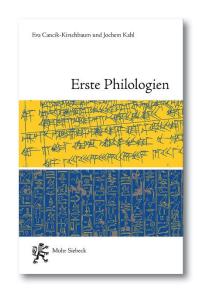


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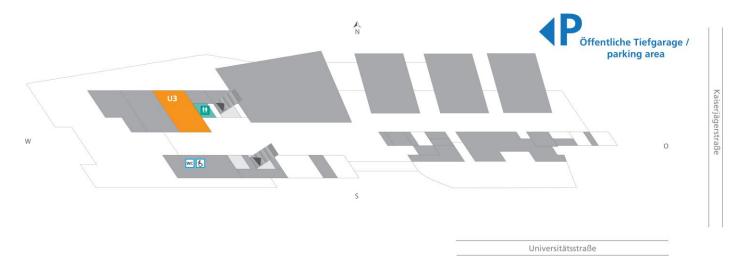


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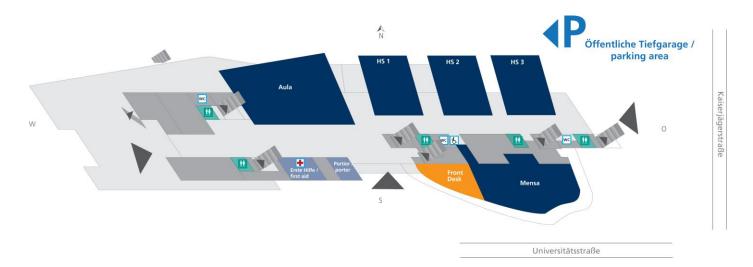
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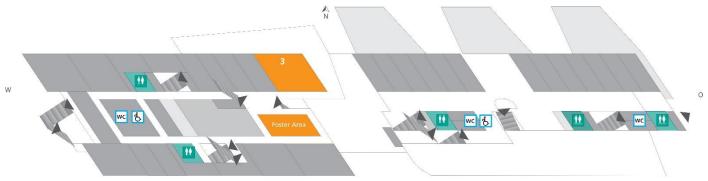
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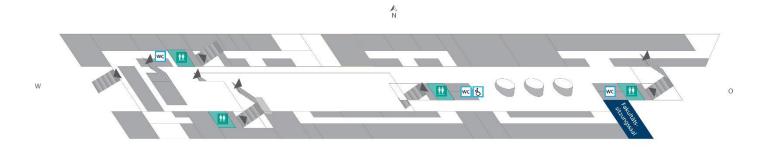
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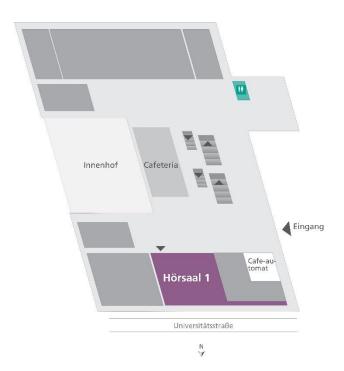
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prechen wir über die Geschichte und Kultur des Alten Orient, verwenden wir häufig die Begriffe Mesopotamien und Zweistromland – das Land zwischen Euphrat und Tigris. Diese beiden Flüsse waren prägend für die Zivilisationen, die sich an ihren Ufern entwickelten. Bisher existiert jedoch keine Studie, die sich der Frage widmet, wie die beiden Flüsse zur Zeit des Alten Orient wahrgenommen wurden und wie sie das Leben der Menschen prägten.

Theresa Blaschke zieht zur Beantwortung dieser Frage Keilschrifttexte, die die beiden Flüsse namentlich nennen, aus allen Textgattungen und Zeitperioden der altorientalischen Geschichte zur Analyse heran. Da der Verlauf der beiden Flüsse zur Zeit des Alten Orient umstritten ist, ist eine detaillierte Auseinandersetzung mit ihrer Geografie zwingend erforderlich. Vor allem dem Tigris ist eine größere Bedeutung für die Region zuzuschreiben, als lange angenommen wurde. Darüber hinaus widmet sich die Studie den Themenbereichen der Herkunft und Schreibung der Flussnamen, der Überquerung der Flüsse und ihrer Wahrnehmung als Grenzen, der Nutzung der Flüsse als Verkehrswege, der Beschreibung der Flüsse als Wasserlieferanten und Überflussbringer sowie rituellen Aspekten und der Frage der Vergöttlichung der Flüsse. Auf diese Weise gibt Blaschke erstmals einen umfassenden natur- und kulturgeschichtlichen Überblick über Euphrat und Tigris im Alten Orient und das Leben an ihren Ufern.

7,1: Michael P. Streck

Supplement to the Akkadian Dictionaries

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he Akkadian (Babylonian-Assyrian) lexicon is currently accessible via two reference dictionaries, Wolfram von Soden's *Akkadisches Handwörterbuch* (1958–1981) and *The Assyrian Dictionary of the University of Chicago* (1956–2010). However, due to a large number of new cuneiform texts published during the last decades, both dictionaries are outdated in part, especially in their earlier volumes.

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This grammatical description of Middle Assyrian seeks to improve our knowledge of the language of these texts. It takes into account recently published texts, including the archives from Tell Aš-Šēḫ Ḥamad, Tell Ḥuwīra, Tell Ṣabī Abyaḍ and Tell Ṭābān. The result serves as a long overdue supplementation to Mayer's *Untersuchungen zur Grammatik des Mittelassyrischen* (1971). The monograph consists of an introduction to the corpus and its historical context, followed by discussions on orthography, phonology, morphology and syntax. Non-Assyrian influences on orthography and grammar are also subject of discussion. In addition, comparisons are made between the different stages of the Assyrian language in order to put Middle Assyrian into context of its intermediate stage between Old Assyrian (ca. 1900–1700) and Neo-Assyrian (ca. 1000–600). Thus, the monograph is aimed at Assyriologists as well as Semitists.

9: Elyze Zomer

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Session 11 – Digital Humanities	Workshop 11 — Kassite Administration: Texts, Seals and Sealing Practices	Session 12 — Anatolia & its Culture	
Chair: Laurie Pearce	Chair: Christian W. Hess	Chair: Ivo Hajnal	
	Introduction Elena Devecchi and Susanne Paulus		8 ⁴⁵ -9 ⁰⁰
Creating Open-access Urartian and Elamite Text Corpora Alexa Bartelmus and Birgit Christiansen	The archaeology of Kassite Period texts Tim Clayden	How to Bewitch Someone: Bewitching Techniques according to Incantations in the Hittite and Luwian Ritual Texts Laura Puértolas Rubio	900-930
Responses (with Susanne Görke and Gerfrid G. W. Müller)	Towards a diplomatics of Middle Babylonian archival documents Elena Devecchi	Herrschaft durch Emotion: Fallbeispiele aus dem hethitischen Schrifttum Sylvia Hutter-Braunsar	9 ³⁰ -10 ⁰⁰
Discussion	Palace or Temple? Origin and purpose of the "granary archive" in Kassite Nippur Susanne Paulus	The Rise and Fall of the Hymn in Hittite Literature Lidewij E. van de Peut	1000-1030

Coffee Break 10³⁰-11⁰⁰

Chair: Steve Tinney	Chair: Elena Devecchi	Chair: Cécile Michel	
The Ancient Records of Middle Eastern Polities (ARMEP) Map Interface: its current Uses and future Prospects Nathan Morello	ce: its current pects Much Cattle, much Care: Middle Babylonian Herding Contracts from Nippur Ami Huang Ana Arroyo Ana Arroyo		11 ⁰⁰ -11 ³⁰
Oracc, Royal Inscriptions and the Text Alignment Tool Frauke Weiershäuser	Studies in the <i>aklu</i> Documents of the Middle Babylonian Period Nobuaki Murai	Production, Trade and Consumption of Wine in Middle Bronze Age Anatolia Gojko Barjamovic	1130-1200
Assyriology, Digital Humanities and Reproducible Research Laurie Pearc e	Imaging Kassite Seals Lynn-Salammbô Zimmermann	Evidence to place Purušhanda at Acemhöyük Joost Blasweiler	1200-1230

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	Session 10 – Towards a History of Assyriology			Workshop 10 – The Spread of Urartu
	Chair: Sebastian Fink			Chair: Walter Kuntner
14 ⁰⁰ -14 ³⁰	Altorientalistik an der Universität Münster: Die Berufung von Hubert Grimme, die Gründung des Orientalischen Seminars und die Ausdifferenzierung in selbständige Seminare und Institute Ludger Hiepel			Khovle Gora at the Time of the Kingdom of Urartu (9th-7th century BCE) Sandra Heinsch-Kuntner
14 ³⁰ -15 ⁰⁰	Keigo Harada and the Babylon Society in Japan in the early years of the twentieth century Reiko Maejima			The Iron-Age Notes on Urartian Architecture Stephan Kroll
15 ⁰⁰ -15 ³⁰	Discussion			The Iron-Age Settlement of Anaqizli Tepe (Chors) in Nord- West Iran Brigit Danthine

15 ³⁰ -16 ⁰⁰	Coffee	Break	
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16 ⁰⁰ -18 ⁰⁰	Plenary IAA Genera		
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	Chair: Susanne Paulus	Chair: Annick Payne	
Oracc Workshop Steve Tinney, Eleanor Robson and Jamie Novotny	Seal Inscriptions of the Kassite period Jonathan Taylor	Der Gott Ea in hieroglyphen-luwischen Texten Manfred Hutter	14 ⁰⁰ -14 ³⁰
	Sealing Practices in the Kassite and Middle Assyrian periods Agnete Wisti Lassen	Die palaischen Texte aus Hattusa Susanne Görke	14 ³⁰ -15 ⁰⁰
	Kassitische Siegelungspraxis aus dem Blickwinkel von Babylon Leonhard Sassmannshausen	The Goddess Iyaya and her alleged post- hittite Survival Federico Giusfredi	1500-1530
	Coffee Break		15 ³⁰ -16 ⁰⁰
	Aula		
Plenary Session: IAA General Meeting			1600-1800

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	Session 10 — Towards a History of Assyriology	Session 13 — The Epic of Gilgamesh and Beyond	Workshop 12 — Current Archaeological and Epigraphic Research in Iraq	Workshop 13 — Current Research in Cuneiform Palaeography 2
	Chair: Peeter Espak	Chair: Martin J. Worthington	Chair: Ahmed Kamil Al- Hamawendi	Chair: Jana Mynářová
900-930	The Babel-Bible Controversy and "Wissenschaft des Judentums" Thomas L. Gertzen	Die Bedeutung des sogenannten "Edelsteingartens" im Gilgameš- Epos Tf. IX, 172-196 Sabina Franke		Chronological and Geographical Liminality in Early Mesopotamian Palaeography: The Case of Umma and Adab Armando Bramanti
9 ³⁰ -10 ⁰⁰	BL contra Delitzsch: On B. Landsberger's Cultural Background, Motivation for the Study of Assyriology, and the Personal Roots of His "Eigenbegrifflichkeit" Luděk Vacín	Was the Bird in the Hand or in the Bush? Double Messaging in Gilg. VI 48-50, Emar 25 Kathleen A. McCaffrey		Crafting Cuneiform: a palaeographic and material Approach to Writing Practices in the Ur III Period Mathilde Touillon-Ricci
1000-1030	Paul Haupt – Between Two Worlds: Assyriology and Biblical Studies Peter Machinist	Ištar and Aphrodite: Reassessing a Gilgameš Epic Parallel in Homer Bernardo Ballesteros Petrella	Tall Ḥarmal (Šaduppûm) Texte und Archive Laith Hussein	

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	Chair: Peeter Espak	Chair: Simonetta Ponchia	Chair: Laith Hussein	Chair: Gerfrid G. W. Müller
1100-1130	Toward Leo Oppenheim's Dead Civilization and Stream of Tradition Abraham Winitzer	The Revelatory Journey Motif in the Iliad and the Epic of Gilgameš Marcus Daniel Ziemann	The Cuneiform Collection of the Sulaimaniya Museum: A Short Review of the Inscriptions Kozad M. Ahmed	Teaching: from Parent to Child(?) Wiebke Beyer
1130-1200	Syphilography, Sexology and Assyriology Ann Guinan	Gilgameš on the Couch Luigi Turri	Excavations at Gird-i Shamlu 2015–2016: A Bronze Age and Late Chalcolithic Site in Southern Kurdistan Simone Mühl	YBC 4615: Sign list, sign inventory, or advanced "exercise"? Klaus Wagensonner
1200-1230	Woldemar Georg Schileico. Unknown and Unpublished Works of a Russian Sumerologist Vladimir Emelianov		Italian Excavations at Tell Helawa/Aliawa in the South-west Erbil Plain, Kurdistan, Iraq Luca Peyronel and Agnese Vacca (read by Valentina Oselini)	Bi-graphic Competence: The "Akkadian Texts from Boğazköy" as Evidence for the purpose- related Use of a distinct Type of Script Lisa Wilhelmi

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Session 14 — Grammar	Workshop 14 — Waterscapes: Perspectives on hydro-cultural Landscapes in the Ancient Near East	Workshop 15 — (Mis)use of Sources: Ancient and Modern	
Chair: Manfred Krebernik	Chair: Lucia Mori	Chair: Jennifer Singletary	
Investigating Variation and Change in the Old Babylonian Language: New Perspectives Rodrigo Hernáiz Gómez	"Water and Power": what is left? An introduction to the Waterscapes workshop Lucia Mori	Introduction Jennifer Singletary	900-930
Semantic Transitivity and the Akkadian Verbal Stems Øyvind Bjøru	The irrigation network of the ED IIIb/Pre- Sargonic city-state of Lagaš. Technical, administrative, socio-economic and legal aspects Ingo Schrakamp	A Transtextual Reading of the 'Underworld Vision of an Assyrian Prince' (SAA 3, 32) Johannes Bach	930-1000
Numerals and their Patterns in Akkadian Jacob Jan De Ridder	The Shape of Water: How Landscape and Environment Affected and Changed the Morphology of Tell Zurghul in the ancient State of Lagaš Davide Nadali, Andrea Polcaro, Maurizio Ercoli, Giulia Iacobucci, Paolo Mancinelli, Cristina Pauselli and Francesco Troiani	The Misuse of Sources in the Study of the New Year's Festival Céline Debours e	1000-1030

Coffee Break 10³⁰-11⁰⁰

Chair: Simo Parpola	Chair: Davide Nadali	Chair: Jennifer Singletary	
On Wh-questions in Old-Babylonian Boris Alexandrov	Sea and Seascape in IIIrd Millenium Mesopotamia Lorenzo Verderame	Enūma Eliš: a Glorious Past and a Curious Present Silvia Gabrieli	1100-1130
Nouns and Cases: An Analysis of Neo-Assyrian Letters Sara Manasterska	The management of earthmoving linked to hydraulic works in Southern Mesopotamia at the end of 3rd millennium BCE Sergio Alivernini	The Reception of Mesopotamia: From Victorian Spectacle to Science Fiction and Snow Crash Gina Konstantopoulos	1130-1200
	A neglected source of prosperity. Marshes' resources and the role of the 'enku' in the III Mill. BC Southern Mesopotamia Angela Greco	Assyriology and the Allosaurus: Inverse Rhetorical Strategies Concerning the 'Past' at the Creation Museum and Ark Encounter Dustin Nash	1200-1230

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	Aula	HS 1	HS 2	HS 3
	Session 10 — Towards a History of Assyriology	Session 15 — Sumerian Literature	Workshop 12 — Current Archaeological and Epigraphic Research in Iraq	Workshop 13 — Current Research in Cuneiform Palaeography 2
	Chair: Sebastian Fink	Chair: Paul Delnero	Chair: Kozad Ahmed	Chair: Elena Devecchi
14 ⁰⁰ -14 ³⁰	Strengthening Ties: Assessing the Presence of Spanish Scholars in International Conferences devoted to Ancient Near Eastern Studies (1945-1983) Agnès Garcia and Jordi Vidal	On the Two Principal Meanings of the Sumerian Term lugal Jacob Klein and Yitschak Sefati	The Land of Nineveh Archaeological Project: Settlements and Landscape in the Bronze and Iron Ages Daniele Morandi Bonacossi and Costanza Coppini	Mittani Palaeography Zenobia Homan
14 ³⁰ -15 ⁰⁰	Yaakov Peremen and the Notarikon: a Case of Anti- Sumerist Revival in Mid- Twentieth Century Palestine Netanel Anor	O, House! The Invocation of Temple Names in the Collection of Sumerian Temple Hymns Monica Louise Phillips	Current Archaeological and Epigraphic Research in Iraq Cinzia Pappi and Sebastian Haidler	Amarna Texts from the Northern Levant: The Qatna Palaeography in Context Jana Mynářová
1500-1530	Archibald H. Sayce: seine Leistungen innerhalb der Altorientalistik aus Sicht der damaligen und heutigen Indogermanistik Tomoki Kitazumi	Safeguarding by Enhancing: Sumerian Intangible Cultural Heritage in the Old Babylonian Period Szilvia Jáka-Sövegjártó	Archaeological Project SAHI Tell Jokha in South Iraq Drahoslav Hulíne k	Zur Paläographie der hurritischen Emar-Texte Sebastian Fischer

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Session 16 — Akkadian
Literature

		Literature		
	Chair: Sebastian Fink	Chair: Martin Lang	Chair: Cinzia Pappi	Chair: Elena Devecchi
16 ⁰⁰ -16 ³⁰	lgancy Radliński et les debuts d'assyriologie en Pologne Magdalena Kapeluś	Historical Cultural Reception and Transformation of Mesopotamian Creation Traditions Richard E. Averbeck	Beyond the River: Extent and Borders of the Ceramic Regions to the East and West of the Tigris, during the 2nd Millennium BC Valentina Oselini	Cuneiform Palaeography in 1st Millennium BCE Babylonia Michael Jursa and Reinhard Pirngruber
16 ³⁰ -17 ⁰⁰	Forget About Mesopotamia: Untangling the Many Locations of the 'Land Between the Rivers' Rune Rattenborg	Enūma eliš and the Priestly Narrative: Influences and Divergences Stéphanie Anthonioz	A new Middle-Assyrian Provincial Capital in Northern Mesopotamia: Excavations at Bassetki Peter Pfälzner	Small Samples, Big Variations: Strategies to identify Scribes Gerfrid G. W. Müller and Reinhard Pirngruber
17 ⁰⁰ -17 ³⁰	Altorientalistik in der DDR im Spannungsfeld von Kontinuität und Wandel Hans Neumann	Divine Love Lyrics: New Edition, New Perspectives Rocío Da Riva and Nathan Wasserman	How to identify a dunnu Settlement? New Excavations at a Rural Site in Northern Mesopotamia Ivana Puljiz	Abbreviations, lines and clay tablets: How to write a KIN oracle, how to manage the space Livio Warbinek
1730-1800	Discussion	The Protagonist of the Underworld Vision of an Assyrian Prince Eckart Frahm	Cracking the Code of a Terra Incognita: the Pottery Production in the Region of Koi Sanjaq (Iraqi Kurdistan) in the 2nd Millennium BC Costanza Coppini	

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1830	Film: "The Poor Man of Nippur" Host: Martin J. Worthington

2000-2200	Tyrolean Buffet

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Workshop 16 — The Early Reception of Ancient Near Eastern Art	Workshop 14 — Waterscapes: perspectives on hydro-cultural landscapes in the ancient Near East	Workshop 15 — (Mis)use of Sources: Ancient and Modern	
Chair: Ann C. Gunter	Chair: Lorenzo Verderame	Chair: Jennifer Singletary	
The Greek Paradigm in Early Histories of Mesopotamian Art Ann C. Gunter	Water environments in Ur III Lagaš: from natural setting to economic resource Noemi Borrelli	Scribal Interest for the Past: Late Babylonian Copies of Ancient Royal Inscriptions Louise Neuville and Marie Young	14 ⁰⁰ -14 ³⁰
Synthesizing Ancient Assyria through Plaster and Paint Paul Collins	Planning a Canal Maintenance Project during the Reign of Hammurabi Robert Middeke-Conlin	Theoretical Knowledge and Practical Applications of Archaizing Palaeography in the Cuneiform World Carole Roche	14 ³⁰ -15 ⁰⁰
The Louvre Museum as a Case Study for the Early Reception of Ancient Near Eastern Art in France Ariane Thomas	Of Canals Big and Small: Landscapes of Irrigation in the Euphrates Valley (Mari, 18th century BCE) Hervé Reculeau	Echoes of the Ugaritic Baal Cycle in Papyrus Amherst 63 Karel Van Der Toorn	15 ⁰⁰ -15 ³⁰

Coffee Book	1530_1600
Coffee Break	1530-1600

Chair: Jean M. Evans		Chair: Jennifer Singletary	
Classifying Ancient Cyprus in Paris and London in the Late Nineteenth Century Catherine V. Olien	Response Frederick Mario Fales	Filming The Poor Man of Nippur Martin J. Worthington	16 ⁰⁰ -16 ³⁰
A Glance into Walter Andrae's Designing of the Ancient Near Eastern Department/Pergamonmuseum Sabine Böhme			16 ³⁰ -17 ⁰⁰
Representing Mesopotamia in the Earliest Galleries of the Oriental Institute Museum Jean M. Evans			17 ⁰⁰ -17 ³⁰
Discussion			17 ³⁰ -18 ⁰⁰

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Film: "The Poor Man of Nippur" Host: Martin J. Worthington	18 ³⁰

Tyrolean Buffet	2000-2200

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	Session 17 — Contact Zone: Levante	Workshop 17 — Heritage in Transmission: Adoption and Adaptation of Writing Systems	Workshop 12 — Current Archaeological and Epigraphic Research in Iraq	Session 18 — New Approaches to ANES
	Chair: Frederik Mario Fales	Chair: Annick Payne	Chair: Michael Roaf	Chair: Jonathan Taylor
900-930		The Puzzling Logogram and Bilingualism as Hermeneutical Mover Gebhard Sel z		
9 ³⁰ -10 ⁰⁰	The Assyrians seen by the Phoenicians Josette Elayi	Alphabets as "Disruptive Technology" in the Ancient Near East Orly Goldwasser	Excavations at the South Mound of Ur: first results of the German team Adelheid Otto	The Need for a Comprehensive Sociology of Knowledge of Ancient Near Eastern Studies Emanuel Pfoh
10 ⁰⁰ -10 ³⁰	Settlement pattern and historical evidence: the Northern Lebanon Project and the area of Tripoli/Koura during the second and first millennium BC Luigi Turri, May Haider, Marco lamoni	Schreibfehler im Fokus: die anatolischen Schriftsysteme des II. Jahrtausends im Vergleich Paola Cotticelli-Kurras	Excavations at Ur (2017): New Epigraphic Discoveries Dominique Charpin	Using Social Network Analysis on the Archive of Nūršamaš - a Study of an Old Babylonian Community Carlos H. B. Goncalves

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	Chair: Manfred Bietak	Chair: Annick Payne	Chair: Cinzia Pappi	Chair: Grant Frame
1100-1130	Cultural Transfer in the Light of Seth, Baʿal and Their Relationship František Válek	Writing system transmission and change: A neurofunctional perspective Karenleigh A. Overmann	To Bake or Not To Bake: The Blessing (and Potential Curse) of Eternalized Data Storage Clemens Reichel	Introducing the MTAAC Project: Machine Translation and Automated Analysis of Cuneiform Languages Heather D. Baker
11 ³⁰ -12 ⁰⁰	Archaeological Investigation of Ashdod-Yam (Asdudimmu) on the Israeli Mediterranean Coast Alexander Fantalkin	The different cuneiform alphabets of the 13th century BC, and their (occasional) passage from socially marginal experiments to institutionalized 'official' status Robert Hawley	The Construction History of the Ur III Ekur at Nippur Bernhard Schneider	Gods without Borders: A Language Technological Analysis of Neo-Assyrian Texts Aleksi Sahala, Tero Alstola, Shana Zaia, Heidi Jauhiainen, Saana Svärd and Krister Lindén
12 ⁰⁰ -12 ³⁰	Time is Running. Ancient Greek Chronography and the Ancient Near East Angelika Kellner	Discussion		

	Aula
12 ³⁰ -13 ³⁰	Closing Session: Near Eastern Temples in the Eastern Nile Delta and the Spiritual Roots of the Hyksos Manfred Bietak

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		Session 20 — Scribes & Authors	
		Chair: Martin Lang	
		Scribal Education in Sargonic Mesopotamia Nicholas Kraus	900-930
		Humour in Sumerian Didactic Literature, or: Schadenfreude as a Pedagogical Tool Jana Matuszak	930-1000
			1000-1030

Coffee Break 10³⁰-11⁰⁰

Session 19 — Babylonia		
Chair: Caroline Waerzeggers	Chair: Martin Lang	
To Seal or not to Seal or Making Sure there is Nothing Rotten in the Palace of the Sealand Odette Boivin	Scribal Invention in the Old Babylonian Legal Texts Witold Tyborowski	11 ⁰⁰ -11 ³⁰
Ideology and Administration in Nebuchadnezzar's Babylon Peerapat Ouysook	Weavers and Dreamers: The Representation of Authorship in Cuneiform Cultures Sophus Helle	1130-1200
A New Case of Cattle Theft from the Eanna Archive Julia Giessler		12 ⁰⁰ -12 ³⁰

Aula	
Closing Session: Near Eastern Temples in the Eastern Nile Delta and the Spiritual Roots of the Hyksos Manfred Bietak	1230-1330