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The **time limit** of a single lecture is **20 min**, followed by 5 minutes of Q&A.

Have your own **USB-Stick** with a Power Point presentation or a PDF. On the computers in the lecture halls the software installed will be Windows 7 64 bit, Office 2010 32 bit and Acrobat XI 32 bit.

There will be a **manned computer in the Reception Area** where you can **check the functioning of your presentation** beforehand all week. **Please, do that well ahead of the time of your talk.**

### Posters

Posters will be displayed on the **1<sup>st</sup> floor** of the **Kollegienhaus**. You may exhibit your poster after registration. The Poster Session is scheduled for **Tuesday, June 10, 14.30 -16.15.**

### Bookstalls

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### Social Events (Admission by Congress ID. Drinks and snacks will be served)

#### Opening Reception by the Rectorate of University of Basel

Monday, June 9, 19.30 to 22.00. Kollegienhaus.

#### Reception by the Governments of Basel-Stadt and Basel-Landschaft

Thursday, June 12, 19.30 to 22.00. Antikenmuseum Basel.

### Public Evenings (open to everybody, see separate flyer)

#### Zwischen Damaskus und Bagdad – Archäologische Forschungen zu den Anfängen des Islam

Tuesday, June 10, 19.30 to 21.00.

#### Von den ersten Menschen zum Imperium – Basel forscht im Nahen Osten

Wednesday, June 11, 19.30 to 21.00.

## Timetable

Sunday June 8	15-18	Registration (open whole week)			
Monday June 9	0930-1030	Opening			
	1100-1230	Introductions to the Sections			
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	1645-1830				
	Evening	Reception by the Rectorate of the University of Basel			
Tuesday June 10	0900-1045				
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	1645-1830				WS3 Desert Kites
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Wednesday June 11	0900-1045				
	1115-1300				
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	1645-1830	WS9 Archaeology of the Negev & the 'Arabah			
	Evening	Public Conference: Von den ersten Menschen zum Imperium – Basel forscht im Nahen Osten			
Thursday June 12	0900-1045				
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Friday June 13	0900-1045				
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## Notes

Monday, June 9, 2014

## Opening Plenary Session

0930-0945	HANS-PETER MATHYS University of Basel
0945-1000	TBA Rectorate of the University of Basel
1000-1015	URS WÜTHRICH-PELLOLI Regierungspräsident of Basel-Landschaft
1015-1030	PAOLO MATTHIAE International Committee of the ICAANE
1030-1100	Coffee Break

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1100-1115	SUSANNE BICKEL Egypt and Ancient Near East - Perceptions of Alterity
1115-1130	OSKAR KÄELIN Travelling Images - Transfer and Transformation of Visual Ideas
1130-1145	BRUNO JACOBS Ancient Near Eastern Traditions vs. Hellenization/ Romanization
1145-1200	JEAN-MARIE LE TENSORER Reconstructing Ancient Eco-Systems
1200-1215	ROLF A. STUCKY Dealing with the Past: Finds, Booty, Gifts, Spoils, Heirlooms
1215-1230	DENIS GENEQUAND Islamic Session
1230-1430	Lunch Break

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<b>CHAIR</b>	<b>SUSANNE BICKEL</b>	<b>TBA</b>	<b>HILARY GOPNIK</b>	<b>CARMEN DEL CERRO</b>	<b>FRANCES PINNOCK</b>
1430-1455	BIETAK, MANFRED Canaanites and Egyptians: Ethnic Markers and Evidence of Co-existence	DONALD, ALEXANDER Adaptation, Appropriation and Late Cypriot Glyptic Iconography	McRAE, IONA KAT Assessing Change and Continuity. Achaemenid and Post-Achaemenid Ceramic Traditions in the Achaemenid Heartland	BRAEMER, FRANK – GEYER, BERNARD From Site Catchment Analysis to Regional Settlement Pattern Analysis: Building Regional Map of Environmental Resources' Potential"	VAHDATI NASAB, H. – KAZZAZI, MANDAN – NAYEBI, SAMIRA Venus Figurines: Paleolithic vs Neolithic. Metric Analysis of Female Figurines from Europe and the Middle East
1455-1520	PEDRAZZI, TATIANA Identity and Alterity in the Early Iron Age Northern Levantine Coast: a Hypothesis of "Code-Sharing" in the Material Culture	SAUVAGE, CAROLINE Late Bronze Age regional identities and distribution of motifs: Mycenaean Pictorial Ceramics in their Cypriot and Levantine contexts	MARESCA, GIULIO Echoes of Regional Traditions plus Western Typological Influences: Some Notes about the Post-Achaemenian Pottery Assemblage from the Italian Excavations at Qal'a-ye Sam (Iran, Sistan)	CASANA, JESSE Landscape Phenology, Climate Variability and Settlement Sustainability in the Northern Fertile Crescent: Insights from Regional-Scale, Satellite Remote Sensing	RASSMANN, PHILIPP M. Repurposing and Re-depositing Levantine Neolithic Ground Stone Tools
1520-1545	WASMUTH, MELANIE Egyptians in Iron Age Mesopotamia: Reconstructing their Socio-Cultural Settings	BERGOFFEN, CELIA J. Prized Pots: Cypriot Painted Wheel Made Kraters in MB-LB Cyprus and the Levant	HOFF, CORINNA Achaemenid and Greek Influence in Lycia during the 6th to 4th Centuries BC	MATTHEWS, WENDY – MATTHEWS, ROGER (WITH CZAP TEAM COLLEAGUES) Reconstructing Neolithic Eco-Systems in the Central Zagros of Iran and Iraq	TAHA, BUCHRA – SIDERA, ISABELLE Caprine's Tibias Cutting-edges and the Associated Bone Objects through Near-East, Asia, Europe and Balkans: Signs of Neolithic Dispersal and Networks
1545-1615	VERMAAK, FANIE The Ancient Persians in Egypt – Focus on the Kharga Oasis		POGGIO, ALESSANDRO The Hellenic Impact on the Dynastic Figurative Language in 4th-Century Lycia	RIEHL, SIMONE – ASOUTI, ELENI – STARKOVICH, BRITT – ZEIDI, MOHSEN – CONARD, NICHOLAS J. Subsistence Change and Environmental Patterns at Aceramic Chogha Golan (Ilam Province/ Iran)	
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1645-1710	MÜLLER, MIRIAM Differences in Settlement Structure and Burial Customs as Perception of Alterity at Tell el-Dab'a I	KODAS, ERGUL Le socle/cou des crânes surmodelés : une nouvelle approche sur leur «phase d'utilisation»	DÖNMEZ, ŞEVKET 'Persianisation' at Oluz Höyük, North-Central Anatolia	EBERLE, JOACHIM – BACHOFER, FELIX – HOCHSCHILD, VOLKER – MARKER, MICHAEL – UERPANN, HANS-PETER Holocene Landscape Dynamics and Geo-Archaeology in the Central Region of the Emirate of Sharjah (UAE)	GEBHARD SELZ The State, the Family and the Individual: Funerary Practices and Commemoration Rites in the Light of the late Early Dynastic Mesopotamian sources
1710-1735	BADER, BETTINA Differences in Settlement Structure and Burial Customs as Perception of Alterity at Tell el-Dab'a II	MUDD, DAVID The Symbolic World of Wadi Faynan 16	HAIDER, MAY Importation of Attic Pottery to the Levantine Coast during the Persian Period: Case Study the College Site Sidon	ALTAWHEEL, MARK – MARSH, ANKE – KADEREIT, ANNETTE – RÖSCH, MANFRED – MÜHL, SIMONE Reconstructing the Paleoenvironment in the Shahrizor Plain, Iraq	EDGAR PELTENBURG Monuments and Materials: the Development of Commemorative Practices in North Syria in the Early-Middle Bronze Ages
1735-1800	LEHMANN, MANUELA Ethnicity and Archaeological Reality: Material Culture in Tell el-Dab'a during the Late Period	VERED (ROSENBLUM), ARIEL The Birth of a Myth? Incised Motifs on Female Figurines from Neolithic and Chalcolithic Southern Levant	FRANGIÉ-JOLY, DINA Beyrouth hellénistique	MILEVSKI, IANIR – GANDULLA, BERNARDO – JARUF, PABLO Eco-Systems or "Socio-Systems"? The Case of the Chalcolithic of the Southern Levant	SARAH LANGE kispum for Family Members Only? How a "Family Cult" was used to link one's own History with Historical Personages
1800-1830	REALI, CHIARA Sealings and Sealing Practice at Avaris, Tell el-Dab'a	BELCHER, ELLEN – CROUCHER, KARINA Exchanges of Identity in Prehistoric Anatolian Figurines		WHINCOP, MATTHEW Reconstructing the Bronze and Iron Age Ecosystems of Western Inland Syria: Accounting for Variability in Existing Population and Sustainability Models.	

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GAVAGNIN, KATIA The Land of Nineveh Regional Project: Preliminary Results on 3rd Millennium B.C. Settlement Patterns in the Northern Region of Iraqi Kurdistan	SAPIR-HEN, LIDAR – BEN-YOSEF, EREZ Social Status, Ethnicity and Animal Economy at the Late Bronze/Iron Age Copper Smelting Sites at Timna, Israel	STUDER, JACQUELINE The Importance of Archaeological Context in Understanding Human Diet: Animal Bone Accumulations from Early Islamic Qasr al-Hayr al-Sharqi, Syria.	MICHAEL W. DEE Relative and Radiocarbon-based Chronologies for Egypt during the First and Second Millennia BCE	NIGEL GORING-MORRIS & ANNA BELFER-COHEN 'Moving Around' and the Evolution of Corporate Identities	1430-1455
KAERCHER, KYRA A Preliminary Assessment of the Ceramic Sequence of Northeastern Iraqi Kurdistan	CHAMEL, B. – RAVY, E. – COQUEUGNIOT, E. Task Related Wear, Interproximal Grooves and Non-masticatory Tooth Use in the Pre-pottery Neolithic Population of Dja'de el-Mughara (Syria, 9th Millennium BC)	HARRISON, MATTHEW The Houses of Fustāt: Beyond Importation and Influence	RITA GAUTSCHY Astronomical Data and their Potential for Chronological Purposes	LISBETH BREDHOLT CHRISTENSEN Things Animate and Inanimate: Objectification of Things as Part of Corporate Identity?	1455-1520
KEPINSKI, CHRISTINE – TENU, ALINE Kunara, a Bronze Age City on the Upper Tigris (Iraq)	SATAEV, R. Horse, Donkey, Onager in the Life of Ancient People of Gonur-Depe (Bronze Age, Turkmenistan)	LESTER, AYALA Roman and Byzantine Influence on the Consolidation of Fatimid Jewelry	FELIX HÖFLMAYER Middle Bronze Age Chronology, Egypt and Tell el-Dab'a: Where it fits and where it doesn't	TOBIAS RICHTER The Corporate Group Reconsidered: Counter-power, Cooperation and Agency in Epipalaeolithic Societies in Southwest Asia	1520-1545
EIDEM, JESPER Back To Shemshara	SATAEVA, L. Wood Using at the Bronze Age Site Gonur-Depe (Ancient Margiana, South Turkmenistan)	ST. LAURENT, BEATRICE – AWWAD, ISAM Archaeology & Preservation of Early Islamic Jerusalem: Revealing the 7th Century Mosque on the Haram al-Sharif			1545-1615
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OSBORNE, JAMES – UR, JASON Results of the Erbil Plain Archaeological Survey (EPAS), Kurdistan Region of Iraq	ELIAS, NADA – HOURANI, YASHA – BADAWI, ALI – ARBOGAST, ROSE-MARIE – CASTEX, DOMINIQUE Burial or not? The Case of Men/Cattle Deposit in the Necropolis of Jal al-Bahr in Tyre. Reflection on the Phoenician Funeral Symbolic	AVNI, GIDEON Continuity, Innovation and Decline of Agricultural Fields in Early Islamic Palestine	BIETAK, MANFRED TBA	KURT W. ALT & MARION BENZ Teeth Story Writing: Basta and the Difficult Path to Farming Communities	1645-1710
ŞERİFOĞLU, TEVFIK EMRE – GLATZ, CLAUDIA – CASANA, JESSE Between the Mesopotamian Plains and the Zagros Mountains: The Sirwan (Upper Diyala) Regional Project 2012-2014	DIGHTON, ANNE Human Interaction with the Olive Tree in the Neolithic-Iron Age Jordan Valley: New Research from Pella in Jordan	GORZALCZANY, AMIR Early Islamic Industry, Ecology and Urbanism: The Case of Ramla	ELISABETTA BOARETTO Radiocarbon Chronology of the Early Bronze Age in the South Levant: Improving Time Resolution and Synchronization	ELENI ASOUTI The Role of Climate Instability and Resource Predictability in the Formation of Neolithic Corporate Identities in Southwest Asia	1710-1735
MERLINO, M. – GIANNESI, D. Gird Bardastee: an Early Neolithic V Site in Northern Iraq	KIMIAIE, MASI Crop Choice in Neolithic-Aeneolithic Southwestern Turkmenistan: Archaeobotanical Investigations in Monjukli Tepe	WHITCOMB, DONALD The Mosques of Mafjar: A Sequence and some implications for understanding Qasr Hisham	PASCAL BUTTERLIN Between the East and the West, Chronological Issues at Mari (2900-1760 BCE)	AMY BOGAARD Neolithic 'Cooperatives'? An Archaeobotanical Approach to Neolithic Corporate Identities	1735-1800
DANTI, MICHAEL D. The Rowanduz Archaeological Program 2013 (Iraqi Kurdistan)					1800-1830

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0900-0925	BECKER, JOHANNES Large-Scale Landscape Paintings of Tell el-Dab'a/ Egypt	ATAKUMAN, CIGDEM Stamp Imagery and Social Transformation during the Later Neolithic of the Near East	YEDIDAĞ, TURGAY YAŞAR Hellenistic Moldmade Bowls from Phrygia Epiktetos: New Evidence from Dorylaion	ERTSEN, MAURITS – WILKINSON, TONY Understanding Long-Term Trends in Ancient Water Systems	PETER PFÄLZNER Keeping Remembrance through Objects - Old Objects in Later Grave Contexts
0925-0950	JUNGFLEISCH, JOHANNES 'Aegean' Style wall Paintings meet 'Egyptian' Palatial Architecture: Architectural Simulations from 'Palace G' in Tell el-Dab'a	DENHAM, SIMON The Social Importance of Late Neolithic Stamp Seal Imagery	UYGUN, ÇILEM Roman Pottery from Üçtepe Excavation in South-East Anatolia	PUSTOVOTOYTOV, K. – RIEHL, S. The Early Bronze Age/Middle Bronze Age Transition and the Aquifer Geography in the Near East	AARON SCHMITT Thoughts about the Relation between Material Culture and Memory in Ancient Mesopotamia
0950-1015	TRUFX, LISE Returning the Egyptian Gaze: Earning Status and Enacting Syro-Palestinian Identity	REICHEL, CLEMENS Far-Reaching Consequences: The Impact of Transferring Symbols and Visual Narratives through Seal Impressions in Late Chalcolithic Northern Syria	PALERMO, ROCCO Local Traditions and Regional Influences: Hellenistic Mesopotamia in Context. The Data from the first two Seasons of the Land of Nineveh Regional Project	DEL CERRO, CARMEN Irrigation Canals and Cultures in the Oases of Oman Peninsula in the Iron Age. Questions, Systems and Environmental Adaptations	ELISA ROSSBERGER Things to Remember: Storage and Function of Dedicated Objects in Old Babylonian Temples
1015-1045		ABU-LABAN, AIYSHA Representing the Divine in Dilmun Iconography – between Image and Concept	HAUSER, STEFAN R. Similitude and Syncatabasis. Remarks concerning the Relation between Styles and Religious Practice in Mesopotamian Representational Arts	CARACUTA, VALENTINA – BARZILAI, OMRY – MARKS, ANTHONY E. – BOARETTO, ELISABETTA Palaeoenvironmental Changes: New Data from Charred Wood Remains from Prehistoric Sites from the Negev Highlands, Southern Levant	
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1115-1140	GOLANI, AMIR Circular Structures of the Late Early Bronze I in the Southern Levant and Predynastic Egypt	BATTINI, LAURA Syro-Mesopotamian Travelling Images from Seals Examples	LANGIN-HOOPER, STEPHANIE Both Hellenized AND Native: Common Ground and Mutual Acceptability in the Cross-Cultural Figurines of Hellenistic Babylonia	DEVILLERS, ANNE New Approaches in Paleaofauna Reconstruction	DANIEL FISHER The Misplaced Altar and the Forbidden Serpent: The Problem of Material Culture in Biblical Israel
1140-1205	FORZA, MARIA Could the Crematory Ritual be Explained as a Marker of Alterity with Respect to the Central Power and of Self-Identity? Considerations on Crematory Burials in the Upper Tigris Valley during the Iron Ages I and II.	CATANZARITI, ANTONIETTA Traveling Images from Southern Lebanon and Southwestern Syria: A Study on the Perception and Use of Extrinsic Motifs	RISTVET, LAUREN Between Theater and Ritual: Public Events as a Middle Ground in Seleucid Babylonia	ARWA, KHARABI – PATRICE, COURTAUD – HENRI, DUDAY Bones can talk: An Arqueo-Anthropological analysis of Mozan Graves in Units A16 and A15 (Northeastern Syria – Middle Bronze Age)	DAVIDE NADALI Defragmenting Memories: The (ab)used Power of Remembering in the Ancient Near East
1205-1230		LORENZON, MARTA The Iconography of Mudbrick Production throughout the Mediterranean	TARAFDARI, ALI MOHAMMAD The Position of Greek Po-leis in Government System of the Arsacid Empire	SCHOCH, CHIARA Early Wool in the Ancient Near East	NORMAN YOFFEE Final Discussion
1230-1300		DOLCE, RITA Headless Mortals and Gods. Some Remarks on Decapitation in the Ancient Near East	ZOLFAGHARI, SARA The Figure of Parthian Women on Archaeological Remains	GREENFIELD, TINA – ROSENZWEIG, MELISSA Assyrian Provincial Life: Faunal and Botanical Remains from Domestic Contexts at Ziyaret Tepe, Southeastern Turkey	
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SKULDBØL, TIM B.B. – COLANTONI, CARLO First Results of the Rania Plain Survey Salvage Operations in the Dokan Dam Inundation Zone	RICHTER, TOBIAS The Late Epipalaeolithic in Jordan's Black Desert: Recent Fieldwork at Shubayqa 1	CYTRYN-SILVERMAN, KATIA Tiberias' congregational mosque: some conclusions	CONSTANZA COPPINI Evidences for the MBA-LBA Transitional Period in Northern Mesopotamia: Stratigraphic Sequences and Ceramic Assemblages	GARY ROLLEFSON "I am we": the Display of Socioeconomic Politics of Neolithic Commodification	0900-0925
Sternitzke, Katja Babylon in the Old Babylonian and Kassite Periods – New Insights from Old Material	NADERI, RAHMAT – HEYDARI-GURAN, SAMAN The Paleolithic Archeology of Kurdistan	RATTENBORG, R. – BRØNDGAARD JENSEN, M. – THING, E. – MCPHILLIPS, S. Urban Spaces of Early Islamic Jarash: Recent excavations of the Danish-Jordanian Islamic Jarash Project, Jarash, Jordan	ELEONORA CARMINATI Towards the Periodization of the Early Kurgan Cultures of Southern Caucasus: State of the Question and Preliminary Results	CHRISTA SÜTTERLIN Cultural Memory: Symbols and Rituals for the Purpose of Making and Sustaining Group Identity	0925-0950
D'AGOSTINO, FRANCO – ROMANO, LICIA Excavations at Abu Tbeirah, Southern Iraq (2012-2013)	LAVI, RON – BARZILAI, OMRY – HERSHKOVITZ, ISRAEL – MARDER, OFER – GODER, MAE – HERZLINGER, GADI Manot Cave	GERBER, YVONNE The South Jordan paradox and the Early Islamic ceramic	HASSAN FAZELI NASHLI The Relative and Absolute Chronology of the Iranian Central Plateau during the Third and Second Millennium BC	THEYA MOLLESON Physical Signs of Corporate Identity	0950-1015
ZIMANSKY, PAUL Tell Sakariya and GA.EŞ: Investigation of a Rural 2nd Millennium BC Site in Southern Iraq	MARCHAND, FLORINE L'industrie lithique de Tell 'Arqa (Plaine du Akkar, Liban Nord)	POLITIS, KONSTANTINOS D. The Origins of the Sugar Cane Industry in the Eastern Mediterranean	S. KHASSWNEH, A. MURRAY & D. BONATZ Investigating OSL Dating Technique for Young Archaeological Heated Materials Using Potshards from the Tell Tabqat Fahl (Pella) in the Jordan Valley	HARVEY WEISS (Respondent)	1015-1045
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PAUL ZIMANSKY	TOBIAS RICHTER	JACQUELINE STUDER			CHAIR
HELGESTAD, BIRGER EKORNÁSVÁG The Ur Project	CONARD, NICHOLAS – ZEIDI, MOHSEN The Record of Clay Objects from the Aceramic Neolithic Site of Chogha Golan, Ilam Province, Iran	ARCE, IGNACIO Qasr Harrane. Domed throne halls and ribbed vaults			1115-1140
BENATI, GIACOMO – LECOMPTE, CAMILLE New Light on the Archaic Texts from SIS 5-4 at Ur: A Contextual and Archival Reconstruction	ARESHIAN, GREGORY E. Geographic Diversity and the Growth of Social Complexity in the Late Neolithic and Chalcolithic: New Perspectives from the Central Near Eastern Highlands	ROUSSET, MARIE-ODILE Discovering the fatimid mosque of Tyre (Lebanon)	1100-1400		1140-1205
REY, S. – LECOMPTE, C. – COLONNA D'ISTRIA L. Tello (Ancient Girsu) and its Countryside: Topographic Layout and Regional Setting of an Early Dynastic Sumerian City	DARABI, HOJJAT An Updated Chronology for the Neolithic Western Iran			THE STATE OF THE HERITAGE OF SYRIA IN THE TIMES OF CIVIL WAR. AN INFORMATIVE MEETING	1205-1230
BLOCHER, FELIX Excavations at Tall Munbāqa (Syria) – City Development between Middle and Late Bronze Age	GULIYEV, FARHAD – NISHIAKI, YOSHIHIRO Archaeological Investigations at the Neolithic Settlement of Goytepe Located in the Middle Kura River, Azerbaijan, 2012-2013.			Organised by the Swiss Society for Ancient Near Eastern Studies (see separate programme).	1230-1300
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1645-1710	MIELKE, DIRK PAUL Egyptian Paradigms about the Hittites – Past and Present	WINKELMANN, SYLVIA Transfer and Transformation of a Religious Symbol System from Southeast Iran to Bronze Age Margiana	COQUEUGNIOT, GAËLLE Ancient Near-Eastern Traditions and Greco-Roman Culture in the Agora of Europos-Dura (Syria)	DAVID KENNEDY – REBECCA BANKS – MATTHEW DALTON Kites in Saudi Arabia	
1710-1735	BEN-DOR EVIAN, SHIRLY Representations of "Sea-Peoples" as Icons of Alterity: Creating a New Philistine Paradigm	ORNAN, TALLAY Reshef and his Enemies on a newly-found Canaanite Cylinder Seal	DE JONG, LIDEWIJDE Empires and Palmyra: a View from the Tombs	WAEEL ABU-AZIZEH – M. TARAWNEH Out of the Harra: Desert Kites in South-Eastern Jordan. New Results from the South-Eastern Badia Archaeological Project	
1735-1800	AHRENS, ALEXANDER "Coherence and Divergence" – Egyptian Iconography in the Glyptic Material found in the Northern Levant during the Early 2nd Millennium BCE	ZOLOTNIKOVA, OLGA A Storm-God with a Battle Axe on Neo-Hittite Reliefs: Change of Weapon – Changes in the Concept?	FISCHER-GENZ, BETTINA Becoming Roman without being Hellenized? A Case-Study of Different Narratives of Near Eastern Culture in the Northern Beqaa (Syria/Lebanon)	PER STOREMYR The Distribution of Ancient Game Traps in Upper Egypt and Lower Nubia	
1800-1830		BAŞTÜRK, MAHMUT BILGE Warriors and Gods on the Highlands: Urartian Visual Perception of the Mesopotamian Divinities	CHARLOUX, GUILLAUME ET AL. New Evidence of the Nabataean Presence in the Jawf Region at the Dawn of Romanization: a Triclinium at Dūmat al-Jandal (North Saudi Arabia)		

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PETER PFÄLZNER	TBA	AYALA LESTER	GEOFF EMBERLING – LUCAS PETIT	ARKADIUSZ MARCINIAK – LECH CZERNIAK	CHAIR
ZEYNAVAND, MOHSEN – NIKNAMI, KAMAL-ALDIN – MAZAHERI, KHODAKARAM Chalcolithic Period Settlement Patterns of the Seymarreh Valley, Central Zagros, Iran	AYAZ, GULAN The Early Iron Age Jewelries of the Karagündüz Cemetery from Eastern Anatolia, and their relationship to Southern Caucasia	EGER, ALEXANDER ASA (Re)Mapping Medieval Antioch: Life After the Islamic Conquests	JACK GREEN "We're not an art museum:" Presenting archaeological narratives at the Oriental Institute Museum	ARKADIUSZ MARCINIAK – LECH CZERNIAK Çatalhöyük East at the End of the 7th Millennium. The Demise of Neolithic Mega-City	1645-1710
HARIRYAN, H. – HESARI, M. – MOTARJEM, A. Settlements Dispersal of Chalcolithic Period to end of Bronze Age in Gavroud River Basin in Sonqor	BEN-YOSEF, EREZ Back to Solomon's Era: Results of the First Phase of the Central Timna Valley Project (CTV 2013-2014)	RUBINI, CLAUDIO Antakya urban fabric. A living transformation process	HAIM GITLER The Art of Displaying Small Objects	GARY ROLLEFSON Late 8th and 7th Millennium Turmoil in Neolithic Jordan	1710-1735
NOROZI, ALI ASGHAR – HEYDARI, MOHSEN Saki Abad: A Nomadic Camp Site in Southern Zagros	FRANKE, KRISTINA A. Metal and Elites in Upper Mesopotamia - Uniqueness or Uniformity?	TURCHETTO, JACOPO Among 'Underground Granaries', Fortresses and 'Built' Churches. Territorial Markers for the Reconstruction of the Road Network of Post-classical Cappadocia (Turkey)	JOAN ARUZ – YELENA RAKIC Exhibiting Interaction: Displaying the arts of the ANE in their broader context	NIGEL GORING-MORRIS – ANNA BELFER-COHEN The Relationship Between the Aceramic and Ceramic Neolithic in the Southern Levant	1735-1800
AZADI, AHMAD Archaeological Survey of the Kohgiluyeh Area; A Preliminary Report of two Seasons	HANSEN, S. – BOROFFKA, N. – THOMALSKY, J. Ancient Mining and Metallurgy of Afghanistan	HUSEYNLI, NAMIQ Medieval Shamkir Town on the Great Silk Way (on the Basis of 2007-2012 Excavation)			1800-1830

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0900-0925	TUCCI, GIULIA Egyptian Royal Statues and Stelae from Late Bronze Palestinian Public Buildings	HEFFRON, YAMUR Anatolian Lead Figurines: Imagery in Literal and Figurative Melting Pots	KABS, THOMAS Nabatäische Politik im Spiegel römischer Klientelpolitik	RÉMY CRASSARD The Globalkites Project: Multi-proxy Studies of the Desert Kite Phenomenon	VERHULST, ASTRID One Seal, Multiple Souls. A Study on Old Babylonian Seals from Sippar as Markers of Identity based on the Agency Model
0925-0950	NAEH, LIAT Thrones and Equids: A Typology of Levantine Royal Imagery during the Bronze Age	BELLUCCI, BENEDETTA Travelling Monsters: The Representation of Fantastic Creatures in Late Bronze Age Glyptic	PETROVSZKY, KARIN The Tomb Complexes of Petra: Cross-cultural Encounters, Innovative Developments and Ancient Concepts	OLIVIER BARGE First Results of the Globalkites Project: Research in Armenia, Kazakhstan and Jordan	ZAINA, FEDERICO Deep down in the Earth. The 3rd Millennium BC Levels at Tell Ingharra/Kish Revisited
0950-1015	CHANTEAU, JULIEN The Chapels of the « L shaped » Temple at Byblos	BECERRA, ANA The Buried Griffins of Persepolis: Eagle-Headed Griffins and the Elite in Elam and Persia	GERBER, YVONNE – DURAND, CAROLINE At Crossroads — and in the Cross-fire? Work-in-progress Studies on Pottery and other Small Finds from a Hellenistic/Nabataean Trade Centre in Northwest Arabia	DANI NADEL – GUY BAR- OZ – DAN MALKINSON – AMNON NACHMIAS – ANNA KHECHOYAN – BORIS GASPERIAN New Insights into Desert Kites in Armenia (the Fringes of the Ararat Depression)	CASERO CHAMORRO, MARIA DOLORES Sealing the Present with the Past: The Babylonian Influence on the Construction of the Neoassyrian Empire
1015-1045	MASSAFRA, ANGELA The Egyptian Presence in Southern Palestine at the Dawn of the Late Bronze Age as reflected by Pottery Imports	KUEHN, SARA Vestiges of the Ourobóros in the Medieval Islamic Visual Tradition	DARBY, ROBERT Local Influence and Adaptation in the Late Roman Military Bathhouses of Arabia/Palaestina		YASHMI, RAMIN The Weird Sisters: South-East of Iranian Plateau vs. Surrounding Regions. The Process of Internal Cultural Development of Civilization Centers during the Fourth and the Third Millennia BC
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1115-1140	LANGE, EVA Phoenician Gods and Crafts in the Nile Delta: A Glimpse into the Micro-Stratigraphy of Elite Society at Bubastis in the 1st Millennium BC	COUTURAUD, BARBARA Image and Ideology during the ED III and the Akkadian Periods: the Example of the Figurative Inlaid Panels of Mari	REMBART, L. – PELOSCHKE, L. The Influence of the Hellenistic World on the Local Ceramic Production in Syene/Upper Egypt	MOHAMMED MARAQTEN Hunting in Ancient Arabia in the Light of Rock Art and Epigraphic Material	SOMMA, LORENZO Glass Small Finds from Nimrud, Inside and Outside their Contexts
1140-1205	MANASSA, COLLEEN Another Enigmatic Eastern Desert Locale: A Late Roman/ Byzantine Site near Debabiya, Egypt	LINKE, JULIA The Kings of Urartu in the Visual World	GOPNIK, HILARY Mixing and Matching: Hybridity at Oğlanqala, Azerbaijan	ALISON BETTS Beyond the Walls: Social, Economic and Strategic Aspects of Kite Use	SPURRIER, TRACY L. Disregarded Royalty: A Study of the Bronze Coffins outside Tomb III at Nimrud
1205-1230	MÜLLER, MAYA Decorated Tunics from Late Antique Antinoe reflecting the Egyptian Perception of Near and Middle Eastern Exotic Peoples	ÁLVAREZ-MON, JAVIER From Kul-e Farah to Persepolis: the Elamite Heritage of Persian Sculptural Arts	LE BIHAN, AMÉLIE Les pratiques religieuses en Syrie romaine: entre traditions locales et influences gréco-romaine	UELI BRUNNER The South Arabian Form and its Implication for the Interpretation of Desert Kites	PINNOCK, FRANCES Dealing with the Past at Ebla. Ancestors' Cults and Foreign Relations
1230-1300		ASCALONE, ENRICO New Archaeological Finds from Ziwiyeh. The Glyptic Art of North-West Iran during the First Millennium BC	DUNCAN, CARRIE E. Remembered for Giving: Jewish Benefaction in the Roman World		BINDER, ANNE-BIRTE Documentation, Publication and Reception by and of Anton Moortgat
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YOUSEFI, R. – GOLCHE, M. Tepe Gabri: A Pre-Pottery Neolithic Village from the 8th Millennium B.C. in Eastern Iran	PHILIP, GRAHAM Death and Burial in the Ancient Near East: the "Big Picture"	KOZBE, GULRIZ – ALP, MESUT – ERDOĞAN, NIHA The Excavations in the Citadel of Cizre Castle (Birca Belek)	BEATRICE ANDRÉ-SALVINI Permanent and Temporary Exhibition in a so-called 'Universal Museum': The Louvre	PATRYCJA FILIPOWICZ The Lake District Groups as Descendants of Çatalhöyük East	0900-0925
TSUNEKI, AKIRA Tappeh Sang-i Chaxmaq and the Neolithization of Northeastern Iran	BRADBURY, JENNIE "Missing Persons": body parts, personhood and ownership in the Levantine Bronze Age	MÜLLER-WIENER, MARTINA Regionalism and Interaction: ceramic traditions as indicator of sociopolitical and economic transformations in early Islamic Syria and Iraq	HOLLY PITTMAN – RICHARD ZETTLER New Galleries at the Penn Museum: Challenges and Opportunities	IAN KUIJT – ARKADIUSZ MARCINIAK A Tale of Two Cities: Revisiting Population Estimates for Çatalhöyük East and Neolithic Communities	0925-0950
ABOLAHARR, ALIREZA – ZARE, MOSA – EBRAHIMI, SAEED  The Study of the Oldest Pottery belong to Neolithic Period, Based on Archaeological Survey on Banooj Tepes in Darab, Fars, Iran	REIFARTH, N. – PÜMPIN, CH. – DOUTRELEPONT, H. – VRYDAGHS, L. Archaeological Micro-Structures in Different Light: Reconstructing Funeral Activities in the Royal Tomb of Qatna, Syria	BRADOSTY, ZIDAN RASHEED The Qaysaria (Suq, Market) of Erbil in the Ottoman period	CLEMENS REICHEL Conflicted Conscience — on Balancing Curatorial, Design, and Marketing Demands for a Blockbuster Exhibit	PETER F. BIEHL ET AL. The Transition Between the East and West Mounds at Çatalhöyük around 6000 cal BC: a View from the West	0950-1015
MARGHUSSIAN, A.K. – CONINGHAM, R.A.E. Investigation of Neolithic Pottery from Sialk in the Central Plateau of Iran, Utilising Chemical and XRD Analysis	SHAFIQ, RULA An Overview of Jericho Graves and Skeletons	SCHIETTECATTE, JÉRÉMIE – MOUTON, MICHEL – SIMÉON, PIERRE AL-YAMĀMA. Excavation of an Islamic city in Central Arabia.			1015-1045
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ABEDI, AKBAR – AHMADI, RASUL – KARIMIFAR, AZAM – ABBASI, MAHDI – MOTTAGHIZADEH, FARNAZ – ABEDI, HOSSEIN – ALLAHYARI, HASAN An Updated Chronology for the Chalcolithic Period of the Lake Urmia Basin, NW Iran: New Evidence from Dava Göz	KANJOU, YOUSSEF Mortuary practice in Tell Qaramel North Syria from early bronze age and Neolithic period	GENEQUAND, DENIS – NORTHEGE, ALASTAIR Medieval urban development between Khurasan and Khwarezm: the case of Misriyan/Dehistan (Turkmenistan)	PEDRO AZARA, ALBERT IMPERIAL, MARC MARIN, ERIC RUSIÑOL, & JOAN BORRELL Ancient „Art“ in the White Cube?, or How Contemporary Art Creates Ancient „Art“.	ELENI ASOUTI Discussant	1115-1140
KAZEMPOUR, MEHDI – NIKNAMI, KAMAL ALDIN – ABEDI, AKBAR – REZALOU, REZA New Kurgan Burials at Zardkhaneh, and Reassessment Chronology of Late Prehistory of NW Iran	RATTENBORG, RUNE Land of Behemoths: Altering Concepts of Political Power and Territoriality in the Middle Bronze Age Fertile Crescent	AZAD, AREZOU The Landscape of Early Islamic Balkh	IRVING FINKEL How to Make People Stop and Look		1140-1205
REZAYI, MOHAMMAD HOSSEIN – BASAFA, HASSAN – DEGHANI, ZEINAB The Effect of Hydrology and Geographical Environment on Development Process of Prehistoric Settlements in Kazeroun Plain, Iran	MAHFROOZI, ALI – PILLER, CHRISTIAN Preliminary Report on the Joint Iranian-German Archaeological Survey and Excavation Project in the High Mountain Valleys of Eastern Mazandaran, Iran	SIMÉON, PIERRE New Data on Islamic Material Culture from the Central-Asian margins : Dehistan and Balkh ceramic studies	LEILA BADRE Museum Exhibits and Education: The AUB Museum as a Case Study		1205-1230
FAHIMI, HAMID Sialk 7; A Suggestion for the Latest Period in Sialk South Mound, Based on the New Excavations at Tepe Sialk (2001-05)		HEIDEMANN, STEFAN – NAUE, MATTHIAS Balkh. Lessons on Urban Growth from the Coin Finds			1230-1300
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1430-1455		MATTHIAE, PAOLO Power and Prestige: Egyptian Images for Old Syrian Gods and Kingship	STEPHAN G. SCHMID – ZBIGNIEW T. FIEMA – PIOTR BIEWNKOWSKI – BERNHARD KOLB Power Landscape and Luxury Architecture - the IUBP and NEPP Residences in Petra	RÖSSNER, CORINNA – DECKERS, K. – RIEHL, S. The Origin of Agriculture in the Northern Fertile Crescent – Possible Food Plants at Körtik Tepe, SE-Anatolia	ABABNEH, A. Interpretive Media, Problems and Challenges at the Museum of Dar As Saraya in Jordan
1455-1520		BURNETT, JOEL, S. Egyptianizing Elements in Ammonite Stone Statuary	POLYTIMI AGORIDOU New Insights into the Interior Decoration of a Bath Complex on Umm al-Blyara, Petra	STORK, LEIGH On Pins and Needles, the Relationship between Pins and Textiles in the Carchemish Region during the EB I-II	DI PAOLO, SILVANA The 'Modern Life' of Ancient Near Eastern Antiquities: Polyvalent Objects for the Construction of Cultural Meanings
1520-1545		FRIDMAN, JULIA Concentric Circles Incised on Judahite Storage Jars; Origin and Meaning	MARCO DEHNER What these Stones can Tell Us: a GIS-based Comparative Study of Architectural Members from the NEPP Area in Petra, Jordan	DECKERS, KATLEEN & RIEHL, SIMONE Olive at Zeraqon (Jordan) and its Importance in the 3rd millennium BC Levant	
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1645-1710		WAGNER-DURAND, ELISABETH Visual Narration in Assyria versus Static "Art" in Babylonia – Making a Difference in the First Millennium B.C.	BERNHARD KOLB The Mansion of az-Zantur IV in Petra: Parallels and Differences with Presumed Residences of the Nabataean Kings	YOUSEFI ZOSHK, ROUHOLLAH – FORUZAN, FRIDA – MIRI, JAVAD Pastoral Nomad Bureaucrats and Managers: Research on the Proto Elamite Period in Central Iranian Plateau	KZZO, AHMED FATIMA The Ancient Past in the East, from the East: an Oriental Perspective
1710-1735	YOTAM ASSCHER The Early Iron Age Chronology of the Negev in the Light of Radiocarbon Dates	WICKE, DIRK Assyrian or Assyrianising? Reflections of Assyrian imperial art in southern Anatolia		TAGHAVI, ABED – FARZIN, SAMAN Environmental Geography Impacts on the Distribution Patterns of Archaeological Sites in Makran in Southern Iran (Case Study: The Cairn Burial's of Parthian Era)	DODD, LYNN Seeing, Selling, Saving Jerusalem: Diffusing Heritage-based Conflict
1735-1800	TALI ERICKSON-GINI The 2013 Excavation in 'En Hazeva - Strata 8 and 7b	MONAMY, ELISABETH Images. Mouvements imagés. Les orthostates araméens	LAURA WEIS From Absolute Necessity to Luxury Display: the Nabataeans and Hydro-technology	YOUSEFI ZOSHK, ROUHOLLAH – BAGHIZADEH, SAEED A GIS-Based Analysis of Settlement Pattern of Dargaz Plain in Northeastern Iran	SACA, IMAN Against All Odds: Community Archaeology Efforts in Palestine
1800-1830		DA RIVA, ROCIO Recycling Images: Royal Representations in First Millennium BCE Mesopotamia		ESMAEILI JELODAR, MOHAMMAD ESMAEIL – YADEGARNIA, MASOOMEH A Comparative Study of the Ancient Nomadic Camp Sites and their Modern Counterparts in Bakhtiari Highlands, Iran	

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COCCA, ENZO – FRANZESE, FRANCESCO – GENITO, BRUNO – MARESCA, GIULIO – GENITO, ANDREA A WebGIS about the Italian Archaeological Activities in Sistan, Iran (60s-70s of the XXth century): ArchaeoPro. Di.Mu.S.	FAUST, AVRAHAM – KATZ, HAYAH The Birth, Life and Death of an Iron Age House at Tel Eton, Israel	BESSARD, FANNY Patterns of Urbanism in Early Islamic Iran and Central Asia I	GRAHAM PHILIP The Settlement Landscape of the Orontes River Valley during the 4th Millennium BC: Perspectives from Tell Nebi Mend and the Homs Region	STUART CAMPBELL Persistent Cosmologies in Mesopotamia; What Happens to the Neolithic World?	1430- 1455
BASAFI, HASSAN – REZAYI, MOHAMMAD HOSSEIN – RAHMATI, MAHDIYE New Evidences on Bronze Age Cultures in Neyshabur Plain (Northeast Iran)	BRAUN, ELIOT Early Bronze I Domestic Architecture in the Southern Levant-- Definitions, Sources, Inspirations and Functions	KENNEDY, HUGH Patterns of Urbanism in Early Islamic Iran and Central Asia II	AGNESE VACCA The Orontes Valley and the Sequences of Tell Mardikh/Ebla and Tell Tuqan in the Early 3rd Millennium BC: A Comparative Framework	MARCELLA FRANGIPANE Halaf and Ubaid: Two Opposite Models of Society. What was the Basis of their Hybridisation in Upper Mesopotamia?	1455- 1520
KAVOSH, HOSEINALI – SALMANZADEH, JAVAD The Preliminary Report of the 5th Season of Excavation at Tappeh Talebkhan (Talebkhan Mound) in Zabol, Sistan and Baluchestan Province	MARGUERON, JEAN-CLAUDE Les grandes étapes de la création d'une architecture urbaine (IVe-IIIe millénaires)	DREISER, ANJA R. Islamic Ceramics from Central and Eastern Oman	LYNN WELTON Northern Levantine Spheres of Interaction: The Role of the Amuq in the Early Bronze Age	SALAM AL QUNTAR Economic Opportunities and Interregional Networks in Upper Mesopotamia in the Late Chalcolithic	1520- 1545
NIA, ABBAS REZAEI The IWAN in Ancient Iranian Imperial Tradition	HASSAS, NAJMEH – RAZAVI, LEILA Tāq-Strukturen im Iran von der Elamite Periode (1250 B.C.) bis zur Qajar Dynastie (1925)	RASHID, NARGIS Sgraffito Pottery from first conquered city of Debal (Banbhore), in south Asia-Pakistan		MARCO RAMAZZOTTI Back to the Future. The Analytical Archaeology of the Mesopotamian Urbanism.	1545- 1615
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ESKANDARI, NASIR – ABEDI, AKBAR – SALMANZADEH, JAVAD – SHAFIE, MOZGAN – JAVADI, MEHRI – YOUSEFI, MOSAYEB AHMAD – TAYARI, ZAHRA – ESKANDARI, YASER – HABIBI, HOSSEIN The Development of Pastoralism in the Highlands of Halil Rud Basin, Southeast Iran: Archaeological Evidence and an Ethnoarchaeological Study	GÜNEL, SEVINÇ A New Center of Intercultural Relations in Western Anatolia during the Late Bronze Age: Çine-Tepecik	T. J. WILKINSON & DAN LAWRENCE Water Use at the Frontier: The Role of Water Systems in the Borderland of the Sasanian Empire	MARTA D'ANDREA A Matter of Style: Ceramic Evidence of Contacts between the Orontes Valley and the Southern Levant during the Mid-Late 3rd Millennium BC	DAN LAWRENCE & ANDREA RICCI The Roots of Complexity? Landscapes and Settlement from the Halaf to the Late Chalcolithic in the Northern Fertile Crescent	1645- 1710
HASHEMI, ZAHRA Evolution culturelle dans la région de Gilan pendant l'âge du fer. A travers l'étude des cultes funéraires à la lumière des fouilles récentes	ÜNSAL, NUR DENİZ What can Mycenaean pottery of Çine Tepecik can tell us?	MAURITS ERTSEN & TIJS DE SCHACHT "Wealth is Water" Modeling Water Control in Achaemenid Iran	LISA COOPER Orontes-Euphrates Synchronisms and Spheres of Interaction and Exchange in the Early Bronze Age	MARCO IAMONI The Dynamics of Complexity and Settlement Pattern: the Eastern Upper Tigris Region between the 6th and 4th Millennium BC	1710- 1735
HEMATI AZANDARYANI, ESMAIL – KHAKSAR, ALI Arzanfoud: A Troglodytic Underground Architecture Complex in Hamadan Western Iran	DÖPPER, STEPHANIE The LBA Pottery of Area BU in the Royal Palace of Qatna, Syria.	KOUROSH MOHAMMADKHANI Management of Water in the Achaemenid city of Dahaneh-e Gholaman, Sistan-Iran	FRANCES PINNOCK Ebla in the IIIrd Millennium BC: Architecture and Urban Planning	SIMONE MÜHL Where People Meet - The Eastern Tigris Region from the 6th to the 4th Millennium BC	1735- 1800
ALAEI MOGHADAM, JAVAD – BANIJAMALI, SEYYEDEH LEILA – ROUSTAEI, MOHAMAD SADEGH – FARAHZAD, BEHROZ Establishment Periods in City of Mahallat from Early Times to Present (A Summary of Results of Archaeological Studies on City of Mahallat)	GREENER, AARON Late Bronze Age Imported Pottery in the Southern Levant: Intercultural Contact, Symbolism and Society				1800- 1830

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0900-0925	CHAIM BEN DAVID The Iron Age Road Network in the Negev and Wadi Arabah and the Connections to the Arabian Trade Routes	MAKINSON, MARTIN Self-portrayal and the Image of the "Other": Ethnicity, Costume and Outside Influences in the Depiction of Aramaeans and Hittites in North Syrian and Assyrian art of the First Millennium BCE	THOMAS KABS Same Status – Different status? The Relations of the Herodian and Nabataean Dynasties with Rome and Eventual Influences on the Building of their Residences	ROUSTAEI, KOUROSH Ancient Nomadic Occupations of the Bakhtiari Highlands, Southwestern Iran	HAGENEUER, SEBASTIAN The Influence of Early Archaeological Reconstructions to Near Eastern Archaeology
0925-0950	THOMAS E. LEVY Iron Age Copper Production and Society in Faynan, Jordan - An Overview Based on New Field Data	DARBY, ERIN Reaction, Reliance, Resistance?: Judean Pillar Figurines in the Neo-Assyrian Levant	STEFAN RIEDEL The basileia at Alexandria in Egypt: the Mother of Prototypes?	HAMMER, EMILY Highland Fortress-Polities and their Settlement Systems in the South Caucasus	PROSSER, MILLER Re-imagining Imaging for Archaeological and Philological Projects
0950-1015	EREZ BEN-YOSEF Iron Age Copper Smelting Technologies in the Arabah Valley and the Question of Their Origin	MÄNTYLÄ, LAURI „Modeled after a Palace of the Land of Hatti“: hilani Suites in the Neo-Assyrian Empire	STEPHAN G. SCHMID Intercultural Contacts in the Wider Mediterranean Area as Reflected in Nabataean Luxury Architecture	MASHKOUR, M. – LHUILLIER, J. – GRITSINA, M. – BENDEZU-SARMIENTO, MUSTAFAKULOV, S – KHASANOV, M. ET AL. Subsistence and Exploitation of Environment Resources in the Bronze Age Iron Age Site of Uzbekistan	BUCCELLATI, FEDERICO Architecture to Stratigraphy, Spaces to Volumes, Line-of-Sight to Perception: The Use of 3D Models as Vehicles for Archaeological Research
1015-1045		WICKS, YASMINA The Journey of a Visual Idea: Bronze "Bathtub" Coffins in Elite Neo-Assyrian, Neo-Babylonian and Neo-Elamite Funerary Contexts			CELLERINO, A. – BUCCI, I. – FOIETTA, E. – GIUSTO, F. – MORTARINI, M. – QUIRICO, E. A Decorated Gold Jug from Nimrud Tomb III
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1115-1140	ELI COHEN-SASSON Qurayya Ware (Midianite Pottery) in the Southern Levant	KELLEY, KATHRYN Traveling Signs: Women and Children in the Early Writing of Mesopotamia and Proto-Elamite Iran	KIZILARSLANOĞLU, ASENA Elaiussa Sebaste: An Ancient City of Harbor and Trade on Southern Coasts of Asia Minor	COQUEUGNIOT, ERIC Dja'de el Mughara (Syria): a Village from the 9th Millennium cal. BCE in the Euphrates Valley	OVADIAH, ASHER Mt. Carmel, Pythagoras and Elijah's Cave. Context and Meaning
1140-1205	MARIO MARTIN Iron IIA Pottery from the Negev Highlands and its Link to the Wadi Arabah Copper Districts	HART, CHERYL An Analysis of the Iconographic Rosette Motif as a Means of Non-Verbal Communication: A Case Study	DARLES, CHRISTIAN Un sanctuaire chrétien en Arabie : la question de l'église d'Abraha (550 ap. J.-C.) à Sanaa-Yémen	HELMS, TOBIAS B. H. Lithic Economies of the Western Jezirah during the 3rd Millennium BCE	ALKHALID, MOHAMMED Archaeology Between Literature and Discovery
1205-1230	DVORY NAMDAR Analytical Evidence for Spice Trade between South Asia and the Levant in the Early Iron Age	ILAN, DAVID The Iconographic Representation of the Crescent in the Southern Levant	FARAMARZI, KHASHAYAR – AKBARI, MAHSA Sassanian Royal Army against Counterpart World Powers	ALBUKAAI, DIAA Collectif, familial : reconstitution de l'organisation sociale dans le village néolithique à partir des structures de combustion. L'exemple de Jerf el Ahmar et de Halula (moyen Euphrate - Syrie)	HOSSAINI, ABBAS A Descriptive Survey Regarding Archaeology Efforts in Qajar Era
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PATERAKIS, ALICE BOCCIA – OMURA, SACHIIRO Gold Cloisonné from the Assyrian Colony Period in Central Anatolia	HERRMANN, VIRGINIA R. Recent Excavations at Zincirli Höyük, Ancient Samal, in Turkey	SEYED ABAZAR SHOBAIRI A Comparative Study of Urban Water Management in Achaemenid Persia and Classical Greece: Persepolis and Olynthos (6th - 4th c. BC)	MELISSA KENNEDY Militarisation and the Changing Socio-political landscape of the EBA and MBA	OLIVIER NIEUWENHUYSE Hosting, Eating and Drinking across Boundaries	0900-0925
DÜRING, BLEDA S. Reconstructing Repertoires of Rule: The Middle Assyrian Empire in the West	HARRISON, TIMOTHY P. The Neo-Hittite Royal Citadel at Tayinat (Ancient Kunulua)	LOUISE RAYNE Water and Territorial Empires	CORRINE CASTEL & GEORGES MOUAMAR Mid/late 3rd Mill. Inland West Syria viewed from the Arid Margins	JILL A. WEBER Animals and Complexity: Mapping Urbanized Niche Construction through Sex and Size	0925-0950
COŞKUN, NILGÜN Middle and Neo-Assyrian Periods at the Harran Plain in the Southeastern Anatolia: In the Light of Survey	MAZZONI, STEFANIA – D'AGOSTINO, ANACLETO – ORSI, VALENTINA Researches at Uşaklı Höyük (Central Turkey).	MEHRNOUSH SOROUSH Mapping Long-term Irrigation Strategies on the Miān-āb Plain of Khuzistan	STEPHEN J. BOURKE The Land Behind Qadesh: The Orontes Valley and the Wider World in the Middle Bronze Age	DANIELA ARROYO-BARRANTES Feasting and Mass Production in Early Urban Societies: Tell Majnuna, Tell Brak, Syria	0950-1015
SOLLEE, ALEXANDER Taking a New Look at Neo-Assyrian City Gates	MARCHETTI, NICOLÒ Karkemish: Results of 2012 and 2013 Turco-Italian Excavation Campaigns		KARIN BARTL The Bronze Age Occupation of the Hama Region		1015-1045
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MORANDI BONACOSSO, DANIELE The Land of Nineveh Regional Project. The Formation of the Assyrian Empire in the Land behind Nineveh between Middle Bronze and Iron Ages	Özfiat, Aynur New Urartian Fortresses in the Mt. Ağrı and its Vicinity (Eastern Anatolia)	SHAHROKH RAZMJOU Revisiting Achaemenid Rock-cut Wells: Cistern or Ancient Riddle			1115-1140
ROUAULT, OLIVIER – MASETTI-ROUAULT, MARIA GRAZIA French excavations in Qasr Shemamok, Iraqi Kurdistan (2013 and 2014 campaigns): the Assyrian Town, and Beyond	ZAMUA, DLSHAD A. MARF Back to the Land of Ardini/Musasir – New Archaeological Evidence on Fieldwork 2005-2012	ANTIGONI ZOURNATZI Water works at the 'palace' of Vouni (Cyprus)			1140-1205
POLI, PAOLA Seals and Sealings from Tell Masaikh-Kar-Assurnasirpal, New Results	ERDEM, AYLIN Ü. Ethnoarchaeology at Ayanis in Eastern Turkey	AFSHIN YAZDANI A Report on the Discovery and Excavation of the Four Achaemenid Water Wells at the Foot of Persepolis Terrace Platform Persepolis World Heritage Site			1205-1230
COOPER, LISA Neo-Assyrian Period Remains at Bestansur, Iraq	HIPP, KRZYSZTOF Shamshi-Adad V's Campaigns into the Zagroeslands Revisited				1230-1300
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1455-1520	STREIT, KATHARINA The Ein el-Jarba Excavation Project: A Settlement in the Jezreel Valley from the 6th and 4th Millennia BC and its Transregional Interaction	MEIJER, D.J.W. Mesopotamian Temple Roofing and Realism and Naturalism in Art	CRABTREE, PAM J. – CAMPANA, DOUGLAS V. Animal Bone Remains from the site of Kinik Hoyuk, Southern Cappadocia, Turkey: Animal husbandry and hunting practices during the Iron Age, Hellenistic, and Medieval periods	MÜHL, SIMONE The Development of Irrigation in the Land of Ashur	YOUSSEF KANJOU Protection Strategies and the National Museum of Aleppo in Times of Conflict
1520-1545	FABIAN, PETER – GILEAD, ISAAC The Chalcolithic Site of Tel Sheva - the 2009 Season	KERTAI, DAVID Identifying Assyrian Palatial Architecture in the Southern Levant	GROSSMAN, KATHRYN – MONAHAN, BELINDA What the Empire Eats: Animal Economies at Hellenistic Hacinebi Tepe and Beyond	STONE, ELIZABETH C. Social Differentiation in Southern Mesopotamia: Changing Patterns of Housing from the Fourth to the First Millennium B.C.	CHEIKHMOUS ALI & PHILIPPE QUENET Syrian Museums at Risk: An Overview. Issues and Solutions
1545-1615			ERLICH, ADI Late Hellenistic Figurines from Tel Anafa, Israel		HAMED SALEM Palestinian Archaeological Collections and Lessons of Conflicted Situations
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1645-1710	WACHTEL, IDO 'Jethro Cairn' - An Early Bronze Age Site in the Upper Galilee, Israel: Function and Significance	TOUROVETS, A. Unreliability or Stereotype in the Representation of the People of the Zagros in the Assyrian Reliefs	DANIELYAN, ANI L'art rupestre d'Oughtassar, Arménie : approche méthodologique et analytique	LIPPOLIS, CARLO – MESSINA, VITO Mega Sites Impact on Central Mesopotamia. The Case-Study of the Al-Mada'in Area	FADI BEYANO, ASSAAD SEIF & TIM WILLIAMS Beirut: The Challenge of Curating Large and Complex Urban Datasets
1710-1735	GREENFIELD, HASKEL J. – SHAI, ITZHAQ – MAEIR, AREN M. Understanding Early Bronze Urban Patterns from the Perspective of an EB III Commoner Neighbourhood: the Excavations at Tell es-Safi, Israel	DE BACKER, FABRICE La construction d'un char de guerre néo-assyrien: quelques idées visuelles	MARRO, C. – BAKHSHALIYEV, B. – BERTHON, R. – DESSÈNE, F. The Earliest Kuro-Araxes Pottery Known to Date: New Discoveries from Ovçular Tepesi (Nakhchivan, Azerbaijan).	IŞIKLI, MEHMET Re-thinking the Socio-Economic Structure of Kura-Araxian Societies in Eastern Anatolia	DIANNE FITZPATRICK Quantifying the Problems and Counting the Costs of Near Eastern Archaeological Collections Management: Five Case-Studies
1735-1800	GANOR, SA'AR Seven Years of Excavation in Khirbet Qeiyafa. A Fortified Judean City of the Tenth Century BCE	FESTUCCIA, SILVIA Sport Representation: Transfer Images of Agonistic Contests	VAROUTSIKOS, B. – MGELADZE A. – GABUNIA, M. – AGAPISHVILI, T. – CHATAIGNER, C. Bavra-Ablari: a Chalcolithic Rock Shelter in the South Caucasus.	PALMISANO, ALESSIO – ALTAWHEEL, MARK Understanding Past Human Settlement Hierarchy in Central Anatolia during the Old Assyrian Colony Period	NICOLE REIFARTH & ELISABETH VÖLLING Textiles as Culture Heritage in Fieldwork, Repositories and Collections
1800-1830	KILLEBREW, ANN E. Tel Akko Total Archaeology Project: The 2012 and 2013 Seasons				

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HOLE, FRANK Historical Processes During the Late Ubaid in the Khabur Basin, Syria: Intrusion, Attenuation, Divergence, Demise	BASERI, ZOHREH Trade and the development of writing (According to the National Museum of Iran Counters: Plain and Complex Tokens)	ALISHAHI, HAMZEH – SHAHIVAND, MOHAMMAD The Significance of Socio-political Evolutions in Western Regions of Iran During Early Islamic Era. According to Scripts and Archaeological Studies; Case Study of Mēhrjan-kāzāgh State	CANAN ÇAKIRLAR Ivory, elephant bones, and the relationship between the two in Syria and beyond	RUTH SHAHACK-GROSS Introduction: Method and Theory in Actualistic Studies	1430-1455
VACCA, AGNESE New Data on the EB III Pottery Materials from Old and Recent Excavations at Tell Mardikh/Ebla and Tell Tuqan, Syria	KHADEMI BAMI, MAHYAR – KOMIJANI, SAFURA The Cultural Interaction of Cairn Burials in the Southeastern Iran	SHOBAIRI, SEYED ABAZAR New Evidences of early Islamic and late Sassanid Period in Marvdasht Plain	ALICE CHOYKE Tiny Windows on Household Affairs: a glimpse into Late Chalcolithic Bone-working traditions at Horum Höyük in Southeastern Anatolia	ELISABETTA BOARETTO, MINTZ, E., SHAHACK-GROSS, R. & GUR-ARIEH, S. High Resolution Radiocarbon Dating in Archaeological Research: the Lesson from a Modern Ethnographic Context	1455-1520
BUNNENS, GUY A Third Millennium Temple at Tell Ahmar (Syria)	RAFIEI ALAVI, BABAK The Relation of Khuzestan with Zagros and North/Northwest Iran during the Middle Elamite Period in the Case of Metal Artifacts of Haft Tappeh	CHOOBAK, HAMIDEH Alamut Dome Chamber "Molasara"			1520-1545
BACCARIN, CRISTINA Consumption in a Temple? An Interpretation of the Ceramic Repertoire of the Early Bronze Age Temple at Tell Ahmar (North Syria)		ALIEI, MEISSAM A comparison between sepulchral buildings of Lavāssānāt and RūdbārGhasrān region and the tombs of Māzandarān area on the decorative and architectural styles	ROZALIA CHRISTIDOU & MIHRIBAN ÖZBAŞARAN Early Neolithic bone artifacts from Aşıklı Höyük, Central Anatolia	GEORGIA TSARTSIDOU Phytolith Assemblages from two Ethnographic Contexts of Greece: Implications in the Interpretation of the Archaeological Record	1545-1615
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CLUZAN, SOPHIE Un site du Bronze ancien en Damascène, Syrie	GONDET, SÉBASTIEN – MOHAMMADKHANI, KOUROSH Results from 2012-2013 Large Scale Surveys at Persepolis (Central Fars, Iran). New Insights on the Achaemenid City Organisation Scheme	ESMAEILI JELODAR, MOHAMMAD ESMAEIL – MORTEZAEI, MOHAMMAD New Findings from the First Phase of Salvage Excavations at Rayy: Results of Extensive Excavations at the Base of Rashkan Fortress in 2012 (Western Section)	HERMANN GENZ The Early Bronze Age Bone Object Assemblage from Tell Fadous-Kfarabida, Lebanon	MARIA BOFILL What and How to Grind? An Ethnoarchaeological and Experimental Approach for the Study of Grinding Technologies in the Neolithic of the Near East	1645-1710
MULLER, BÉATRICE Panneaux d'incrustations de Mari, Ville II: Implications des matériaux et des techniques	ZEHBARI, ZOHREH – MEHRAFARIN, REZA – MOOSAVI HAJI, SEYYED RASOOL The New Studies of Potteries in Dahan-E Gholaman, Sistan, Iran	RAZEE, SOROUSH – RAVARI, AMIR HASHAMDAR – BEMI, MAHYAR KHADEMI Qal.è Dokhtār and Qal.è Ardēšīr of Kerman as a Fortress Complex. A Study Based on Archaeological Evidences and Historical Texts	HASKEL J. GREENFIELD & ANNIE BROWN, ITZHAQ SHAI & AREN M. MAEIR Understanding Early Bronze urban patterns from the perspective of an EB III commoner neighbourhood: the excavations at Tell es-Safi, Israel. Bone tool frequencies and the nature of bone tool assemblages in an early urban assemblage: Tell es-Safi, Israel		1710-1735
KÜHNE, HARTMUT Reflecting 35 Years of Interdisciplinary Research at Tall Sheikh Hamad / Dur-Katlimmahtu / Magdalu / Magdala, Syria (1975-2010).	MAKVANDI, LEILA Royal Road in Achaemenid Heartland: Persepolis Fortification Texts and Archaeological Data	FALLAH, MEYSAM – TAGHAVI, ABED New Islamic Potteries discovered From Masjed-e Jome Amol (Friday Mosque)		SHIRA GUR-ARIEH A Geo-Ethnoarchaeological and Experimental Study of Cooking Installations, their Taphonomy and Preservation	1735-1800
	MOHAMMADKHANI, KOUROSH Dahaneh-e Gholaman: One Achaemenid City in Eastern of Empire "Magnetic Survey in Dahaneh-e Gholaman, Sistan-Iran"		LUCA PEYRONEL Bone manufacture at Ebla (Syria) during the Early and Middle Bronze Age (c. 2400-1600 BC)		1800-1830

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0900-0925	FUJII, SUMIO Mosaic Representations of Feline Animals: New Finding at 'Awja 1, a Late Neolithic Open Sanctuary in Southern Jordan	WILKINSON, TOBY C. Clay, Skin and Cloth: a Diachronic Study of Ancient Near Eastern Modes of Body Metaphor and the Transfer of Pottery-Borne Image	PUTURIDZE, MARINA The Development and Continuity of Mid IV – Late III Millenniums BC Ceramic Assemblage: View from Eastern Georgia	DAVIDOVICH, URI – MAROM, NIMROD – PORAT, ROI – BOARETTO, ELISABETTA Yoram Cave (Masada): Human-Environment Interaction in the Late Chalcolithic Judean Desert, Israel/bw	ANTONIO SAGONA, CLAUDIA SAGONA & ALEKS MICHALEWICZ 'Legacy Data' and the site of Samtavro: Revisiting Archaeological Collections and Archives of the Georgian National Museum
0925-0950	MÜLLER-NEUHOF, BERND Jawa's Hinterland: Mining, Farming and Settling in the Chalcolithic/Early Bronze Age Northern Badia of Jordan	ROBERT, BEATRICE & DAVERAT, LOÏC Modeling Images by Shaping Ceramics	MAKHARADZE, ZURAB Early Bronze Age Ananauri #3 Great Kurgan: New Discovery from eastern Georgia	CHARBONNIER, JULIEN – PURDUE, LOUISE Masāfī: Origin and Evolution of an Oasis in Eastern Arabia from the IIInd Millennium B.C. to the Present Day: Interdisciplinary Approach	ANNA STEVENS From Dig House to Digital Humanities: Managing the Archaeological Collection of Amarna
0950-1015	POLCARO, ANDREA – MUNIZ, JUAN – ALVAREZ, VALENTIN The New Spanish-Italian Expedition to the EB I site of Jebel al-Mutawwaq, Middle Wadi az- Zarqa, Jordan: Preliminary Results of the 2012-2013 Campaigns	FRAGNOLI, PAMELA – MALLEGNI, CHIARA Society and Visual Image Transmission. The Painted Pottery during the Early Bronze Age at Arslantepe and in the Malatya-Elazi Area.	KADOWAKI, SEIJI – NISHIAKI, YOSHIHIRO, GULIYEV, FARHAD Tracing the Origins of Early Agricultural Settlements in the Southern Caucasus: New Evidence from Hacı Elamxanlı Tepe (Azerbaijan) in the 2012 and 2013 Seasons	GEBEL, HANS GEORG – WELLBROCK, KAI – GROTTKER, MATTHIAS – ZIELHOFFER, CHRISTOPH Mid-Holocene Land-Use in NW Arabia	SILVIA PERINI Syrian Cultural Heritage in Danger: A Database for the National Museum of Aleppo
1015-1045	RICHARD, SUZANNE Recent Excavations at Khirbat Iskandar, Jordan: The EB III Settlement and Fortifications				ANDREW JAMIESON New Uses for Old Collections: Community and Curriculum Engagement Using Near Eastern Archaeological Collections
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1140-1205	BOURKE, STEPHEN J. The 2013 Field Season at Pella in Jordan: Major New Civic Structures of the Bronze and Iron Ages		EMINLI, JEYHUN – ISKENDEROV, EMIL Archaeological Investigations at Piboz Tapa Necropolis. Lerik, Southern Azerbaijan (Preliminary Report 2012-2013)		HAUSLEITER, ARNULF Oasis Settlement in Northwest Arabia in the Context of Environmental Conditions
1205-1230	WEIGL, MICHAEL – BARTSCH, MARKUS The Development of Specialized Industries at Khirbat al-Mudayna ath-Thamad, Central Jordan		CÓRDOBA, J. M. – MAMEDOV, M. The Iron Age at Dehistan. Turkmen and Spanish Archaeological Investigations in Geoktchik Depe and Izzat Kuli (Balkan Province, Republic of Turkmenistan)		BIELIŃSKI, PIOTR Kuwaiti-Polish Excavations of Bahra 1 Site on As-Subbiya Desert
1230-1300	BOYER, DON Aqueducts and Birkets: New Evidence of the Water Management System Servicing Gerasa (Jarash), Jordan		WAGNER, MARCIN Topaz Gala Depe. Excavations on Site Dated to Early Iron Age		
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GLAZER, EVA KATARINA Sedentary and Nomadic Population during Bronze Age Southern Levant: An Example of Cultural Contacts	KARIM, MOHAMMAD A. – ABDUL-KARIM, NAWZAD A. – TALIB, SAMAN R. – MAJEEED, SARWAT H. The Parthian Vault-tomb in Sarqala in Iraqi Kurdistan (Preliminary report on the Results of the Archaeological Excavation)	BANIJAMALI, SEYYEDEH LEILA – ALAEI MOGHADAM, JAVAD – MOUSAVI HAJI, SEYYED RASOUL – AFARIN, REZA MEHR The Results of the Latest Studies Conducted on Palace of Kuh-e Khajeh, Qaleh Kaferun, in Sistan	ARIEL SHATIL Bone Carving in Early Islamic Jerusalem	SARAH ELLIOTT, ROBIN BENDREY & JADE WHITLAM Ethnoarchaeological Research on Modern Animal Husbandry in Iraqi Kurdistan. Linking the Macroscopic with the Microscopic: Integrating Animal, Plant and Environmental Data	0900-0925
PIZZIMENTI, SARA A Reassessment of the Iron Age I-III Pottery in Northern Levant. The Contribution of the Iron Age Levels of Tell Mardikh-Ebla	ALAEI MOGHADAM, JAVAD Results Obtained from First Part of Archaeological Activities in Kolak Castle Tepe of Sistan	MOUSAVI HAJI, SEYYED RASOOL – SHIRAZI, RUHULLAH – ZOUR, MARYAM – FARZIN, SAMAN Survey of The Pottery Samples Collected from the Islamic Ages in Nikshahr and Chabahar (South-East of Iran)		HADIA FAISAL, RAMON BUXÓ & MIQUEL MOLIST MONTAÑA Agricultural Methods in Southern Syria: an Ethnoarchaeological Study in the Sweida Region (2011-2012) and its Contributions to Understanding Agricultural Practices in the Neolithic Site of Tell Halula (Syria)	0925-0950
	MESSINA, VITO – MEHR KIAN, JAFAR The Religious Complex at Shami. Preliminary Report of the Research Conducted by the Iranian-Italian Joint Expedition in Khuzestan at Kal-e Chendar	SHOJAEI, SEYED MOSTAFA – MOOSAZADEH, BEHROOZ – MOOSAZADEH, REZA Iranian Architecture is the Reflection of Mysterious Patterns & Façade		DAVID FRIESEM Ethnoarchaeology of Mud Structures Across the Near East: Taphonomy, Preservation and Site Formation Processes	0950-1015
	AGHALARY, BAYRAM – ABDOLLAHSADEH, AYLAR Cultural Characteristics of Northwestern of Iran in the Parthian Period (Based on the Results of the 2nd Season of Excavations at Köhne Päsghah Tepesi)	TABATABAEI, NEGIN A Historic-Comparative Study on four Safavid Inscriptions of the Old Gama Mosque of Isfahan			1015-1045
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KOIZUMI, TATSUNDO Preliminary Results of the 2010-2012 Excavations on Salat Tepe in the Upper Tigris: the Ubaid and Late Chalcolithic Periods	DAGHMEHCHI, MARIA – SHIRZADE, GHOLAM – SHARAH, ISMAIL Settlement Patterns of Parthian Sites in Komijan Plain, Central Iran	GANJI, SHADI – DANESHI, ALI Probable Evidences of Nomadism in the Mountainous Region of Jiroft: An Archaeological Survey in Iran, 2009		114 1115-1615	1115-1140
BULU, MÜGE An Intact Palace Kitchen Context from Middle Bronze Age Alalakh: Its Organization and Function	SAMADI, OMID – GHASEMI, MOHSEN – RIAHIYAN, REZA Survey of Parthian Settlements Pattern in Kahnouj Plain, Kerman Province, Iran	HAMZAVI, SAMAN – BORUJENI, RASOUL SEYEDIN – ZEIDI, MOHSEN Discovery of a Long Term Occupation in the Saimarreh River Valley, Western Iran (Report on the Archaeological Survey)		<b>AN ARCANE RELOADED?</b> <b>POSSIBILITIES ON AN IRON AGE COOPERATION</b> (see separate programme)	1140-1205
BAŞTÜRK, ELIF A Mitannian Fortress on the Northern Border of Mesopotamia: Siirt – Türbe Höyük	GHASEMI, MOHSEN – HAGHIGHAT, ALI – AREFI, ZAHRA A New-Discovered Altar in the North of Iran Central Plateau	MORTAZAEI, MOHAMMAD – SADRAEI, ALI New Findings from the Second Phase of Salvage Excavations of Rayy Fortifications in 2012 (Eastern Section)			1205-1230
AHRENS, ALEXANDER – KOZAL, EKIN The Turkish-Swiss Excavations at Sirkeli Höyük (Eastern Cilicia) 2011-2013: Material Culture, Settlement Structure, Chronology and Interregional Connections	ALIZADEH, FATEMEH – AFARIN, REZA MEHR – SHIRAZI, ROUHOLLAH Study of the Pottery Samples of the Parthian Period in Baluchestan (Classification, typology and typology comparison)				1230-1300
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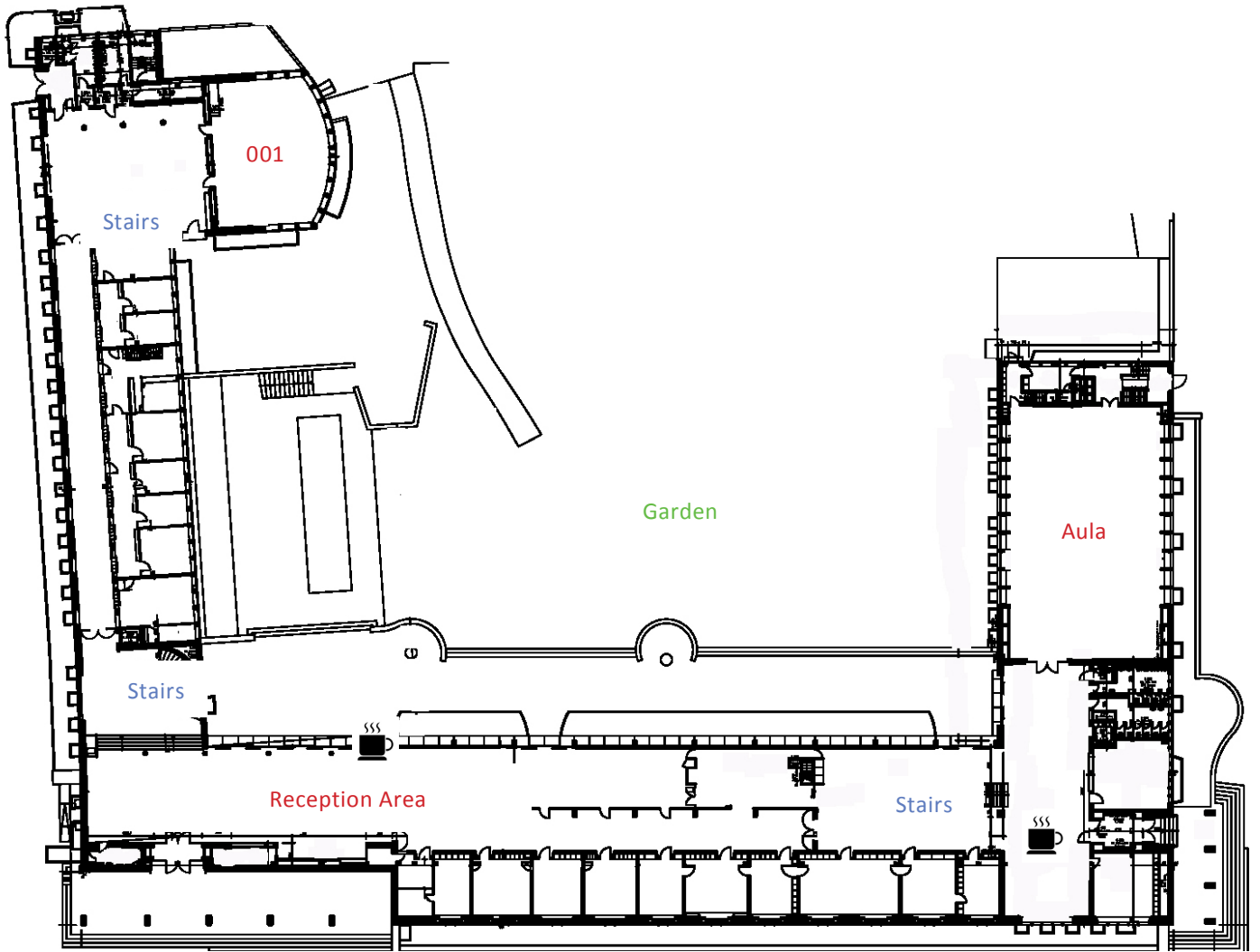
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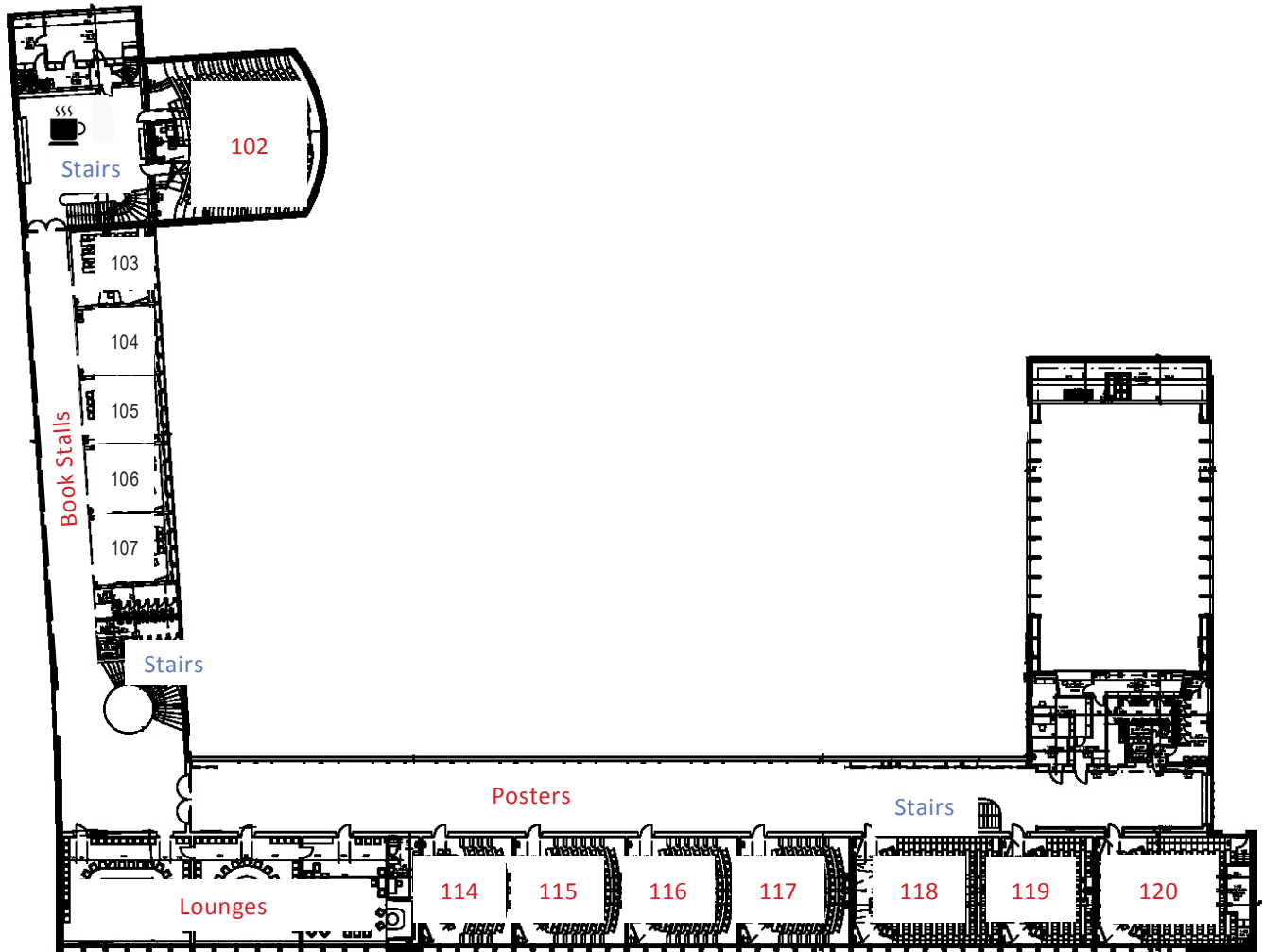


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