



AcrossBorders Conference 2017

"From Microcosm to Macrocosm: Individual households and cities in Ancient Egypt and Nubia"

September 01–03, 2017

Program

Friday, September 01

All sessions will take place in the lecture hall of the Egyptian Museum, Gabelsbergerstrasse 35, 80333 Munich.

09:00am–9:30am	Opening of the conference
9:30am–10:15am	Nadine Moeller <i>The development of two early urban centers in Upper Egypt during the 3rd millennium BCE – The towns of Edfu and Dendara</i>
10:15am–11:00pm	Elena Garcea <i>The roots of individual household from the Khartoum Variant to the Pre-Kerma period on Sai Island</i>
11:00am–11:15am	Coffee break
11:15pm–12:00pm	Ian Shaw and Elizabeth Bloxam <i>Settlement and logistics at quarrying and mining sites in the Eastern Desert</i>
12:00pm–12:45pm	Dietrich Klemm and Rosemarie Klemm <i>Ancient gold mining and enigmatic settlements in the Nubian Desert</i>
12:45pm–1:30pm	Charles Bonnet <i>Kerma and Dukki Gel: evidences of impressive changes in the urban architecture at the beginning of the New Kingdom in Nubia</i>
1:30pm–2:30pm	Lunch break
2:30pm–3:15pm	Manfred Bietak <i>Settlements of mixed societies: Tell el-Daba as a case study</i>

3:15pm–4:00pm	Miriam Müller <i>From the Delta to the Second Cataract: Households in Egypt's borderlands in the late Middle Kingdom</i>
4:00pm–4:45pm	Cornelius von Pilgrim <i>Beyond houses and temples: A building in the town of the late 17th and early 18th Dynasty at Elephantine</i>
4:45pm–5:00pm	Coffee break
5:00pm–5:45pm	Anna Stevens <i>City, cemetery and community at Amarna</i>
5:45pm–6:30pm	Peter Lacovara <i>Everyman's Home a Castle: The design of the Tell el-Amarna villa</i>
6:30pm	Wrap-up of Day 1

Saturday, September 02

9:30am–10:30am	Julia Budka <i>AcrossBorders: Five seasons of work in the Pharaonic town, Sai Island</i>
10:30am–11:15am	Ingrid Adenstedt <i>The fortifications of the Pharaonic town on Sai Island – a reinvestigation</i>
11:15am–11:30am	Coffee break
11:30am–12:15pm	Sayantani Neogi <i>Geoarchaeological investigations at the hinterland of the New Kingdom town at Sai Island, Sudan</i>
12:15pm–1:00pm	Sean Taylor <i>Micromorphology of the archaeological deposits at the New Kingdom town at Sai Island, Sudan</i>
1:00pm–2:00pm	Lunch break
2:00pm–2:45pm	Julia Budka <i>Pots & people – ceramics from Elephantine and Sai Island</i>
2:45pm–3:30pm	Giulia D'Ercole and Johannes Sterba <i>From macro wares to micro fabrics and INAA compositional groups: the pottery corpus of the New Kingdom town on Sai Island</i>
3:30pm–4:15pm	Meg Gundlach <i>Possessions, priorities, and production: The material culture of an Egyptian outpost</i>
4:15pm–4:45pm	Coffee break
4:45pm–5:30pm	Manuela Lehmann <i>Amara West: from finds to people</i>

5:30pm–6:15pm Valentina Gasperini
Amara West: a pottery overview

6:15pm Wrap-up of Day 2

Sunday, September 03

9:00am–10:00am Bruce Williams
Egyptians and Nubians in the early New Kingdom and the Kushite background

10:00am–10:30am Stuart Tyson Smith
The fortified settlement at Tombos and Egyptian colonial strategy in New Kingdom Nubia

10:30am–11:15am Michele Buzon
Exploring life and death in the Egyptian colonial cemetery at Tombos: skeletal evidence of health, disease, and daily life

11:15am–11:45am Coffee break

11:45am–12:30pm Julia Budka
Tomb 26 in cemetery SAC5 on Sai Island

12:30am–1:15pm Andrea Stadlmayr and Marlies Wohlschlager
Inside Tomb 26 – Anthropological findings in a New Kingdom tomb from Sai Island

1:15pm–2:15pm Lunch break

2:15pm–3:00pm Kate Spence
House, household, community and settlement at Sesebi

3:00pm–3:45pm Neal Spencer
Beyond imperial power and town planning: an experiential perspective from Amara West

3:45pm–4:15pm Coffee break

4:15pm–5:00pm Jördis Vieth
Urbanism in Nubia and the New Kingdom temple towns

5:00pm–5:45pm Johannes Auenmüller
New Kingdom cities in Upper Nubia – Sai, Soleb and Amara West in prosopographical perspective

5:45pm Final discussion and closing of the conference