



## Recent Conferences

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### EGYPT AND THE SOUTHERN LEVANT IN THE EARLY BRONZE AGE: C14, CHRONOLOGY, CONNECTIONS

GERMAN ARCHAEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE, BERLIN  
SEPTEMBER 14-16, 2011

An international workshop of the Orient-Department of the German Archaeological Institute, Supported by the Gerda-Henkel Foundation, Berlin, September 14-16, 2011. Many of the papers focused on Egypt's relations with surrounding cultures.

#### *WEDNESDAY, 14TH SEPTEMBER 2011*

CHRISTIANA KÖHLER  
UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA

The Relative, Absolute and Historical  
Chronologies of Early Egypt - An Update

KARIN SOWADA  
MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY, SYDNEY

Egypt in the Southern Levant during the Third  
Millennium BC: an Overview

#### *THURSDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER 2011*

ZEIDAN KAFABI  
YARMOUK UNIVERSITY, IRBID

Early Bronze Age I-III Archaeological Evidence  
from the Jordan Valley:  
A Proof on the Levant-Egypt Trade Route

STEPHEN BOURKE  
UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY

Chronology, Trade and the Rise of Urban Society  
in the Early Bronze Age Jordan Valley:  
Recent Discoveries from Pella in Jordan

MAURA SALA  
LA SAPIENZA, ROME

Stratigraphy, Pottery and Chronology at Khirbet  
al-Batrawy and in 3rd Millennium BC Jordan

FLORIAN KLIMSCHA  
GERMAN ARCHAEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE ORIENT-DEPARTMENT  
New Data on the Socio-Economic Relations  
between Egypt and the Southern Levant in the 4th  
Millennium. The Radiocarbon Record of Tall  
Hujayrat al-Ghuzlan

PETER FISCHER  
UNIVERSITY OF GOTHENBURG

Tell Abu al-Kharaz, Radiocarbon and Egypt: The  
Evidence from around 3000 BCE

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JENS NOTROFF

GERMAN ARCHAEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE ORIENT-DEPARTMENT

Tying the Net - Tall Hujayrat al-Ghuzlan  
(Jordan) in the Framework of Interregional  
Connections between Egypt and the Southern  
Levant

ELISABETTA BOARETTO

WEIZMANN INSTITUTE

Building Chronology Based on Radiocarbon and  
Archaeological Data: Multi-Sites vs. Multilayer  
Sites

PIERRE DE MIROSCHEJ

CENTRE NATIONAL DE LA RECHERCHE SCIENTIFIQUE

Towards a High Chronology of the South  
Levantine Early Bronze Age

RAFI GREENBERG

TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY

Tel Bet Yerah: Synchronizing Egyptian and  
Transcaucasian Connections

JEAN-PAUL THALMANN

UNIVERSITÉ DE PARIS I PANTHÉON-SORBONNE

The Early IIIrd millennium Sequence of the  
Northern Levant as seen from Tell Arqa, Lebanon

KRZYSZTOF CIALOWICZ

JAGIELLONIAN UNIVERSITY, KRAKÓW

AND MARK CHLONICKI

POZNAN ARCHAEOLOGICAL MUSEUM

Tell el-Farkha - An Important Trade Centre  
between Egypt and Southern Levant

CHRISTIANA KÖHLER

UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA

EB II-III Levantine Imports and their Imitations  
in 2nd Dynasty Contexts at Helwan

VERA MÜLLER

AUSTRIAN ACADEMY OF SCIENCES

Relations between Egypt and the Near East during  
the 1st Dynasty as represented by the Royal Tomb  
of Den in Umm el-Qaab/Abydos

### *FRIDAY, 16TH SEPTEMBER 2011*

ULRICH HARTUNG

GERMAN ARCHAEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE CAIRO-DEPARTMENT

Egyptian-Canaanite Interconnections in the 4<sup>th</sup>  
Millennium

DIETRICH RAUE

UNIVERSITY OF LEIPZIG

AND IRENE FORSTNER-MÜLLER

AUSTRIAN ARCHAEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE CAIRO

Contacts between Elephantine and the Levant in  
the 3rd Millennium B.C.

MATHIEU HONEGGER

UNIVERSITY NEUCHÂTEL

AND DIETRICH RAUE

UNIVERSITY LEIPZIG

Elephantine and Kerma The Chronological  
Sequence in Nubia during the Early Bronze Age  
(Third Millennium)

CHRISTOPHER BRONK RAMSEY

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

Approaches to Modeling Radiocarbon Dates for  
Bronze Age Chronologies

MICHAEL DEE

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

Radiocarbon-based Models of Early Dynastic and  
Old Kingdom Egypt

STUART MANNING

CORNELL UNIVERSITY

Current status and prospects for Cypriot and  
Aegean chronology in the Early Bronze Age

FELIX HÖFLMAYER

GERMAN ARCHAEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE ORIENT-DEPARTMENT

Perspectives for a Radiocarbon-based  
Synchronized Chronology of the Eastern  
Mediterranean

## Thera, Knossos and Egypt, 1500 BCE

AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE  
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT CHICAGO  
OCTOBER 20, 22, 2011

The Department of Classics and Mediterranean Studies in the School of Literatures, Cultural Studies and Linguistics at the University of Illinois at Chicago co-sponsored with the Oriental Institute, the University of Chicago, and the National Hellenic Museum.



*THURSDAY, 20<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2011*

BERNICE JONES  
*Guided Tour of the Exhibition of  
Minoan/Theran Costumes*

CHRISTOS DOUMAS  
Athens University  
"From Necessities to Delights: Eating Habits in  
Akrotiri Thera of the Bronze Age"

*SATURDAY, 22<sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER, 2011*

NANNO MARINATOS  
WITH JENNIFER TOBIN AND KAREN ROS  
University of Illinois at Chicago  
"Thera, Knossos and Egypt. Old Theories  
and New Problematizations"

GUENTER KOPCKE  
New York University  
"Shaft Graves"

ANDREAS VLACHOPOULOS  
University of Ioannina, Greece  
"Theran Frescoes."

JONATHAN HALL  
WITH CH. DOUMAS,  
J. JOHNSON, D.SCHLOEN, B.JONES  
General Discussion

ROBERT RITNER AND NADINE MOELLER  
Oriental Institute, University of Chicago  
"The Ahmose "Tempest Stela"

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