



AFRICA 500-1000. NEW PERSPECTIVES FOR HISTORICAL AND  
ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESEARCH

14-16 November 2018

Neue Aula, Geschwister-Scholl-Platz, Raum "Kleiner Senat"

**Wednesday 14 November 2018**

18:00-18:10 Sebastian Schmidt-Hofner (Tübingen): Welcome

18:10-19:00 Key Note: Lisa Fentress (Rome): 'Islamizing the Berbers'

**Thursday 15 November 2018**

10:00-10:15 Roland Steinacher (Innsbruck): Opening remarks

FIRST SECTION: HISTORY (CHAIR: GUIDO BERNDT):

10:15-10:45 Roland Steinacher (Innsbruck): When not in Rome, still do as the Romans do? Africa in the first millennium

10:45-11:15 Robin Whelan (Oxford): 'Why aren't there Vandal women? Gender, ethnicity, and power in early medieval North Africa'

11:15-11:45 Coffee Break

11:45-12:15 Andrew Merrills (Leicester): 'Corippus' triumphal geography: a new look at Ioh II'

12:15-12:45 Federico Montinaro (Tübingen): 'Byzantine Resistance in Roman Africa, 641-668 CE'

12:45-14:45 Lunch Break

SECOND SECTION ARCHAEOLOGY (CHAIR: ALEXANDER SARANTIS):

14:45-15:15 Philipp von Rummel (Berlin): 'Simitthu 500-1000: A case study'

15:15-15:45 Corisande Fenwick (London): 'The African Renaissance? An Archaeological Perspective on Aghlabid Ifrīqiya'

15:45-16:15 Coffee Break

16:15-16:45 Nicolas Lamare (Paris): 'Water after Antiquity: New Perspectives for Archaeological Investigations in North Africa'

**Friday 16 November 2018**

THIRD SECTION: ECONOMY (CHAIR: PAOLO TEDESCO):

10:00-10:30 Daniel Syrbe (Nijmegen): 'Nomadic Mobility and Economy in Late Antique and Byzantine North Africa'

10:30-11:00 Antonia Bosanquet (Hamburg): 'Trade Patterns of Ifrīqiya. A Comparison between the Eighth and the Tenth Centuries'

11:00-11:15 Coffee Break

11:15-11:45 Sam Nixon (London): 'Monetary system, and metals exchange in the medieval trans-Saharan world: archaeological insights from the mine, the market, and the mint'

11:45-12:15 Roland Steinacher (Innsbruck) and Paolo Tedesco (Tübingen): Concluding remarks



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