

## Thursday, 26 May 2022

08:30 **Opening at the St. Paul the Apostle University in Ohrid**

08:40 **Mario Gavranović, Daniela Heilmann  
Marek Verčík** (Vienna/Munich/Prague)  
Introduction to the Conference

**Session 1: Hunting for Prestige – mobility, raw material and insignia** Chair: Prof. Dr. Barbara Horejs

09:00 **Maja Gori** (Rome)  
Mobility Makes Power

09:20 **Filip Franković** (Heidelberg)  
A King without Castle: New Perspectives on the Middle Bronze Age Lovas Hoard in the Context of Recent Discoveries

09:40 **Marija Ljuština** (Belgrade)  
Precious Resin for Rising Elites?  
Amber in the Bronze Age Funerary Contexts in Western Serbia

10:00 **Laura Burkhardt** (Halle/Saale)  
Socio-economic Mechanisms in the Context of the Ada Tepe Goldmine (LBA)

10:20 **Maleen Leppek, Philipp W. Stockhammer,  
Bogdan Athanassov** (Munich/Sofia)  
The Late Bronze Age Settlement of Bresto in Southwestern Bulgaria

10:40 Coffee Break

11:00 **Stefan Alexandrov, Georgi Ivanov, Tania Hristova** (Sofia)  
The Baley Necropolis Latest Funerals – Population Changes, Social Differentiation or an Evidence for the Rise of Elites?

11:20 **Peter Minkov, Zheni Vasileva** (Sofia)  
Judging by the Appearance.  
Representation of Jewellery and Clothing on 3rd Millennium BCE Anthropomorphic Figurines. Symbol of Identity, Status or Prestige?

11:40 **Jovan Mitrović, Mario Gavranović, Mathias Mehofer** (Belgrade/Vienna)  
Inside the Production of Bronze Age Insignia – the Bracelets/Anklets of type Juhor from Central Balkans

12:00 **Aleksandar Kapuran, Aca Djordjević** (Belgrade)  
Konopište Necropolis – 30 years after

12:20 **Philip Mihaylov** (Pernik)  
Power Mechanisms Employed by Aristocrats and Peasants during the EIA – according to the Dren-Delyan and Vrabcha Necropolises

12:40 **Katarina Dmitrović** (Čačak)  
The Novelties that Bring Huge Changes: Quondam and Present Atenica

13:00 Final Discussion of Session 1

13:15 Lunch Break

**Session 2: Women in Power?**

Chair: Prof. Dr. Carola Metzner-Nebelsick

15:00 **Damir Kliškić** (Split)  
A Contribution to the Knowledge of the End of the Bronze Age in the Area of Central Dalmatia: The Tomb of a Noble Woman from Studenci near Imotski?

15:20 **Daria Ložnjak Dizdar** (Zagreb)  
Prima inter pares: Females in the Early Iron Age in the Middle Danubian Region

15:40 **Hrvoje Potrebica** (Zagreb)  
Women in the Male World – Elite Women of Donja Dolina: The Untold Story

16:00 **Aleksandra Papazovska, Daniela Heilmann** (Skopje/Munich)  
Gendered Networks in the Iron Age?  
The Case of Rich Women's graves in the Vardar Valley

16:20 **Marko Dizdar** (Zagreb)  
Silver Hair Decoration in the Late Hallstatt Period in the Southern Carpathian Basin: Pretty Wealthy Ladies who knew what to Wear

16:40 Final Discussion of Session 2

17:00 Coffee Break

**Session 3: Emergence of warrior elites**

Chair: Prof. Dr. Carola Metzner-Nebelsick

17:30 **Zlatko Videski** (Skopje)  
Absence of Power? The Social Structure of the Late Bronze Age Society

17:50 **Rovena Kurti** (Tirana)  
From Invisible Men of the Early Iron Age to the Warrior Elites of the Late Iron Age in Albania

18:10 **Sabine Pabst** (Marburg)  
Supra-regional Power Structures Reflected in Burial Equipment of the Iron Age Necropolis at Vergina in Central Macedonia

18:30 **Nevenka Atanasoska** (České Budějovice)  
Of Networks and Elites: Evidence from the Central Grave of the Tumulus at "Visoi", Beranci and several others

18:50 Final Discussion of Session 3

## Saturday, 28 May 2022

**Session 4: Representations of Power – a Macedonian Elite?** Chair: Prof. Dr. Hristo Popov

09:00 **Pazko Kuzman** (Ohrid)  
Enheleian Tibal Aristocracy from Lychnis. Archaic Tomb of Warriors from Gorna Porta in Ohrid

09:20 **Anna Panti** (Thessaloniki)  
Early Iron Age Settlements in the Thermaic Gulf and the Chalkidiki peninsula. Tracing their Socio-political identity

09:40 **Vivi Saripanidi** (Brussels)  
The Production and Distribution of Power in Archaic Macedonia: The Funerary Evidence

10:00 **Nikola Stefanovski** (Halle/Saale)  
Representations of Warriorhood in Macedonia during the Archaic Period

10:20 Coffee Break

11:00 **Christos Giamakis** (Sheffield)  
Entangled Concepts: Identity and Power from the Iron Age to Archaic Macedonia

11:20 **Nathalie del Socorro** (Paris)  
Symbolism and Function of "Wealthy Grave Goods" in Ancient Macedonia

- 11:40 **Jessica Clementi** (Italy)  
A Face for Eternity: Funerary Mask as powerful symbol of political, social and religious power
- 12:00 **Dimitria Malamidou, Ioannis Chalazonitis** (Serres/Brussels)  
Graves of the Ancestors: Funerary Ritual and Communal Identities in the Lower Strymon Valley during the Archaic Period
- 12:20 Final Discussion of Session 4
- 12:40 Lunch Break

### Session 5: Landscapes of Power

Chair: Prof. Dr. Peter Pavúk

- 14:00 **Damjan Donev** (Skopje)  
Settlement Hierarchies and Inequality among the Proto-historic Societies in the Vardar Valley
- 14:20 **Marek Verčík, Pero Ardjanliev** (Prague/Skopje)  
Where Lived the Masters of Trebenishte? The Settlement Strategies and the Question of hilltops in the Ohrid region
- 14:40 **Goce Naumov** (Skopje)  
Wetlands in Times of Power: Bronze Age Tells and Piledwellings in Pelagonia and Lake Ohrid
- 15:00 **Tobias Krapf** (Athens)  
Settlement Patterns in Albania at the turn from the Bronze to the Iron Age
- 15:20 **Kriledjan Čipa, Mariglen Meshini, Ulsi Tota** (Vlora)  
New evidence from the late prehistoric tumuli near Himara, southwestern Albania
- 15:40 Coffee Break
- 16:10 **Anja Hellmuth Kramberger, Sebastian Müller, Maja Čuka** (Ljubljana)  
Once again to the Question of a Hierarchical Structured Settlement System in the Developed Early and Middle Bronze Age around Rovinj in Istria, Croatia

- 16:30 **Ognjen Mladenović, Barbara Horejs, Aleksandar Bulatović** (Belgrade/Vienna)  
New Research at the Site of Svinjarička Čuka (Leskovac) and its Contribution to the Bronze and Iron Age of Southeastern Serbia
- 16:50 **Ivan Drnić** – Late Hallstatt Settlement at Sisak (Zagreb)
- 17:10 **Ariane Ballmer, Manuel Fernández-Götz** (Bern/Edinburgh)  
Topographies of Power. Revisiting the Relationship between Hillforts and Elite Graves in the Western Hallstatt Area
- 17:30 Final Discussion of Session 5

**Friday, 27 May 2022**


Field trip  
Walking Tour through Ohrid  
Boat Trip at Lake Ohrid:  
Bay of Bones – Sveti Naum – Vrbnik


Venue  
Keynote: Sv. Sofija Ohrid  
Presentations: St. Paul The Apostle  
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## The Mechanism of Power

Keynote & Opening Ceremony  
**Prof. Dr. Hristo Popov, Sofia**  
Wednesday, 25th May 2022, 18:00  
Sveti Sofija Ohrid

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