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9:00 - 9:30	Maria Guagnin The Neolithic of northern Arabia: Local adaptation and long-distance exchange of ideas	Elisabeth Katzy The terracotta figurins at Tell Halaf in the Hellenistic period. Between continuity and change	Somayeh Asadi Tashvigh and Rahmat Abbasnejad Seresti Archaeology of Childhood. A Review of Jar Burials of Children at The Center of Iranian Plateau during Sialk IV 2 period (3200-2900 BC)	Kiersten Neumann A Sense of Time in Place: Temple Construction and Renovation in Assyria	Anna Lanaro Kınık Höyük: New Information from Southern Cappadocia	Alessandra Cellerino and Enrico Foietta The sanctuary and cemetery at Kal-e Chendar, Shami, in Khuzestan (Iran)	Elizabeth Stone Excavating Ur	Katia Cytryn-Silverman The First Mosque of Tiberias: Religious Architecture After the Conquest
9:30 - 10:00	Sara Pizzimenti Sumer in Arabia. Tracing the Jemdet Nasr Presence in the Arabia Peninsula and the Red Sea through Pottery and Cylinder Seals	Amir Golani Beyond Ornamentation: Contextualizing Research of Personal Adornment in the Ancient Near East	Megumi Tashiro An Experimental Trial to Reconstruct of Burial Custom from Hasankeyf Höyük	Julia Linke A royal shaping of space – The building activities of the Urartian Kings	Pavol Hnila Rainer Maria Czichon, Jörg Klinger and Dirk Paul Mielke Excavations in the Hittite city of Nerik (Oymaagac Höyük/Turkey)	Marjan Mollabeyrami et al. A Study and Analysis of Animal Bones of Iron Age III and Achaemenid Periods in Qareh Tepe of Segezabad	Emily Hammer The City and Landscape of Ur: An Aerial, Satellite, and Ground Reassessment	Beatrice St. Laurent Who Built the Dome of the Rock: A Re-evaluation
10:00 - 10:30	Kimberly D. Williams Umm an-Nar Burial Rituals at Dahwa, Northern Oman	Liat Naeh The Snake “Lieth at the Door”: A Long-lasting Levantine Tradition of Placing Sculpted Snakes near Openings	Sarvenaz Parsa The Significance of the natural environment in Zoroastrianism and its reflection in Sasanian sacred architecture	Holly Winter South Levantine ‘Courtyard’ Palaces: Questions of Form and Function	T.E. Şerifoğlu et al. Rough Times: The Lower Göksu Archaeological Salvage Survey	Yaghoub Mohamadifar A new attitude to rock arts of Hamadan province, western Iran, regarding archaeological researches	Adelheid Otto The LMU Munich excavations 2017 at the South Mound of Ur	Robert Smith The Abila Icon Fragment and the Creation of Hierotopy in a Byzantine/Umayyad Pilgrimage Complex
10:30 - 11:00	Lloyd Weeks et al. Saruq al-Hadid: A Persistent	Ayşe Gül Symbol of the sun	José Luis Blesa Cuenca Kulträume der arischen Völker aus	Federico Buccellati Energetic Cost Calculator for Ancient	Haluk Sağlamtimur and Metin Batihan The Materialization	Mousa Sabzi, Roya Tajbakhsh and Hossein Rezaei azandaryani	Anne Löhnert School tablets from Ur	Ignacio Arce The Preliminary phasing of the

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14:00 - 14:30	Celia Bergoffen Late Cypriot Bichrome Ware as an Expression of Commercial Mobility	Rita Dolce The many-faceted power of visual communication and its reception	Fabian Heil The Role(s) of Ritual Practice in Bronze Age Cyprus	Lisa Cooper Assyrian Period Domestic Occupation at Bestansur: Results of the 2017 Spring Excavations	Yutaka Miyake Excavations at Hasankeyf Höyük, an Early Neolithic site in southeast Anatolia	Elham Moradi et al. The Role of Metal Crafts in Sociocultural Systems of Gohar Tepe	Nicolò Marchetti, Basim Jabbar and Federico Zaina QADIS. Preliminary report on the 2016 and 2017 Iraqi-Italian survey seasons in the south-eastern region of Qadisiyah (Iraq)	Aila Santi Reinterpreting the <i>miṣr</i> : New Insights for a Revised Chronological Attribution of the Mosque- <i>dār al-imāra</i> Complex in Kūfa
14:30 - 15:00	Melissa A. Kennedy and Kamal Badreshany Mobility, 'Caliciform' Ware and the Changing Cultural Landscapes of the Levantine Late 3rd Mill. BC	Helene Maloigne Beard or no beard: racializing Sumerians and Semites	Giuseppe Minunno Two depositions of equid remains at Tell Afis	Clelia Mora Cappadocia, a "Hidden" Landscape: "Underground World" and Neo-Hittite Evidence	Deniz Yasin-Meir Urban Archaeology in Cilicia, Tepebağ Höyük/Adana Excavation. A General Overview From The 2th To The 1st Millennium BC.	Bijan Bajoorvand Pottery changes during the period from Susa I to Susa II based on studies from potteries discovered in the terminal susa A phase in Tapeh Sangar, Khuzestan	Berthold Einwag The survey at Tell Fāra / Šuruppak	Bahram Ajorloo Archaeological Expedition to the Arch of Alishāh in Tabriz 2017: An Approach to a Revision of Previous Investigations
15:00 - 15:30	David Ben-Shlomo Cooking Pots in Iron Age II Judah: Confined or Mobile Distribution	Evelyn Kutzer The Socio-Cultural Value and Function of Music. On musical instruments and their performances in Mesopotamia of the 3rd m. BCE from an archaeological, iconographical and philological perspective	Madeleine Mumcuoglu and Yosef Garfinkel Eternal Cultic Symbol: The Recessed Opening	Anahita Mittertrainer Sasanian cities – images of political power	Lynn Welton Continuity and Innovation During The Iron I at Tell Tayinat: Local Traditions, Sea Peoples and the Land of Palistin in Broader Perspective	Mohammad Amin Mirghaderi et al. Settlements And Population Fluctuations During The Prehistoric In The Bavanat River Basin Based on archaeological Survey	Abbas al-Hussainy Preliminary results of the 2016-2017 Mi-Enlil-Arakhtum Survey	Amin Moradi Correlations Between Northwest Iran and Ilkhanid Architecture in Introducing Ottoman Mosque Archetypes Between 14th and 15th Centuries
15:30 - 16:00	Wolfgang Zwickel Roads around the	Cory Crawford Dimensions of Iconicity in Iron	Susanne Kerner Cult and Ritual in Murayghat (central	Simon Halama Interpreting Alalakh's Late	Charlotte Diffey, Amy Bogaard and Mike Charles		Philippe Quenet Old and New: The Urukian	Rami Alafandi and Asiah Abdul Rahim

	Sea of Galilee from the Neolithic to the Persian period	Age Syro-Anatolian Imagetexts	Jordan)	Bronze Age Palaces. Some suggestions on intended function and meaning	'Farming the City': Agriculture and storage in the Late Bronze Age		Occupation at Eridu	The Aleppine Houses, Its Designs and Decorated Interiors during the Ottoman Era
16:00 - 16:30	Coffee	Coffee	Coffee	Coffee	Coffee	Coffee	Coffee	Coffee
16:30 - 17:00	Nada Elias Colonia Julia Augusta Felix Berytus and Botrys suburban funerary spaces: Funerary practices, non-metric anatomical traits and mobility	Cheikhmous Ali Reed Constructions in Mesopotamian Glyptic: State of the Question	Willis Monroe Investigating Historical Religious Groups with Digital Methods: The Database of Religious History	Hardy Maaß The emergence of a professional group in the Early Iron Age: engineering seismologists	Tatsundo Koizumi, Hitoshi Ojima and Ayami Yoshida An Experimental Analysis of Ubaid and Late Chalcolithic Pottery. Reproduction of clay and pigments	Hamid Zairi Archaeological Survey of Kharg Island (North of the Persian Gulf, Iran)		Simone Struth An interdisciplinary method for a new reading of the Abbasid stucco panels from Samarra
17:00 - 17:30	Hannah Parow-Souchon Mobility and land-use in the Upper Palaeolithic of the Levant	Harriet Martin Correlating Abu Salabikh Tablets, Pottery and Glyptic	Öznur Özmen Eye Idol As A Ritual Object	Mehmet Ali Yılmaz New Data about Bronze Age Settlement of Erzincan/Altuntepe	Sevinç Günel A Center of Intercultural Relations in Western Anatolia: Çine-Tepecik	Maria Pia Maiorano and Francesco Gench The Late Neolithic encampment of HD-2 - RaMs al-Hadd, Sultanate of Oman (fourth-third millennium BCE)		Ana Marija Grbanovic Beyond the Stylistic Idiosyncrasies: Identity and Mobility of Ilkhanid Stucco Craftsmen in the Isfahan region c.1300
17:30 - 18:00	Sumio Fujii Built-in Pierhouse at the Rock shelter Settlement of Jabal Juhayra. New Insight into the PPNB Pastoral Transhumance in Southern Jordan	Elisa Roßberger and Anna Kurmangaliev Digitizing Ancient Near Eastern Seals and Sealings		Najmeh Hassas The Living space in nomadically architecture	Silvia Alaura and Susanne Heinhold-Krahmer Die „Tagebuchblätter“ von E.O. Forrers Türkeireise (1926) – Überarbeitung für ihre Edition	Agnieszka Pieńkowska Iron Age settlement in the region of Qumayrah (Oman)		Amir Hossein Karimiy The Phenomenon of Pseudo-Stucco: Carved clay decorations in the historic city of Meybod, Iran
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