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International Conference on Predynastic and Early Dynastic Egypt

Vienna, September 2017



Sunday, 10. September

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- 5.15-6.00 Opening, key note lecture, lecture room 1
 E. C. Köhler, 20 Years at Helwan A Summary of Results Pertaining to the Early City of Memphis.
- 6.30 Welcome Reception, conference venue, Lobby

Monday, 11. September

Morning session: Memphis, centralisation, urbanism

9.00-9.30	Marshall, C, The Skeletal Biology of the Helwan Necropolis.
9.30-10.00	Junge, F., The Significance of Pottery Vessels in Private Funerary Practices and Religious Beliefs during Early Dynastic Egypt Emphasising Recent Research in Helwan.
10.00-10.30	Kuch, N., Analysis of Stone Vessels in the Necropolis of Helwan - Destructive Manipulation as Part of Early Dynastic Burial Customs.
10.30-11.00	coffee break
11.00-11.30	Böhm, H., Of Skulls and Feet - Animal Remains at Helwan.
11.30-12.00	Mustafa, A., An Archaeobotanical Study at the Early Dynastic Site of Helwan, Egypt - A Case Study of Plant Exploitation in Ancient Memphis.
12.00-12.30	Janulíková, B., Cemeteries of Early Dynastic Memphis: An Analysis.
12.30-1.00	discussion
1.00-2.15	lunch break
Afternoon see	ssion: centralization, urbanism; art, ideology, religion
2.15-2.45	Math, N.C., Most fascinating - New Insights on the Cemetery of Turah.

2.45-3.00 Colonna, A., Before the Two Enneads: Aspects of Early Egyptian Religious System (3100-2600 BC).

3.00-3.15	Graff, G., Predynastic Bullfighting ? A Rodeo Engraved Scene in the Wadi Abu Subeira (Aswan Region) and the Question of Horsemanship in Ancient Egypt.
3.15-3.45	coffee break
3.45-4.00	Kuronuma, T., Re-Examination of the Predynastic Mortuary Practices in the Cemeteries at Naqada. An Approach with the Unpublished Records.
4.00-4.15	Kuhn, R., News from the Pre- and Early Dynastic Collection in the Egyptian Museum Berlin.
4.15-4.30	Madrigal, K., Eyckerman, M., Hendrickx, S., Angvin, R., The Predynastic Collection of the Musée des Confluences in Lyon.
4.30-4.45	Mahran, H., Animal Motives from the Pre-Dynastic Period: The Elephant-Serpents Motif.
4.45-5.00	Tassie, J.G., Hassan, F.A., van Wetering, J., Social Differentiation as Revealed in the Mortuary Remains at Kafr Hassan Dawood: Elite Formation in the Southern East Delta.
5.00-5.30	discussion

Tuesday, 12, September

Morning session: art, ideology, religion

- 9:00-9.30 Campagno, M., Expanding Logics. Another View on the Political Unification Process in the Nile Valley.
- 9.30-10.00 Bussmann, R., Seals from Hierakonpolis.
- 10.00-10.30 McNamara, L., The Hierakonpolis Ivories: Human Statuettes from the 'Main Deposit'.
- 10.30-11.00 coffee break
- 11.00-11.30 Hendrickx, S., Bovine Symbolism as an Essential Element for the Development of Royal Iconography.
- 11.30-12.00 Hartley, M., The Association of Dogs in Death in Predynastic Egypt.
- 12.00-12.30 Vanhulle, D., Multiple Meanings, Same Process: Boat Images and their Implications during the Predynastic and Early Dynastic Periods.
- 12.30-1.00 discussion
- 1.00-2.15 lunch break

Afternoon session: art, ideology, religion; fieldwork reports

- 2.15-2.30 Schuster, E., Tomb and Burial Orientation.
- 2.30-2.45 Meyrat, P., The Bull of Nekhen Investigating the Origins of the Apis Cult.

2.45-3.15	coffee break
3.15-3.45	Friedman, R., Restructuring the Past: HK6 in the Naqada III Period.
3.45-4.15	Droux, X., Tomb 72 at HK6: An Elite Tomb in Context.
4.15-4.30	Ejsmond, W., Gebelein Archaeological Project.
4.30-4.45	Kołodziejczyk, P., Czarnowicz, M., Karmowski, J., Nile Delta Settlement Patterns Project.
4.45-5.00	Hussein, Y. M., The Recently Discovered Settlement at South Abydos.
5.00-5.15	Kazimierczak, M., Małecka-Drozd, N., Not by Bread alone The Grain Storage and Processing during the 3rd Millennium BC in the Light of New Discoveries from Tell el- Murra, Nile Delta.
5.15-5.45	discussion

Wednesday, 13. September

Morning session: fieldwork reports

9:00-9.30	Chłodnicki, M., Lower Egyptian Residence at Tell el-Farkha.
9.30-10.00	Ciałowicz, K., The First Southern Egyptians at Tell el-Farkha. Results of Recent Excavations.
10.00-10.30	Dębowska-Ludwin, J., Who were the People? An Insight into some Registered Details of Life and Death in Tell el-Farkha.
10.30-11.00	coffee break
11.00-11.30	Buchez, N., New Data about the Bouto II Period, Results of the Tell el-Iswid Excavations.
11.30-12.00	Jucha, M. A., The Burial Customs in Early Dynastic Egypt – a View from the Cemetery at Tell el-Murra (Nile Delta).
12.00-12.30	Bąk-Pryc, G., Lower Egyptian Culture within the Nile Delta on the Basis of Archaeological Research at Tell el-Murra.
12.30-1.00	discussion
1.00-2.15	lunch break
Afternoon see	ssion: fieldwork reports, posters
2.15-2.45	Claes, W., De Dapper, M., Hart, E., Henrickx, S., Ikram, S., Kindermann, K., Huyge, D., The Settlement of Elkab: Results of Recent Fieldwork.

2.45-3.15 Tristant, Y., The Subsidiary Burials of Abu Rawash. New Archaeological and Bioarchaeological Data for an Old Problem.

3.45-4.15	discussion
4.15-4.45	coffee break

4.45-5.30 poster sessions

Thursday, 14. September

Morning session: craft, specialization, technology	
9:00-9.30	Baba, M., Ceramic Assemblages from HK11C at Hierakonpolis - Specialization Examined.
9.30-10.00	Takamiya, I. H., Distribution of Marl Clay Vessels in Predynastic Cemeteries in Egypt.
10.00-10.30	Hartmann, R., Development and Change of the Pottery Material during the Transitional Phase between the Lower and Upper Egyptian Cultural Tradition according to the Recent Excavations at Tell el-Fara'in/Buto.
10.30-11.00	coffee break
11.00-11.30	Hart, B., The Development of Specialized Production: Evidence from Lithic Artefacts in Nile Valley Settlement Sites.
11.30-12.00	Müller, V., Early Dynastic "Fancy Vessels" – are they just Good Pieces of Craftsmanship?
12.00-12.30	Minotti, M., Predynastic Finery in the Funerary Context in Adaïma.
12.30-1.00	discussion
1.00-2.15	lunch break
Afternoon see	ssion: craft, specialization, technology; varia
2.15-2.45	Ownby, M. F., Early Egyptian Ceramic Fabrics: Petrographic Identification of the Use of Specific Paste Recipes over Time and their Relationship to Specific Vessel Forms.
2.45-3.00	Piquette, K., The Work of Art: Reconstructing the Chaînes Opératoires of Ceremonial Palette carving with the Aid of RTI.
3.00-3.30	coffee break
3.30-3.45	Nagaya, K., Experimental Study on Stone Vessel Drilling Method at Nekhen, Hierakonpolis.
3.45-4.15	Vanthuyne, B., From Ballas to Naqada, and Back Again.
4.15-4.45	Ugliano, F., Going Back to the Roots: the Predynastic Collection of Museo Egizio (Turin, Italy).
4.45-5.00	Stevenson, A., You Ought to be Able to Find some Things at Negada: Newly Discovered Archives Concerning the 1894–95 Excavations at Naqada and Ballas.

- 5.00-5.15 Keita, S., Physical Anthropology and Population Variability and Change in Early Egypt.
- 5.15-5.45 discussion
- 7.00 **Reception dinner**

Friday, 15. September

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Morning ses	sion: Egypt and its neighbours, fieldwork reports
9:00-9.30	Braun, E., External Interaction in the fourth Millennium ancient Near East: Comparing Egyptian Colonial Activity in the Southern Levant.
9.30-10.00	Streit, K., The Origin of the Delta Neolithic: transregional Interactions between Egypt and the Levant in the 6th Millennium calBC.
10.00-10.30	Mączyńska, A., The Origins of Neolithic Egyptian Pottery.
10.30-10.45	Bréand, G., An Overview of the Naqada IIIA-IIIB Pottery Assemblage from Settlement Context at Tell el-Iswid South (Eastern Delta).
10.45-11.15	coffee break
11.15-11.45	Czarnowicz, M., Circulation of Copper at the Dawn of Dynastic Period.
11.45-12.15	Briois, F., Midant-Reynes, B., The Flint Quarries of North Galâlâ.
12.15-12.45	Köhler, E. C., Klaunzer, M., Hart, B., New Archaeological Research in the Mining Areas of the Wadi el-Sheikh.
12.45-1.15	discussion
1.15-2.30	lunch break
Afternoon s	ession: fieldwork reports
2.30-3.00	Ashmawy, A., Forgotten Excavation, Part IV: The First Excavation Season at Kfur Nigm/Ezbet El-Tell.
3.00-3.30	Pieri, A., Dougherty, S.P., Friedman, R., The Dental Health of Elite and Non-Elite Individuals at Hierakonpolis, Egypt.
3.30-4.00	Rowland, J., New Perspectives on Activity Areas within the Village and Wider Landscape at Merimde Beni Salama.
4.00-4.30	coffee break
4.30-5.30	discussion, closing session