

Thursday April 24, 2025

<b>TIME</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Meeting Check-In, Information Desk and Registration	Registration Area (Mezzanine floor)
3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Paper Session Presentation Check-in	Derby (2 <sup>nd</sup> floor)
Starting at 2:00 p.m.	Exhibit/Vendor Area Setup	Georgian (Mezzanine floor)
Starting at 2:00 p.m.	Student poster Setup	Corridors outside California East and West (2 <sup>nd</sup> floor)
c. 2-5pm	Welcome Table with Annual Meeting Ambassadors	Registration Area (Mezzanine floor); all are welcome!
All Day	Board Meeting	By invite only

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Saturday April 26, 2025					THIS SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE. CHECK WEBSITE FOR MOST UP-TO-DATE VERSION.				
7:30am-6:30pm: Meeting Check-in, Information Desk and Registration (Mezzanine) 7:30am-6:30pm: Paper Presenter Check-in (Derby, 2nd floor) 8am-6pm: Poster Exhibit Open (corridors outside California East and West, 2nd floor) 8am-6pm: Exhibit/Vendor Area Open									
By Invite Only Chapter Council Meeting Breakfast (Hampton, 2nd Floor), 7:30-8:30									
Colonial (Mezzanine)		Italian (Mezzanine)		California East (2nd Floor)		California West (2nd floor)			
<b>Field Reports</b>		<b>Embodied Philologies: Text, Materiality, and Scribal Practice in the New Kingdom [member organized session] Chair = Aurore Motte</b>		<b>Old Kingdom</b>		<b>Book of the Dead</b>			
8:30am	Silvia Zago, Andrea Pflon, "The Tomb of Amenemhet at Deir el-Medina (TT 265): Preliminary Results of the First Field Seasons"	Niv Allon, "Ink Flowing in Malqata: Analyzing Writing Practices on Jar Labels"; response by H. Navratilova		Thomas Matthew Letsinger, "Functionality of Sun Temples in the Old Kingdom: Religious and Socioeconomic Usage in Ancient Egypt"		Joel Sams, "The New Kingdom BD tradition and its scribes: from nervous error-checkers to enthusiastic editors"			
9:00am	Aisha "Mohamed Montaser" Ahmed, "Preliminary Results of the Study of Pottery Finds Recovered from the Osis-Ptah-Neb-Ankh Chapel at Kamak"	Margaret Geoga, "Interrupted Readings: Assessing Immersion and Disruption in New Kingdom Literary Papyri"; response by A. Motte		Raghd (Didi) El-Behaedi, Kelly-Anne Diamond, "Searching for Evidence of Old Kingdom Memphis"		Jessica Johnson, "Hold the Line: The Iconographic and Spatial Role of Gate Guardian Demons in Deir el-Medina Tombs"			
9:30am	James Hoffmeier, Pearce Paul Creasman, Thomas Davis, "Reisner's Temple 400 at Nuri (Sudan): An Early Kushite Funerary Temple"	Aurore Motte, "Mental and Emotional Experience in Large-Sized Ostraca Writing: A Focus on the Book of Kemyt"; response by N. Allon		Mohga Ramadan Abd El-Kawy, "The Old Kingdom Pottery Workshop at Kom Ombo"		Heather Lee McCarthy, "The Use of BD 161 as Tomb Decoration in the 19th and 26th Dynasties"			
10:00am	Jason Paul Silvestri, Jessica Nitschke, Carol Redmunt, "2024 Field Season Report from el-Hibeh (North High Plateau area)"	Hana Navratilova, "Writing (and Reading) on the Wall: Experience and Engagement in Textual Graffiti"; response by M. Geoga		Julia Puglisi, "Meanwhile at Giza... The Central Field Cemetery in the Fifth and Sixth Dynasties"		Rune Nyord, "Through the Doors of the Duat: Image Practices in Book of the Dead chapter 144"			
10:30-10:45					Coffee Break, sponsored by Keshanar				
<b>Field Reports</b>		<b>Archives and Record-keeping</b>		<b>Art History and Religion</b>		<b>Kerma, Nubia, Meroe</b>			
10:45am	Cedric Gobeil, "A mummies like a puzzle. Latest news from the archaeological mission of Coptos (Qut)".	Victoria Almansa-Villatoro, "A new Old Kingdom papyrus archive from Etephnate at the Brooklyn Museum"		Rita Lucarelli, "The guardian statues of the tomb of Montuemhat (TT 34)"		Elizabeth Minor, Carl Walsh, "Classic Kerma Polychrome Painted Pottery: Reassessing Evidence for Basketry and Beaded Artisanship"			
11:15am	Mohsen Kamel, Piers Litherland, "The tombs of Thutmose II and other recent discoveries in the Western Wadis"	Fatma Fahmy, "Pedagogy off the desk: Using digital archives and tools in humanities classrooms"		Brendan Hainline, "Divine Iconography on Early Seals and Sealings"		Stuart Tyson Smith, "All the Foreign lands under his sandals": Ideology and the realities of Egyptian Nubian relations."			
11:45am	Kate Liszka "Ptolemaic Ostraca and a Middle Kingdom Mining Temple: Recent Excavations at Site 4, Wadi el-Hudi"	JJ Shirley and Hazem Helmy, "New Methods in Publication and Analysis: TT110 goes interactive with Squint365"		Lingzin Zhang, "Seth, intimidator of the womb? Revisiting the spells against miscarriages in P. London 10059"		Tasha Vorderstrasse, "The Pyramid Tomb of Amanikhatashan of Meroe: Inscriptions and Material Culture"			
12:15-1:45pm					Lunch Break				
12:30-1:30					Teaching Workshop: Translating the Book of the Dead in the 21st Century, led by Dr. Rita Lucarelli (Colonial, Mezzanine) note, lunch is not included				
<b>Field Reports</b>		<b>Mortuary Culture</b>		<b>Art Historical Approaches</b>		<b>History</b>			
1:45	Kerry Mullenstein, "Rethinking and Re-excavating Sella Pyramid Steps and Ritual Holes, and a New Kind of Tomb"	Sara Aly, "A new provenance criterion for third intermediate period northern coffins"		Morgan Moroney, "Do You See What I See?: A Reexamination of Brooklyn 49.53"		Kaitlyn Niesen, "A Statistical Approach to Gender, Geography, and Time in Old Kingdom Daily Life Scenes"			
2:15	Nozomu Kawai, "Excavating the Eastern Escarpment at North Saqqara in the 2024 Season"	Caroline Arbuckle MacLeod, "Coffin Construction and Communities of Practice from the Old to Middle Kingdom"		Marie-Lys Arnette, "The tombs of the scribe Ramose at Deir el-Medina (TT7 and TT212)"		Ella McCaffery Wright, "Cartouches: A Re-Examination"			
2:45	Nadine Moeller, 20 years of fieldwork at Tell Edfu: Priorities and publications"	Beatrice De Faveri, "Pakhet of Speos Artemidos: a re-examination of her role in magical and funerary texts"		Magdalena Laptas, "The Virgin Mary as Mater Apostolorum and Mater Ecclesiae in Art of Egypt and Nubia"		Jacquelyn Williamson, "Gender and Power in the Instructions of Ptahhotep"			
3:15-3:30					Break (no coffee)				
<b>Achieving Educational Outcomes [member organized session] Chair = Jennifer Thum</b>		<b>History</b>		<b>Art History and Religion</b>		<b>Textual Analysis</b>			
3:30	Leah Neiman, "Community-Engaged Learning: Connecting with each other and the past"	Kara Cooney, "Funerary Recycling and Reuse by Non-Elites and Marginalized Communities in Late Bronze Age Thebes"		Yekaterina Barbash, "The Gilded Book of the Dead of Ankhmnevis and its ghost Osirises"		Ehab Mohamed Abdelzaker, "A new look at the history of the Samanoud Temple; New unpublished discoveries and recent interpretations."			
4:00	Robyn Price, "From Smellwalks to Storytelling: Unlocking the ancient world through sensory learning"	Laura Harris, "The Fattening Method for Sacrificial Cattle in the New Kingdom"		Emma Bentley, Sarah Anne Cox "Hold This and Repeat After Me: Rituals and roles of Egyptian and Levantine childbirth deities"		Luigi Prada, "When Philology Meets Egyptomania: The Craze for Neohieroglyphic Inscriptions in 19th Century Europe"			
4:30	Christine Leigh Johnston, "Teaching the Ancient World with Reproductions: 3D Printed Objects and Authentic Active Learning"	Moamen Saad Mohamed Mahmoud, "The Mw Wab and its Deities in Gebel El-Silsila: A New Interpretation of Nile Shrines and Sacred Water"		Emily Whitehead, "Approaching a Middle Kingdom Coffin from an Art Historical Perspective: How Can and Why Should We?"		Fiona Burdette, "Language of Mathematics: New insights into Interpersonal Author-Recipient Relationships in the Rhind Papyrus"			
5:00	Roselyn Campbell, "The Men are Often Ugly but the Women are Always Pretty: Player Perceptions of Gender in Assassin's Creed"	Amalee Bowen, "The Beautiful Sisters: Nefenupthah and Sobekneferu and a Woman's Path to Taking Egypt's Throne"		Amgad Haasabala, Elisabeth Sawyerhal, Luciana Da Costa Carvalho, "Above & Beyond: Naqada's Inscribed Door Lintels"		Richard Jasnow, "The Demotic Tale of Nanferkasokar and the "Great One of Babylon""			
6:30-8:30pm					Members and Awards Dinner (Grand Ballroom)				
8:30pm					Student Pub Night, Golden Gate Tap Room (5 mile from hotel)				

Sunday April 27, 2025				
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8am-3pm Meeting Check-in, Information Desk and Registration (Mezzanine) 8am-2pm: Exhibit/Vendors Open 8am-2pm: Poster Exhibit Open (corridors outside California East and West, 2nd floor)				
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	<b>Liminal Frontiers in Body Modification: Current Research on Body Modification in Egypt and its Neighbors</b> [member organized session] Chairs = Anne Austin and Jenn Todaro	<b>Comparative, Collaborative, and Continual: Present and Emerging Egyptologies</b> [member organized session] Chair = Erin Peters	<b>What's Up With That?: Museum Objects that Defy Interpretation</b> [member organized session] Chairs = A.Arico, L. S. Haney, L. Jiménez, J. Thum	<b>Beyond Egypt</b>
9	(off-block schedule) Chairs Anne Austin and Jenn Todaro with: Colleen Cramer, Maryam Ragheb, Mohga Abd El-Kawy, Brenda Baker and Katelyn L. Bothmer. For full schedule see member-organized session schedules.	(off-block schedule) Chair Erin Peters with: Christian Langer, Thais Rocha da Silva, Tara Prakash; Rune Nyord, responding. For full schedule see member-organized session schedules.	(off-block schedule) Chair Ashley Arico with: Lisa Saladino Haney, Lissette Jiménez, Jen Thum, Lissette M. Jiménez, Jessica Tomkins, Kea Johnston, Leah Packard Grams. For full schedule see member-organized session schedules.	Hong Yu Chen, "Divine Contendings and the Imperial Narrative on the Statue of Udjahoresnet (Vatican 22690)"
930				Brooke Norton, "New Kingdom Egyptian-Canaanite Cults in the Sinai and Levant"
10				Federico Zangani, "How Global Connectivity Made Pharaonic Egypt: A "Glocal", Longue Durée, Comparative Approach."
1030-10:45	<b>Coffee Break, sponsored by Keshanar</b>			
	<b>Desert Archaeology and Epigraphy: New Approaches and Perspectives</b> [member organized session] Chairs = Vincent Morel and Darcy Hackley	<b>Art History and Archaeology</b>	<b>Abydos</b>	<b>Archaeology</b>
10:45	(off-block schedule) Darcy Hackley and Vincent Morel, chairs, with: Bryan Kraemer and Aniel Singer, Colin Fauré, Nikolaos Lazaridis, Sherouk Shehadea, Michael R. Tritsch, Amy Wilson. For full schedule see member-organized session schedules.	Nicholas Warner, "Conservation of the Shrine of Ikhwat Yusuf in Cairo: the 2024 season"	Josef Wegner, "Recent Investigation of Landscape and 12th Dynasty Construction at the Anubis-Mountain Royal Necropolis, Abydos."	Antonio Javier Morales, "Under the crocodile's gaze: archaeology, conservation, and documentation in the tomb of Djan (TT 366)"
11:15		Paul Dambowic, "A Second Lineage in the History of Portraiture"	Lauret Bestock and Kathryn Howley "The "Western Mastaba" and the Abydos Archive".	Quinn Stickley, "New Kingdom Anthropoid Busts and the Iconography of Emergence"
11:45		Jonathan Russell, "Therapeutic Recipes as Informants on Egyptian Technologies: Brewing"	Yaser Mahmoud Hussein Abouzid, "Connecting the Dots: The Interconnectedness of Abydos' Naqada III Sites"	Nicholas Brown, "The Deir el-Ballas Expedition: Season 2025 Updates"
12:15		Adela Oppenheim, "Who Were the Officials Buried Around the Pyramid Complex of Senwosret III, Dahshur?"	Briana Jackson, "New Talatat from the Portal Temple of Ramesses II at Abydos"	Sara Orel, "Close but not the same: two settlements at the Gebel el-Haridi from the first millennium CE"
12:45 - 1:15	<b>Break</b>			
	<b>Sites of Meaning</b>	<b>Post-Pharaonic Egypt</b>	<b>New Methods and Approaches</b>	<b>n/a</b>
1:15-1:45	Natasha Ayers, May Ownby, "Imported Pottery at Tell Edfu: Filling the Gap in Our Pre-Amarna Knowledge"	Katherine Davis, "Scholar, Hermit, or Fraud?: Edwin Smith and Amateur American Egyptology in the mid to late 1800s"	Luiza Osorio G. Silva, "Stature dichotomies?: zooming into an Old Kingdom "freestanding" statue in its social context"	
1:45-2:15	Hassan Hesham Maher Elzawy, "Buhen Old Kingdom: A Reassessment of the Settlement and its Material Culture"	Anna Dow, "The Seven Antiquities of Napoleon, the Empress Josephine, and Senwosret-Sonbefni"	Giulia Tonon, "Examining Language Trends Through High-Register Sources: A Study of PPD"	
2:15-2:45	Emily Grace Smith-Sangster, "Localizing Identity: Exploring Post-Mortem Identity at the Ahmose Cemetery"	Lorenzo Guardiani, "Egyptian Statuary from UNIMI Bothmer Archives: preparing a new issue of the Catalogue Général"	Luna Zagorac, Sarah Symons, "On the Observational Method Behind Ramesside Star Clocks: Contextualizing Relevant Factors"	



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Leah Nieman, "Community-Engaged Learning: Connecting with each other and the past," 15 minutes	8:30-8:45 Nw Allison, "Ink Flowing in Matqaza: Analyzing Writing Practices on Jar Labels"	8:30-8:45 Anne Austin and Jenn Todaro: Introductory Remarks (8:00-8:10)	9-9:10am Erin Peters "Introduction" 5 minutes.	9-9:05am Ashley Arico, Lisa Saladino Haney, Lisette Jimenez, Jen Thum, "Introduction" 5 minutes	9-9:05am D. Hackley and V. Morel, "Introduction"
Response, 10 minutes	8:45-8:55 Response by H. Navrotkova, 10 minutes	8:45-8:55 Colin Clément: Marks of Power: A Reanalysis of the Libyan Neith Tattoos (8:10-8:20)	9:10-9:20 Christina Langer, "Comparing Ancient Egypt and China: An Assessment of a Nascent Sub-Field," 20 minutes.	9:05-9:25 Lisette M. Jimenez, "Shaker or Fakel? Investigating an Assemblage of Lidded Ceramic Jars from Egypt," 5 minutes presentation + 5 minutes discussion	9:05-9:15 Bryan Kramer and Ariel Singer, "Recording on the Run: A Review of Wadi el-Hudi Epigraphic Work in the Eastern Desert"
Robyn Price, "From Smetwalks to Storytelling: Unlocking the ancient world through sensory learning," 15 minutes	8:55-9:10 Margaret Geaga, "Interrupted Readings: Assessing Immersion and Disruption in New Kingdom Literary Papyri"	9-9:15 Maryam Raghieb: The Materiality of Piercing: Shared Adornment Practices in the Predynastic Nile Valley (8:20-8:30)	9:20-9:30 Thais Rocha da Silva, "Ancient Egypt and Egyptologies in the Global South: A Perspective from Latin America," 20 minutes.	9:25-9:45 Lisa Saladino Haney, "Tut or Tourist? Examining a Glass Beaded Necklace Allegedly from Tutankhamun's Tomb," 5 minutes presentation + 5 minutes discussion	9:15-9:25 Colin Faure, "Showing the Flag in the Desert: The Appropriation of the Eastern Deserts by the Administration of the King's Son of Kush Through Inscriptions and Graffiti"
Response, 10 minutes	9:10-9:20 Response by A. Motte 10 minutes	9:15-9:25 Mohga Ramadan Eliatomy: Scarification Practices in Ancient Egypt and Nubia (8:30-8:40)	9:30-9:40 Tara Prakash, "Collaborating with Aids (and Keeping the Baby When Throwing Out Bathwater)," 20 minutes.	9:45-10:05 Jessica Tomkins, "A Humanooid Scarab Amulet," 5 minutes presentation + 5 minutes discussion	9:25-9:35 Wakaso Loaido, "Rock Experiments: Graffiti from North Kharga Oasis Rock Sites Toy with Monumentality"
Christine Leigh Jonston, "Teaching the Ancient World with Reproductions: 3D Printed Objects and Authentic Active Learning," 15 minutes	9:20-9:35 Aurore Motte, "Mental and Emotional Experiences in Large-Scale Outsize Writing: A Focus on the Book of Kemyr"	9:30-9:45 Brenda Baker and Katelyn L. Bolthofer: Dental Avulsion in Ancient Sudan (8:40-8:50)	9:40-9:50 Erin Peters, "Audience Discussion" 10 mins	10:05-10:15 Jen Thum, "A Curious Pair of Jackals at the Harvard Art Museums," 5 minutes presentation + 5 minutes discussion	9:35-9:45 Sherouk Shehata, "A Palaeographical Study of Egyptian Inscriptions in Sebti et Khadim During the Middle and New Kingdom"
Response, 10 minutes	9:35-9:45 Response by N. Allison, 10 minutes	9:45-9:55 Anne Austin, Brenda Baker, and Tatjana Mae Jovanovic: Systemic Investigation of Tattooping in Ancient Nubia (8:50-1:00)	9:50-10am Rune Nyord, "Response," 10 minutes.	10:15-10:25 Kee Johnston, "Small Coffins of Questionable Origin," 5 minutes presentation + 5 minutes discussion	9:45-9:55 Michael R. Fitzsch, "Between Two Times: A Reevaluation of Stela WO 29 from Wadi Gassasi with New Insight into its Significance"
Roselyn Campbell, "The Men are Often Ugly but the Women are Always Pretty": Player Perceptions of Gender in Assassin's Creed," 15 minutes	9:45-10 Hana Navrotkova, "Writing (and Reading) on the Wall: Experience and Engagement in Textual Graffiti"	10-10:15 Jenn Todaro: "Legible Saint, Illegible Sign: Reading Meaning in a Late Antique Tattoo" (1:00-1:10)	10:10-10 Erin Peters, "Closing Remarks," 3 minutes.	10:25-10:28 Lesh Packard Grams, "To Kill a Crocodile," 5 minutes presentation + 5 minutes discussion	9:55-10:05 Amy Wilson, "Epigraphic Discoveries in the Eastern Desert: Stelae from Wadi el-Hudi and Dibnet South"
Response, 10 minutes	10:10-10 Response by M. Geaga, 10 minutes	10:15-10:25 8. Group Discussion (1:10-1:30)	10:10-10:30 [blank]	10:05-10:15 Ashley Arico, "Modeling Hathor: A Peculiar Piece at the Art Institute of Chicago," 5 minutes presentation + 5 minutes discussion General Discussion - 15 minutes	10:05-10:15 D. Hackley and V. Morel, "Discussion"
					10:35-10:36

<b>Poster Presenter</b>	<b>Poster Title</b>
Elissa Day	BSPo Competition: "Re-evaluating Assassin's Creed Origins and its Discovery Tour as a Post-Pandemic Teaching Tool"
Branson Anderson	BSPo Competition: "A Part of the Family: Funerary Preparations for Children and Adolescents in Roman Egypt"
Susan Hardy	The Reception of Isis: A comparative analysis of the cult centers of Philae, Dion, and Pompeii
So Miyagawa	Later Egyptian Morphosyntax: Evolution of Compound Verbs from Late Egyptian to Coptic