



One day Annual Egyptological Colloquium 2008
Monday 28 July

'EGYPT AT ITS ORIGINS'
PREDYNASTIC AND EARLY DYNASTIC EGYPT: RECENT DISCOVERIES

Provisional programme, 10.00–17.00

'Lascaux along the Nile': Late Pleistocene rock art in Egypt
Dirk Huyge, Royal Museums of Art and History, Brussels, Belgium

Upper Nubia before the emergence of Kerma: a fortified settlement from the beginning of the third millennium BC
Matthieu Honnegger, Laténium, Hauterive, Switzerland

Origins of monumental architecture: recent investigations at Hierakonpolis HK6
Renée Friedman, British Museum, London, UK

Origins of monumental architecture: recent excavations at Hierakonpolis HK29B and HK25
Thomas Hikade, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada

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Monuments of Egypt's early kings at Abydos
Matthew D Adams & David O'Connor, Institute of Fine Arts, New York University, USA

Released from the sand: new insights into the royal necropolis at Abydos/Umm el-Qa'ab
Vera Müller, Austrian Academy of Sciences, Vienna, Austria

LUNCH 13.00–14.30

A desert crossroads: the Rayayna Culture
Deborah Darnell, Yale University, USA

Memphis at the dawn of history: recent excavations in the Early Dynastic necropolis at Helwan
E Christiana Köhler, Macquarie University, Sydney, Australia

BREAK

A tale of two funerary traditions: the Predynastic cemetery at Kom el-Khilgan (East Delta)
Béatrix Midant-Reynes, CNRS, Toulouse, France

Recent investigations at Tell el-Fara'in/Buto in the western Nile Delta
Ulrich Hartung, German Archaeological Institute, Cairo, Egypt

The Raymond and Beverly Sackler Distinguished Lecture in Egyptology

Ivory and gold in the Delta: excavations at Tell el-Farkha

18.00

Krzysztof Ciałowicz, Institute of Archaeology, Jagiellonian University, Kraków, Poland

Followed by a reception in the Egyptian Sculpture Gallery

The Department of Ancient Egypt and Sudan's annual colloquium will be held in conjunction with the Third International Colloquium on Predynastic and Early Dynastic Egypt at the British Museum from 27 July to 1 August 2008. For further details, visit www.origins3.org.uk