



PlantCult

Monday 28th of February 2022

PlantCult: Investigating the Plant Food Cultures of Ancient Europe

Completion of ERC project PlantCult meeting

Host Institution:

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (AUTH)

Partner Institutions:

University of Hohenheim (UHOH), Basel University (UNIBAS), Austrian Academy of Sciences (OEAW)

Host Institution-organisers of meeting

Laboratory for Interdisciplinary Research (LIRA), Dept. of Archaeology, School of History and Archaeology, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece & CIRI-AUTH (Centre for Interdisciplinary Research and Innovation, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki)

ZOOM link: *to be announced close to the date*

Program

Morning session

Chair: Amy Bogaard, Professor, Dept. of Archaeology, University of Oxford

10.00* Opening – Greetings to conference participants

Efstratios Stylianidis, Vice-Rector for Research and Lifelong Learning, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Professor, School of Spatial Planning and Development, Faculty of Engineering

Eleni Manakidou, Professor, President of the School of History and Archaeology, Faculty of Philosophy, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

Melina Paisidou, Assoc. Professor, Head of the Dept. of Archaeology, School of History and Archaeology, Faculty of Philosophy, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

10.15 Christine Hastorf, Professor, Anthropology Department, University of California, Berkeley

PlantCult and the Archaeobotany of Food: some introductory words

10.30 Tania Valamoti

Dept. of Archaeology, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

The ERC PlantCult project: overview of the project implementation

11.00 Tania Valamoti, Chryssa Petridou, Stavroula Michou

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

Plantfoods of prehistoric Greece

11.30 Ivanka Hristova, Elena Marinova, Andreas G. Heiss, Tania Valamoti

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, State Office for Cultural Heritage Baden-Wuerttemberg, Austrian Academy of Sciences

Archaeobotanical study of archaeological food remains from Bulgaria

12.00 Hans-Peter Stika, Marian Berihuete-Azorin, Moritz Hallama, Armin Mechler, Jürgen Stäzler, Tania Valamoti

University of Hohenheim, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

PlantCult Ancient Cereal Food - Gruenkern: unripe spelt against hunger or as gourmet food

12.30 Andreas G. Heiss, Ferran Antolín, Marian Berihuete-Azorín, Lucy Kubiak-Martens, Elena Marinova, Hans-Peter Stika, Tania Valamoti

Austrian Academy of Sciences, University of Basel, University of Hohenheim, Biax Consult, State Office for Cultural Heritage Baden-Wuerttemberg, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

Out of the pot, out of the oven: PlantCult insights into prehistoric bread-like objects from central Europe

13.00-13.30 Hans-Peter Stika, Marian Berihuete-Azorin, Andreas G. Heiss, Ferran Antolín, Elena Marinova, Lucy Kubiak-Martens, Chryssa Petridou, Eva Rosenstock, Soutana Maria Valamoti

University of Hohenheim, Austrian Academy of Sciences, University of Basel, State Office for Cultural Heritage Baden-Wuerttemberg, Biax Consult, University of Bonn, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

PlantCult Ancient Beer - New Methods of Analysis

13.30-16.30 Lunch break

Afternoon session

Chair: Paul Halstead, Department of Archaeology, Sheffield University

16.30 Georgia Kasapidou, Georgia Tsartsidou, Calla McNamee

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Wiener Lab-American School of Classical Studies in Athens

Plant processing through the analysis of micro-botanical remains: data from Bronze Age settlements in northern Greece

17.00 Danai Chondrou, Maria Bofill, Roberto Vargiolu, Hassan Zahouani, Hara Procopiou

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, UMR CNRS 5513-University of Lyon, Paris 1-Sorbonne, UMR CNRS 7041-Nanterre

Exploring the role of grinding stone tool technology in prehistoric Greece through use-wear analysis

17.30 Tasos Bekiaris, Danai Chondrou, Ismini Ninou

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

The study of prehistoric food-processing stone tools from SE Europe in PlantCult Project

18.00 Anastasia Dimoula, Zoë Tsirtsoni

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, UMR CNRS 7041-Nanterre

The contribution of PlantCult project in cooking pottery research

18.30 Edward Standall, Anastasia Dimoula, Carl Heron, Zoë Tsirtsoni, Oliver Craig

The British Museum, University of York, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, UMR CNRS 7041-Nanterre

Exploring Prehistoric Culinary Practices in South East Europe by Organic Residue Analysis

19.00 Maria Ntinou, Clemence Pagnoux

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

The beginnings of arboriculture in Greece: new data from charcoal and morphometric analyses

19.30 Martin Jones

Professor, Department of Archaeology, Cambridge University

Overview of the PlantCult project

Closing comments and farewell

*** Athens time**

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