

The Collaborative Research Centre (SFB 1070) "ResourceCultures – Sociocultural Dynamics and the Use of Resources" addresses the subjects of resources with an innovative and interdisciplinary perspective. While resources commonly are defined as naturally occurring raw-materials such as soil, water, gas and oil the primary aim of the Collaborative Research Centre is to investigate social processes relating to the use of resources world-wide and through all periods of human history. This approach leads to two central questions: What is needed for a society, from earliest history up to present times, to thrive and prosper? How are resources developed, used, defined, and evaluated?

Examining the role of resources within socio-cultural contexts from an intercultural and diachronic point of view it is important to consider three different major dynamics: Developments, Movements and Valuations. This is reflected in the structure of the Collaborative Research Centre with its three project divisions:

**A. DEVELOPMENTS:** Resources and Processes of Social Change.

**B. MOVEMENTS:** Resources and Spatial Development.

**C. VALUATIONS:** Resources and the Symbolic Dimensions of Cultures.

The conferences target is to concentrate the discussion on thematic aspects offering close links between individual projects of the Collaborative Research Centre. Furthermore, in the Scientific Advisory Board, innovative approaches, hypotheses and perspectives will be discussed.

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**Conference**  
Developments | Movements | Valuations

06.11. – 09.11.2014

Schloss Hohentübingen  
Klassische Archäologie , R. 165

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## Thursday 06.11.14

- 17:00 · constitutive session of the advisory committee
- 19:00 · Dinner

## Friday 07.11.14 | morning

- 09:00 · **Welcome and Opening Remarks**  
Prof. Dr. Martin Bartelheim | Speaker  
Dr. Anke Scholz | Scientific co-ordinator
- 09:30 · **Introduction into SFB 1070**  
Prof. Dr. Martin Bartelheim | Prof. Dr. Roland Hardenberg |  
Prof. Dr. Jörn Staecker

### SESSION PROJECT DIVISION A. DEVELOPMENTS – RESOURCES AND PROCESSES OF SOCIAL CHANGE

- 09:45 · **Introduction into project division A**  
Prof. Dr. Martin Bartelheim | Prof. Dr. Jens Kamlah
- 10:15 · Prof. Dr. Norman Yoffee, University of Michigan:  
“Collapse, Resilience, Sustainability: How do  
‘Resources’ help us to Understand the ‘Fate’ of  
Ancient Cities and States?”
- 10:45 · Discussion
- 11:00 · Coffee
- 11:15 · Prof. Dr. Renate Gerlach, University of Cologne  
Archaeological Heritage Management Rhineland  
(LVR-ABR), Bonn | Prof. Dr. Andreas Zimmermann,  
University of Cologne:  
“Resource Soil – A Prerequisite for Agrarian Societies”
- 11:45 · Discussion
- 12:00 · Panel Discussion Session A
- 13:00 · Lunch

## Friday 07.11.14 | afternoon

### SESSION PROJECT DIVISION B. MOVEMENTS – RESOURCES AND SPATIAL DEVELOPMENT

- 14:30 · **Introduction into project division B**  
Prof. Dr. Richard Posamentir | Prof. Dr. Thomas Scholten
- 15:00 · Prof. Dr. Dirce Marzoli, German Archaeological  
Institute Madrid:  
“Resources as Incentives for Phoenician Migration?”
- 15:30 · Discussion
- 15:45 · Prof. Dr. Pamela Klassen, University of Toronto:  
“Supernatural Resources: Religion, Capitalism,  
and the Value of Land in Colonial British Columbia”
- 16:15 · Discussion
- 16:30 · Coffee
- 16:45 · Panel Discussion Session B
- 17:30 · Guided tours through the University Museum MUT
- 18:30 · Reception



## Saturday 08.11.14

### SESSION PROJECT DIVISION C. VALUATIONS – RESOURCES AND THE SYMBOLIC DIMENSION OF CULTURES

- 09:00 · **Introduction to project division C**  
Prof. Dr. Jörn Staecker |  
Prof. Dr. Irmgard Männlein-Robert
- 09:30 · Prof. Dr. Richard Lee, University of Toronto:  
“Objects as Resource for Trade-off among  
Hunter-Gatherers in South Africa”
- 10:00 · Discussion
- 10:15 · Prof. Dr. Anders Andrén, University of Stockholm:  
“‘Pfandsilber’ – Silver Objects as Resources”
- 10:45 · Discussion
- 11:00 · Coffee
- 11:15 · Panel Discussion Session C
- 12:00 · Development meeting and closing remarks
- 12:15 · Lunch: “Ethnologic delights”
- 13:15 · Excursion: Prehistoric sites in Aachtal & Blaubeuren.  
Guided by Prof. Dr. Nicholas Conard

## Sunday 09.11.14

- 09:00 – 17:00 · **Full-time Excursion**  
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Prof. Dr. Martin Bartelheim | Prof. Dr. Thomas Scholten



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