X in Sargon II's (721-705 BCE) Royal Palace at Khorsabad

Bianca E. Hand

Johns Hopkins University, USA

2:25-2:45pm The Circulation of Plaster Casts of Neo-Assyrian Reliefs in Spain: the "Wounded Lioness" as Case Study

Agnès Garcia-Ventura

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain

2:50-3:10pm Beyond Close Reading: Imagining Ancient Women in Graphic Detail

Shawna Dolansky¹, Sarah Malena², Sarah Cook³

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3:15-3:35pm Towards Integrating Art Historical and Archaeological Methods in Research on the Art of the Arab-Persian Gulf in the

Early Islamic Period.

Agnieszka Lic

Institute of Mediterranean and Oriental Cultures, Polish Academy of Sciences, Poland

3:40-4:05pm General Discussion

2:00 pm-4:05pm 11E. Archaeology of Arabia I (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Jennifer Swerida, University of Pennsylvania

2:00-2:20pm South Arabia's Prehistoric Monuments, Climate Change, and Social Resilience

<u>Joy McCorriston</u>¹, Lawrence Ball², Ian Hamilton¹, Michael J. Harrower³, Sarah J. Ivory⁴, Abigail F. Buffington⁵, Tara Steimer-Herbet⁶

¹The Ohio State University, USA. ²Kent Wildlife Trust, United Kingdom. ³Johns Hopkins University, USA. ⁴Penn State University,

USA. 5 College of William & Mary, USA. 6 Universite de Geneve, Switzerland

2:25-2:45pm People Heritage Ecological Knowledge of Arabia

Amer Alsouliman

Estren Jafr archaeological project, Jordan

2:50-3:10pm UmWeltWandel: A Multidisciplinary Project Examining Human-Environment Relationships in Early Bronze Age Central

Oman. First Results and Prospects

Lucas Proctor¹, Tara Beuzen-Waller², Katharina Schmitt³, Julia Unkelbach⁴, Conrad Schmidt²

¹J.W. Goethe University Frankfurt am Main, Germany. ²University of Tübingen, Germany. ³University of Mainz, Germany. ⁴University

of Göttingen, Germany

3:15-3:35pm Beyond the Oasis: Diversity of settlement and subsistence at the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Bat, Oman

Jennifer Swerida¹, Eli Dollarhide²

¹University of Pennsylvania, USA. ²New York University Abu Dhabi, UAE

3:40-4:opm Reconstruction of Fishing Technology from the Um-an-Nar Cultureof HD-1, Ras al-Hadd, Sultanate of Oman

William R. Belcher

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, USA

2:00 pm-4:05pm 11F. Archaeology of the Black Sea and the Caucasus (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Lara Fabian, Albert-Ludwigs-Universitaet Freiburg

2:00-2:20pm Gadachrili Gora: Mapping the Medieval Period

John Steven Mooney

University of Calgary, Canada

2:25-2:45pm Restrain Yourselves Already!!! A New Look at the Kura-Araxes Expansion/ Baby-Boom???

Stephen Batiuk

University of Toronto, Canada

2:50-3:10pm Digital Archaeologies: a View from the Azat River Valley in Armenia

Elizabeth Fagan

Virginia Commonwealth University, USA

3:15-3:35pm Fortress Politics from the Bottom Up? Rethinking Settlement in the Early Iron Age Caucasus

Lauren M Ristvet¹, Veli Bakhshaliyev², Robert Bryant¹

¹University of Pennsylvania, USA. ²Azerbaijan National Academy of Sciences, Azerbaijan

3:40-4:00pm The 2023 Shiraki International Multdisciplinary Research (SIMuR) Project (Virtual)

Christine Brandon¹, Elashvili Mikheil², Zimmerman Michael¹

¹Bridgewater State University, USA. ²Ilia State University, Georgia

2:00 pm-4:05pm 11G. Archaeology of Mesopotamic II (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Darren Ashby, University of Pennsylvania | Katherine Burge, University of Pennsylvania

2:00-2:20pm The Umma Survey Project: Results on the Uruk Period (4000-3100 BC)

Stephanie Rost¹, Angelo Di Michele²

¹ City University of New York, Queensborough Community College, USA. ² No affiliation, Italy

2:25-2:45pm Magnetometry and the Urban Fabric of Lagash (Virtual)

Paul C. Zimmerman Penn Museum, USA

2:50-3:10pm Suburbs and Sprawl at the Early Mesopotamian City of Ur

Emily Hammer¹, Angelo Di Michele²

¹University of Pennsylvania, USA. ²Independent Scholar, Italy

3:15-3:35pm New Light on Khorsabad: the Sargon's Citadel Project

Herr Jean-Jacques, Butterlin Pascal

CNRS-ArScAn, France

3:40-4:05pm General Discussion

2:00 pm-4:05pm 11l. Protect and Secure. Technology of Data Protection in the Ancient Near East I (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Jacob Lauinger, The Johns Hopkins University | Jana Mynářová, Charles University, Prauge

2:00-2:20pm Towards the Moment of Production: A Taxonomy of Textual Variants between Tablet and Envelope in the Corpus of Legal

Texts from Middle Bronze Age Alalah

Jacob Lauinger

The Johns Hopkins University, USA

2:25-2:45pm Sealing Envelopes in the Early Second Millennium BCE (Virtual)

Agnete Lassen
Yale University, USA

2:50-3:10pm Bureaucratic (R)evolution—Sealing Practices on Tablets and Envelopes in Eshnunna's Palace Administration During the

Ur III and Post-Ur III Periods

Clemens D. Reichel

University of Toronto, Canada. Royal Ontario Museum, Canada

3:15-3:35pm Save the Date! Applying Channel Coding Theory to Analyse the Use of Year Name Formulae in Old Babylonian

Documentary Texts.

Katrien De Graef, Kevin Hoefman, Michel Tanret

Ghent University, Belgium

3:40-4:05pm General Discussion

2:00 pm-4:05pm 11J. Islamic Society in the Western Mediterranean and Atlantic Coast I (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Kathlenne Forste, Boston University | Alexander Smith, SUNY Brockport

2:00-2:20pm Multitemporality and Memory: Exploring Andalusi Engagements with the Megalithic Landscape of Iberia

Katina T. Lillios

The University of Iowa, USA

2:25-2:45pm The Houses of al-Andalus: Structure and Evolution

Guillem C. Alcolea

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain

2:50-3:10pm Medieval Islamic Houses at Iron Age Sites on Menorca, Spain: Identifying Rural Settlement through Spatial Syntax

<u>Alexander Smith</u> SUNY Brockport, USA

3:15-3:35pm Material Culture and Cross-Disciplinary Dialogue: A Muslim Lead Amulet on the Eve of the Christian Conquest. Menorca,

Balearic Islands, Spain

<u>Amalia Perez-Jeuz</u>

Boston University, USA. Institut Menorquí D'Estudis, Spain

3:40-4:05pm General Discussion

4:20–6:25pm 12A. Portrait of a (non) Artist?: Drawings, Models, Plans, and Molds, in Ancient West Asia (Continental Room A,

(CST) Lobby)

Chair(s): Nancy Highcock, British Museum | Miriam Said, Tufts University

4:20-4:40pm "Portrait of a (non) Artist?": Methodological and Historical Considerations

Miriam Said

Tufts University, USA

4:45-5:05pm Beyond Mass Production: New Perspectives on Old Babylonian Molds

Sarah Graff

The Metropolitan Museum of Art, USA

5:10-5:30pm Model and/or Original? Problematizing Linear Narratives of Artistic Production in Mesopotamia

Nancy Highcock

British Museum, United Kingdom

5:35-5:55pm Modeling Neo-Assyrian Period Art?

Kate M. Justement Getty Center, USA

6:00-6:20pm Preparatory Drawings and Artistic Practice at Nimrud: A Preliminary Sketch (Virtual)

David N. Mulder

University of Pennsylvania, USA

4:20–6:25pm 12B. Empires of the Broader Ancient Near Eastern World: Subsistence and Distribution (Continental Room B,

(CST) Lobby)

Chair(s): Petra M. Creamer, Emory University | Rocco Palermo, University of Pisa

4:20-4:40pm Feeding the Multitude: The Distribution of Barley through Allotments and Wages as well as through Subsistence and

Tenant Lands during the Ur III Period (Virtual)

Andrew Pottorf

Harvard University, USA

4:45-5:05pm A 'Mandala of Kings' in Eastern Anatolia: reformulating the Empire of Tigran the Great (Virtual)

<u>Giusto Traina</u>

Sorbonne Université, France

5:10-5:30pm Empires, Sheep, and Shepherds: Multispecies Communities of the Neo-Assyrian Empire

Laurel Poolman

Johns Hopkins University, USA

5:35-5:55pm Discussion: Subsistence and Agriculture under Imperial Control

Melissa S. Rosenzweig

Northwestern University, USA

6:00-6:20pm General Discussion

4:20–6:25pm 12C. Digital Archaeology and History III (Continental Room C, Lobby)

(CST) Chair(s): Tiffany Earley-Spadoni, University of Central Florida | Matthew Howland, Wichita State University

4:20-4:40pm Sustaining the Cultural Heritage Legacy of Tell Nimrin

<u>Vivian A. Laughlin</u>

Wake Forest University, USA

4:45-5:05pm How the Architectural View Helps to Support Philological Arguments

Dominik Lengyel¹, Catherine Toulouse²

¹BTU Brandenburg University of Technology, Germany. ²Lengyel Toulouse Architects, Germany

5:10-5:30pm Virtual Reality in Palmyra: Travel through Time and History of the Baalshamîn Temple (Virtual)

Patrick Maxime Michel

Lausanne University, Switzerland

5:35-5:55pm Valuing the Unwritten: Navigating Oral History Methods and a Call for Cross-Disciplinary Collaboration

Emma R. Rau

Marshall University, USA

6:00-6:20pm Archeological Survey (Virtual)

Bruno Soltic

Lipscomb University, USA

4:20–6:25pm 12D. Art Historical Approaches to the Near East III (Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Amy Gansell, St. John's University | S. Rebecca Martin, Boston University

4:20-4:40pm Aithiopia Abroad: Kushite Influence in Late Period Egyptian Image Making Practices

Peter Moore Johnson

The Institute of Fine Arts, New York University, USA

4:45-5:05pm Why is Alexander Represented on the Alexander Sarcophagus?

Jessica Nitschke

Stellenbosch University, South Africa

5:10-5:30pm Myth, Iconography, and Civic Identity on Coinage from Joppa

Robyn L. Le Blanc UNC Greensboro, USA

5:35-6:00pm General Discussion

4:20–6:25pm 12E. Archaeology of Arabia II (Astoria Room, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Jennifer Swerida, University of Pennsylvania

4:20-4:40pm Agate and Carnelian Bead Production and Trade in the Greater Indus Region, Arabia and Mesopotamia During the 3rd and

2nd Millennia BCE: New Insights into Technological and Stylistic Variation Regional and Long Distance Interaction.

Jonathan M. Kenoyer¹, Dennys Frenez², Randall Law¹, Laure Dussubieux³

¹University of Wisconsin, Madison, USA. ²University of Bologna, Italy. ³The Field Museum, Chicago, USA

4:45-5:05pm Bleached Carnelian Beads from the Burial Complex of Dibbā al-Bayah (Oman): Typological, Technological and

Provenience Analysis (Virtual)

Nunzia Larosa¹, Jonathan Mark Kenoyer², Randall Law², Laure Dussubieux³

¹University of New England, Australia. ²University of Wisconsin-Madison, USA. ³Field Museum, Chicago, USA

5:10-5:30pm Elemental Composition and Ancient Technique of Dilmun Burial Jars from Bahrain Using pXRF and Petrographic Analyses

<u>Hasan J. Ashkanani</u> Kuwait University, Kuwait

5:35-5:550pm Prospection of Iron Age sites in Eastern Oman, Highlights

Paul A. Yule

SKVO-Semitic Studies, Heidelberg University, Germany. UFGVA, Heidelberg University, Germany

6:00-6:20pm Architecture and Social Relations at Iron Age Settlements in Ancient Oman

Paige E. Paulsen¹, Ioana A. Dumitru², Smiti Nathan³, Amir Zaribaf², Frances Wiig⁴, Bradley Arsenault², Alexander Sivitskis⁵, Hélène

David-Cuny⁶, John Shannon¹, Salim Al-Alawi⁷, Jesse Casana⁸, Petra Creamer⁹, Michael J Harrower¹

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USA.9Emory University, USA

4:20–6:25pm 12F. Maritime Archaeology (Private Dining Room 2, 3rd Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Traci Andrews, Texas A&M | Tzveta Manolova, Université Libre de Bruxelles

4:20-4:40pm Reexamining BM 10056: The prwnfr Papyrus

Traci Lynn Andrews, Bethany Becktell

Texas A&M University, Nautical Archaeology Program, USA

4:45-5:05pm Anchoring the Offering: Maritime Images in Punic "Tophets"

Madison C. Elsner ECU, USA

5:10-5:30pm Hatshepsut's Reuse of Royal Watercraft Reliefs as Symbols of Power

Katelyn D. Rollins

East Carolina University, USA

5:35-5:550pm Symbolism and Orientation of Nautical Iconography in New Kingdom Non-Royal Tombs in Ancient Egypt (Virtual)

Bethany Becktell

Texas A&M University, USA

6:00-6:20pm General Discussion

4:20–6:25pm 12G. Prehistoric Archaeology (Lake Ontario Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Blair Heidkamp, University of Texas, Austin | Austin "Chad" Hill, University of Pennsylvania

4:20-4:40pm Spinning through time: Analyzing Pottery Neolithic, Chalcolithic, and Early Bronze I Spindle Whorl Assemblages from the

Southern LevantBlair Heidkamp

University of Texas at Austin, USA

4:45-5:05pm Kites in the Desert: Placing Ancient Animal Traps in Context

Yorke .M Rowan¹, Austin Chad Hill², Morag M. Kersel³, Bilal Boreni⁴, Quinn Comprosky³, Jen Feng², Rosemary Hanson⁵, Blair

Heidkamp⁶, Kathleen Morrison², Gary Rollefson⁷

¹University of Chicago, USA. ²University of Pennsylvania, USA. ³DePaul University, USA. ⁴Dept of Antiquities of Jordan,

Jordan. ⁵ National Historical Museums of Sweden, Sweden. ⁶ University of Texas at Austin, USA. ⁷ Whitman College, USA

5:10-5:30pm The PPNC/Late Neolithic 'Conquest' of Arid Margins of the Fertile Crescent Assessed with Spatial Archaeology: A break

Through Artificial Boundaries

Marie-Laure Chambrade^{1,2}, Frédérique Bertoncello¹, Antoine Pasqualini¹

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Chicago, USA

5:35-6:00pm General Discussion

4:20–6:25pm 12H. ASOR and the Archaeological Field School: Are We Doing Enough? – Workshop (Lake Michigan Room, 8th

(CST) Floor)

Chair(s): Ian Cipin, University of Haifa

The Archaeological Field School: Are We Getting this Rite, Right?

Ian Cipin

University of Haifa, Israel

Contextualizing the Field School Curriculum: Addressing Colonial Legacies and Discourses of Power in the Responsible

Conduct of Research

Erin Darby, Robert Darby

University of Tennessee, USA

Student Learning, Research Outcomes, and Government Obligations: Achieving these and Other Deliverables though an

Archaeological field School

Shawn Bubel

University of Lethbridge, Canada

The Real Treasure is the Friends We Made Along the Way

Leann Pace

Wake Forest University, USA

The Austrian Expedition to Lachish: a Different Approach to Archaeological Field Schools in Biblical Archaeology

Felix Höflmayer, Katharina Streit

Austrian Academy of Sciences, Austria

4:20–6:25pm 121. Protect and Secure. Technology of Data Protection in the Ancient Near East II (Lake Huron Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Jacob Lauinger, The Johns Hopkins University | Jana Mynářová, Charles University, Prauge

4:20-4:40pm Amarna Letters. Perspectives on Production and Protection Technologies in the Late Bronze Age Levant

Jana Mynářová

Institute of Ancient Near Eastern Studies, Charles University, Czech Republic

4:45-5:05pm "And Whatever You Need Put Down on a Tablet:" Aspects of Clay Temporality and Transformation on the Amarna

Tablets

Karlene Shippelhoute

Johns Hopkins University, USA

5:10-5:30pm Why Not A Century? The Ancient Origins of the Ninety-nine-year Lease as Fraud Protection (Virtual)

Ella Karev

University of Chicago, USA

5:35-6:00pm Respondent

Shai Gordin

Digital Pasts Lab, Ariel University

4:20—6:25pm 12J. Islamic Society in the Western Mediterranean and Atlantic Coast II (Lake Erie Room, 8th Floor)

(CST) Chair(s): Kathlenne Forste, Boston University | Alexander Smith, SUNY Brockport

4:20-4:40pm A First Look at Farming and Foodways in an Andalusian Village: Results of the Menorca Archaeology Project

Kathleen M. Forste¹, Amalia Perez-Juez², Alexander J. Smith³

¹Boston University, USA. ²Boston University, Spain. ³SUNY Brockport, USA

4:45-5:05pm Artisans and metal production in the Islamic city of Murcia (Spain)

María Isabel Molina-Campuzano University of Murcia, Spain

5:10-5:30pm Madīna Balaghí (Pla d'Almatà, Balaguer). Archaeology of a deserted city on the frontier of al-Andalus

Helena Kirchner¹, Carme Alòs Trepa², Guillem Castellsagué¹, Marta Monjo³, Júlia Olivé¹, Eva Solanes²

¹Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain.²Museu de la Noguera, Spain.³Departament de Cultura. Generalitat de Catalunya, Spain

5:35-5:55pm Re-thinking the "Green Revolution" in the Medieval Western Mediterranean (Virtual)

<u>Aleks Pluskowski</u>', Helena Kirchner², Guillermo García-Contreras³, Michelle Alexander⁴, Rowena Banerjea¹, Jesús Brufal², Julia María Carabaza³, Jorge Eiroa⁵, Adela Fábregas³, Corisande Fenwick⁶, Dominik Fleitmann², Enric Guinot⁶, Felix Retamero², Vicent Royo², Bilal

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València, Spain

6:00-6:20pm General Discussion