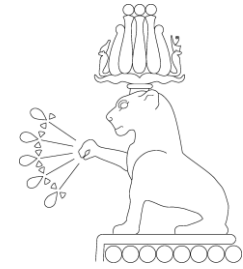


# 12<sup>th</sup> International Conference for Nubian Studies

## Provisional programme



Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> August

2-5pm      Registration      The Clore Centre, The British Museum

All morning sessions - BP lecture Theatre

Parallel sessions

Session 1 - Stevenson Auditorium

Session 2 - Sackler room A

Session 3 - Sackler room B

Session 4 - Claus Moser Room

Session 5 - Studio

## Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> August

BP Lecture Theatre

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9.15am		Official opening
	Director of the BM	Welcome address
	Sudanese ambassador	Welcome address
	Chairman of NCAM	Welcome address
	Society's president	Welcome address– practical info for delegates
9.45am	<b><i>Salah Mohammed Ahmed</i></b>	The Merowe Dam Archaeological Salvage Project - introduction
10am	<b><i>Piotre Osypinski</i></b>	Prehistory of the Fourth Cataract
10.45am	Discussion	
11am	Coffee/tea	
11.30am	<b><i>Matthieu Honegger</i></b>	Recent advances in our understanding of prehistory in northern Sudan
12 noon	Discussion	
12.15	<b><i>Donatella Usai</i></b>	Recent advances in our understanding of prehistory in Central Sudan
12.45pm	Discussion	
1pm	Lunch	

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Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> August

Parallel sessions

PM	Session 1a <b>Prehistory</b>	Session 2a <b>Prehistory</b>	Session 3a <b>Kushite</b>	Session 4a <b>Surveys</b>	Session 5a <b>Pottery</b>
2	<b>M. C. Gatto</b> Recent advances in our understanding of Nubian Prehistory in Lower Nubia Upper Egypt and the Deserts	<b>P. Bobrowski, A. Czekaj-Zastawny &amp; R. Schild</b> The Sacred Mountain - Part of the Neolithic Ceremonial Center in Nabta Playa	<b>D. A. Welsby</b> Recent fieldwork at Kawa	<b>Yousif Elobeid Elsayed Salih</b> GIS in Sudan Archaeological Case Study - Mahas Region	<b>Abdelrahim Mohamed Khabir</b> Typological and Technological examinations of Neolithic pottery from Khartoum Province Sudan
2.25	<b>U. Steffensen</b> Burial rituals and identities among the Lower Nubian populations during the Old and Middle Kingdoms	<b>M. Jórdeczka, M. Masojć, H. Królik &amp; R. Schild</b> The Early Holocene Occupation of the Western Desert. New Data from Nabta Playa	<b>J. R. Anderson &amp; Salah Mohammed Ahmed</b> Recent fieldwork at Dangeil	<b>Mohamed Ahmed Abdelmageed</b> Archaeology of the Ed-Damer Region: New Investigation	<b>P. Ruffieux</b> Early 18 <sup>th</sup> Dynasty pottery recently found in Kerma-Dokki Gel
2.50	<b>H. Delattre</b> The A-Group Necropolis at Aksha	<b>Heba-Tallah A. A. Ibrahim</b> Megalithic architecture and the Nubian Desert	<b>V. Francigny</b> An elite Meroitic cemetery at Sai Island	<b>Khider Adam Eisa</b> The Recent Archaeological Survey and Salvage Excavations. White Nile 8 <sup>th</sup> Season - 2009	<b>L. Mielle</b> New Kingdom ceramics on Sai Pharaonic Town: First Analysis.
3.15	<b>A. Dittrich</b> Prehistory - Neolithic paper	<b>Nada Babekir Mohammed</b> Fangool Archaeological Site	<b>M. Barta, L. Bores &amp; L. Lisa</b> Czech archaeological work at Usli, North Sudan	<b>Yahya Fadl Tahir</b> Archaeology and Paleocology of El Ga'ab basin	<b>U. Nowotnick</b> The "Red Painted Rim" pottery – a widespread Napatan ware
3.40	Tea/coffee				

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> August

PM	Session 1b Prehistory	Session 2b Archaeozoology	Session 3b Surveys	Session 4b	Session 5b Pottery
4.05	<i>Azhari Mustapha Sadiq</i> Child-Burials: a funerary practice in the Middle Nile Region. Evidence from the Late Neolithic site of es-Sour	<i>S. Roma</i> Animals in pastoral thought: burials, customs and beliefs in prehistoric Nubian contexts	<i>Siddig Babiker Ahmed</i> The archaeological and ethnographic reconnaissance at Sabaloka area, Omdurman district		<i>I. Welsby Sjöström</i> The ceramic assemblage from multi-period survey and excavation in the SARS concession in the Fourth Cataract
4.30	<i>E. Garcia</i> Khartoum Variant, Abkan and Pre-Kerma at Sai Island, Sudan	<i>P. Bangsgaard</i> Ritual cows or just another flock of goats? Ritual deposits of fauna at C-Group and Pangrave cemeteries	<i>Mohamed Galal Mahmoud</i> Geostrategy in Ancient Nubia from Prehistory to Islam. A study between site and situation.		<i>R. Thomas</i> Changing Societies in the Fourth Cataract, Nubia: AD 1-700: Identity displayed through ceramic use and consumption practices
4.55	<i>N. Campana, D. Usai, S. Salvatori &amp; Mongeda Khaleb</i> Archaeological Evidence at Al Khiday - new insight on the Prehistory and History of Central Sudan	<i>M. Osypińska</i> Animals in the economy of Christian Makuria	<i>A. Manzo</i> Beyond the Fourth Cataract. Perspectives of Research in Eastern Sudan		<i>E. Klimaszewska-Drabot</i> Pottery from ez-Zuma cemetery
5.20	<i>I. Angelini, G. Artoli, L. Maritan, C. Mazzoli</i> Archeometric characterization of materials from the Al Khiday excavation.	<i>C. Cartwright</i> Bioarchaeological evidence from the Sudan Archaeological Research Society's Amri to Kirbekan Survey: environments, resources and subsistence	<i>Mohamed Ahmed Abdelmageed</i> NVU Explorations in the Addamar region		<i>D. Baginska</i> The Pottery from Banganarti

BP and Stevenson Lecture Theatres (All conference participants should take their seats in the BP Lecture Theatre)

6pm	<b>The Raymond and Beverly Sackler Foundation Distinguished Lecture in Egyptology</b>	Professor Charles Bonnet	The Egyptian town at Dokki Gel
7.15-9pm	<b>Reception</b> in the British Museum		

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> August

BP Lecture Theatre

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9.15am	<b><i>Henryk Paner</i></b>	The Kerma Period in the Fourth Cataract
10am	Discussion	
10.10am	<b><i>Charles Bonnet</i></b>	The heartlands of Kerma
10.40am	Discussion	
10.50am	Coffee/tea	
11.20am	<b><i>Brigitte Gratién</i></b>	Kerma north of the Third Cataract
11.50am	Discussion	
12 noon	<b><i>Dominique Valbelle</i></b>	International relations between Kerma and Egypt
12.30pm	Discussion	
12.45pm	Lunch	

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Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> August

Parallel sessions

PM	Session 1a Kerma period	Session 2a Kushite period	Session 3a Egyptian	Session 4a Kushite period	Session 5a Egyptian
2	<b>G. Herbst &amp; S. T. Smith</b> Pre-Kerma transition at the Nile Fourth Cataract: assessments of multi- component, stratified prehistoric settlement in the UCSB/ASU salvage research concession	<b>M Baud</b> The city centre of Muweis: new results about its layout and history	<b>N. Spencer</b> Amara West: investigating life in occupied Kush	<b>Mahmoud Suliman Bashir</b> Discovery of a Meroitic cemetery at Berber city, Nile Valley State, Sudan	<b>D. Raue</b> Nubian Cultures at the First Cataract
2.25	<b>M. Wlodarska</b> Kerma burials in the Fourth cataract region- Three seasons of excavations at Shemkhiya	<b>M. Maillot</b> Meroitic Palaces: The Palace of el-Muweis in the Shendi region	<b>M. Binder</b> The cemeteries of Amara West	<b>R. Lobban</b> Excavation Progress Report: Meroitic Site of Abu Erteila	<b>Ang. and Alf. Castiglioni</b> A La Recherche de la Terra d'Amou
2.50	<b>R. Schulz</b> Aspects of Kerma culture in the 4th cataract area and beyond	<b>M. Evina</b> Painted Kraters from the Meroitic city of el-Muweis: some elements of understanding	<b>R. Parkinson</b> A literary <i>ostrakon</i> from Amara West	<b>E. Fantusati &amp; E. Kormysheva</b> Excavations at Abu Erteila	<b>C. Vogel</b> A shining example: Senusret III's long-lasting afterlife in Nubia
3.15	<b>G. Emberling</b> Peripheral Vision: Identity at the Margins of the Early Kingdom of Kush	<b>A. Sackho-Autissier</b> Wad ben Naga and the archaeological archive	<b>F. Doyen</b> Sai Island, Pharaonic Town	<b>P. Wolf, U. Nowotnick &amp; C. Hof</b> Investigating the Meroitic City of Hamadab	<b>Ibrahim A.A. Ibrahim</b> Amun in Nubia
3.40	Tea/coffee				

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Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> August

Parallel sessions

PM	Session 1b Kerma period	Session 2b Kushite period	Session 3b Egyptian	Session 4b Kushite period	Session 5b Egyptian
4.10	<i>M. Bietak</i> Kerma people in the eastern Nile Delta in the Hyksos Period and the early 18 <sup>th</sup> Dynasty	<i>K. Kroeper</i> Work in Progress and discoveries at Naga - 2009-2010	<i>G. Cavillier</i> Amenhotep III's fortified centre of Soleb: researches and perspectives	<i>A. Quertinmont</i> Chapels' equipment of the Meroitic necropolises	<i>E. Kormysheva</i> Reflection on Dedwen. Religious Syncretism and Politics in Nubia
4.35	<i>D. Pemler</i> Iconography of Nubians in Egypt before the New Kingdom	<i>Murtada Bushara Mohamed</i> The possible royal tomb of Eltameer Merowe	<i>K. Spence &amp; P. J. Rose</i> New fieldwork at Sesebi, Northern Sudan	<i>M. L. De Gasperis</i> The Religious Experience from Divinities to Offering Tables: Egypt, Meroe, Yemen	<i>L. Suková</i> The painted shelter at Korosko revisited
5	<i>H. Hafsaas-Tsakos</i> Edges of bronze and expressions of masculinity The emergence of a warrior aristocracy at Kerma	<i>Elsamani El Nasri Mohamed Ahmed</i> The emergence of Kush	<i>V. Davies</i> A new Egyptian stela upstream of Jebel Barkal	<i>T. Sakamoto</i> Chronological development of tomb structures in Meroitic Lower Nubia: a typological approach	<i>D. Michaux-Colombot</i> Pitfall concepts in the round of 'Nubia'. <i>Ta-Sety, Nehesy, Medja, Maga</i> and Punt revisited.
5.25		<i>C. Gradel</i> Meroitic Kingdom Links with the Eastern Desert and the Red Sea	<i>N. Pomerantseva</i> Images of the Nubians in Egyptian Art	<i>F. Castellani</i> Les cultes religieux dans les textes funéraires méroïtiques	<i>S. Y. Bersina</i> Dieu Sabazios en Noubie, Egypte et Méroé
5.50	End of proceedings				

BP Lecture Theatre

6-7pm	UNESCO Documentary on The 50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Appeal launched by Egypt and Sudan to Save the Monuments of Nubia	Film
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Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> August

BP Lecture Theatre

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9.15am	<b><i>Salah Mohammed Ahmed</i></b>	The second Kingdom of Kush in the Fourth Cataract region
10am	Discussion	
10.10am	<b><i>Vincent Rondot</i></b>	The Island of Meroe
10.40am	Discussion	
10.50am	Coffee/tea	
11.20am	<b><i>Pamela Rose</i></b>	Kush in the north
11.50am	Discussion	
12 noon	<b><i>Angelica Lohwasser</i></b>	Kush and its neighbours outside the Nile Valley
12.30pm	Discussion	
12.45pm	Lunch	

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Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> August

Parallel sessions

PM	Session 1a Kushite period	Session 2a Kushite period	Session 3a Kushite period	Session 4a Kushite period	Session 5a Physical anthropology
2	<b>L. Török</b> Meroitic Lower Nubia	<b>B. Balanda</b> Royal Funerary Beliefs, Napatan period	<b>L. Bongrani</b> Kush and the boundaries of The Persian empire	<b>M. H. Zach</b> The Army and Military Dictatorship in Meroe?	<b>B. Jakob</b> A Bioarchaeological appraisal of the human skeletal remains from Al Khiday 2, Central Sudan
2.30	<b>F. Jesse</b> On the Borders of the Kushite Power- the fortress Gala Abu Ahmed in lower Wadi Howar, Northern Sudan	<b>J. Budka</b> Egyptian impact on pot- breaking ceremonies at el- Kurru? A re-examination	<b>S. Burnstein</b> The Evidence of the Satrap Stele for the Nubian Campaign of Ptolemy I	<b>Mohamed Faroug Abdelrahman</b> The Kushite social identity: a new approach in anthropological archaeology	<b>D. Antoine</b> Pain in the Neck! Evidence for rare' abnormalities of the vertebral artery at Kawa
2.55	<b>C. Näser</b> Early Musawwarat	<b>K. Aldenhoven</b> Barque stands of Kushite temples. An iconological approach	<b>M. I. Pasquali</b> On the traces of Nubians: notes on the relations between Romans and Meroites	<b>J. Yellin</b> The Pyramid Burials in the Western Cemetery at Meroe	<b>B. Baker</b> Tracking transitions at a late Meroitic through Christian period cemetery at el-Ginefab
3.20	<b>Murtada Bushara</b> The possible Royal Tomb of Eltameer Merowe	<b>D. Khan</b> Remarks on Egyptian elements in Kushite religion and ritual	<b>R. Haaland</b> Meroitic kingly ideals. Temples and Gods in an Afro- Indian context	<b>E. Ciampini and G. Bakowska</b> Meroitic Kingship and the water: the case of Napata (B2200)	<b>E. Strouhal</b> Anthropology of Wadi Qitna and Kalabsha South
3.45	Tea/coffee				

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> August

Parallel sessions

PM	Session 1b Kushite period	Session 2b Kushite period	Session 3b Kushite period	Session 4b Kushite period	Session 5b Physical anthropology
4.15	<i>Abbas Sid Ahmed Mohammed Ali &amp; Gamal Gaffar El Hassan</i> An Early Napatan Settlement in the light of the University of Dongola Excavations at Jebel Barkal. (Seasons 2003-2006)	<i>J. Revez</i> The role of the Kings' Brothers in the transmission of royal power in Ancient Egypt and Kush. A Comparative Study.	<i>J. W. Pope</i> The Demotic <i>proskynema</i> of a Meroitic envoy to Roman Egypt (Philae 416)	<i>Samia Beshir Dafa'alla</i> Meroitic Queenship	<i>M. Judd</i> Growing up in Gabati
4.40	<i>M. Buzon &amp; S. T. Smith</i> The early Kushite period at Tombos: Cultural entangl- ement or Egyptianisation	<i>A. Pompei</i> Delivery of Nubian Royal Insignia	<i>Y. Jones</i> Nubian perspectives on Ancient Egypt and Kush as portrayed in The Memphite Theology and the Victory Stele of Piye	<i>N. D. Harkless</i> In search of the historical Memnon: The King of Ethiopia	<i>R. Dann</i> Age as a social category in the private' tombs at Qustul
5.05	<i>S. J. Feneuille, M Bouchar &amp; P. Letourneux</i> Archaeological information derived from physical and chemical analyses of Kushite mortars		<i>V. Hinterhuber</i> The Decade Festival in Thebes during the 25 <sup>th</sup> Dynasty - an instrument for religious legitimation of the Kushite Pharaohs	<i>B. Williams</i> Segerseni/Sergersenti as a problem in history and cultural knowledge	
5.30	End of proceedings				
6-8.30	Reception with museum tours		Petrie Museum		

## Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> August

BP Lecture theatre

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9.15am	<b><i>Bogdan Żurawski</i></b>	The medieval period in the Fourth Cataract region
10am	Discussion	
10.10am	<b><i>Włodzimierz Godlewski</i></b>	The heartlands of Makuria
10.40am	Discussion	
10.50am	Coffee/tea	
11.20am	<b><i>David Edwards</i></b>	Nobadia, the forgotten kingdom
11.50am	Discussion	
12 noon	<b><i>Derek Welsby</i></b>	The Kingdom of Alwa
12.30pm	Discussion	
12.45pm	Lunch	

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Parallel sessions

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PM	Session 1a Medieval period	Session 2a Documents	Session 3a Wall paintings	Session 4a Conservation, museums, etc
2	<i>M. Chlodnicki</i> The royal tumulus at Hagar el-Beida	<i>A. Lajtar</i> Medieval Christian Texts from Gebel Adda. A Preliminary Survey	<i>M. Martens-Czarnecka</i> Nubian Representations of Nativity discovered in the Monastery in Old Dongola	<i>Amal Awad Nasir</i> The state of conservation and sustainable development of the Sai island project site
2.25	<i>E. Kolosowska, Z. Borocowski &amp; Mahmoud el-Tayeb</i> Once more on Kassinger Bahri Cemetery	<i>J. van Hagen</i> Wine for the Bishop: Three Old Nubian Documents from Qasr Ibrim	<i>B. Mierzejewska</i> The Portraits of Believers holding Twigs in Hands on the walls of Nubian Churches	<i>S. Zurinaga</i> The conservation of the documentary heritage on the Nubian Campaign' kept in the National Archaeological Museum Madrid, Spain
2.50	<i>A. Tsakos</i> The Medieval period on the Island of Sai	<i>C. Naeser &amp; A. Tsakos</i> From bits and pieces. A corpus of medieval manuscripts from the Humboldt University (H.U.N.E.) concession in the Fourth Nile Cataract	<i>I. Zych</i> Thrones and high chairs in Nubian wall painting and the archaeological record	<i>F. Godhoff</i> 3D-Laser Scanning in the Desert - The Fortress Gala Abu Ahmed
3.15	<i>B. Żurawski</i> Selib 2010. Medieval and Meroitic remains.	<i>J. van der Vliet</i> “What is man?” Patterns of commemoration in Christian Nubian epitaphs		<i>C. Kleinitz</i> 3D-scanning and modelling for research and heritage applications at Musawwarat es Sufra
3.40	Tea/coffee			

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Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> August

Parallel sessions

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PM	Session 1b Medieval period	Session 2b Medieval period	Session 3b Wall paintings	Session 4b Museums, etc
4.10	<i>M. Drzewiecki</i> Banganarti - The Fortifications	<i>W. Y. Adams</i> The Eparch at Meinarti	<i>D. Zielińska</i> The iconography of power/ The power of iconography: The Nubian royal ideology and its expression in wall-painting	<i>D. Wildung</i> The new Sudan gallery I on the Museum Island, Berlin
4.35	<i>Ali Osman Salih</i> The Medieval Settlement Archaeology of the Mahas Region	<i>Khidir A. Ahmed</i> Al-Abwab: A medieval Nubian kingdom	<i>M. M. Wozniak</i> Iconographie des rois et dignitaires de la Nubie chrétienne. Contribution à l'étude du costume	<i>C. De Simone</i> Perceptions of Nubia in museums' collections display.
5	<i>A. Obluski</i> Rank-size in Nobadian and Makurian Settlement Patterns	<i>G. Ochala</i> Distribution of goods in Late Christian Nubia	<i>M. Laptas</i> The symbolism of the number 7 in the architecture of the Upper Church in Banganarti	<i>Ossama Abdel Meguid</i> Exhibitions of collections and the creation and preservation of the Nubian heritage
5.25	<i>Ali Ahmed Gism elseed</i> Ghazali: A late Medieval Nubian Monastery in the 4th Cataract Region	<i>G. Lassányi</i> Ancient Bejas in the Eastern Desert and in the Nile Valley	<i>Awad Bakheit Suliman</i> The Nubian language and its impact upon the names of some villages round Shendi area	<i>A. M. Jennings</i> The changing face of tourism in West Aswan Village
5.50	<i>Abdelrahman Ibrahim Said</i> Jebel Abu Fatima	<i>R. Seignobos</i> The cartographical invention of Nubia. Nubia in European world maps of the XIII-XIV <sup>th</sup> centuries	<i>S. Boujikian</i> Possibly (?) - Reviving the Nubian Language	<i>E. Lvova</i> The First Nubian Studies at Moscow University. (The end of the 19 <sup>th</sup> - beginning of the 20 <sup>th</sup> centuries)
6.15	End of proceedings			

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Friday 6<sup>th</sup> August

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9.15am	<b><i>Abdel Rahman Ali</i></b>	The Islamic period in the Fourth Cataract region
10am	Discussion	
10.10am	<b><i>Intisar Soghayroun el-Zein</i></b>	Islamic archaeology in the Northern Sudan
10.40am	Discussion	
10.50am	Coffee/tea	
11.20am	<b><i>Michael Mallinson</i></b>	The Red Sea littoral since the arrival of Islam
11.50am	Discussion	
12 noon	<b><i>Yusuf Fadi Hassan</i></b>	Islamic Sudan and the outside world
12.30pm	Discussion	
12.45pm	Lunch	

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Friday 6<sup>th</sup> August

Parallel sessions

PM	Session 1 Dams etc	Session 2 Language	Session 3 Rock art & misc.	Session 4 Contemporary Nubia etc.	Session 5 Recent Nubia
2	<b>Rageh Zaher Mohamed</b> Bany Ady, Darb Al-Arba'in's last station for the Nubian trades in the Islamic Period	<b>C. Rilly</b> Pre-Nubian: a linguistic legacy of the C-Group?	<b>Fawzi Hassan Bakhiet</b> Rock Drawings Studies, Four Seasons in the Middle Nile Region	<b>P. Weschenfelder</b> Linking the Eastern Desert and the Nile Valley within social landscapes	<b>Haifaa Eltayeb</b> Sudanese Beautification Ornaments between the Past and the Present
2.25	<b>Kabbshi Hussein Giseema</b> Assessment of Merowe Dam Archaeological Salvage Project	<b>A. Vinogradov</b> Alara'. On the semantics of the proper name of the Kushite royal dynasty's founder	<b>T. Karberg</b> Rock art from the Wadi Abu Dom: Recent discoveries from the "Wadi Abu Dom Itinerary" project concession	<b>Salim Faraji</b> Africana Nubiology: Examining Classical Sudanese Traditions in West Africa	<b>A. Goo-Grauer</b> House decoration by Nubian women prior to 1964 resettlement
2.50	<b>Nuraddin Abdelmannan</b> A plan to rescue Nubia from destruction	<b>Kamal Hussein Abdallah</b> A semantic comparative study between Meroitic and Old Nubian	<b>Zakareya Ragab Abd Elmaguid</b> An unpublished Nubian object in the Alexandria University Museum	<b>M. Jaeger</b> Nubian wise sayings and proverbs from the Kenuz	
3.15	<b>E. A. Smith</b> Salvage Anthropology in Contemporary Commem- orations of Old Nubia	<b>Ikhlas Abdel Latief</b> The symbol K3 in Kushite civilization	<b>J. Then-Obluska</b> The code of hidden beads from the Kerma to the Islamic period according to the Fourth Cataract material from the Gdańk Archaeological Museum collection	<b>Abdelnaser Sirelkhatim Hassan</b> Contemporary Nubian Material	
3.40		<b>Mohammed Khidir Khalil Hassan</b> The modern Nubiin literacy programmes, the ambitious prospect it holds for the preservation of the language	<b>Dr Abd elmounim Ahmed</b> Pyramid as an element of architecture: continuity and change		

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Closing session

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4.15pm		Closing session
5pm	Conference ends	
7.30pm	Reception in the Foundling Museum	

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