



Prehistoric Communities along the Danube

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Different parts of historic Middle Danube region represented a culturally and historically integral unit for several millennia. In contrast, modern borders divide them into different worlds by cutting traditional ties. Even archaeology has not remained untouched by these tendencies.

In the last decades, large-scale rescue excavations accompanied by new technologies applied during fieldworks and assessments, provided new opportunities for both the Hungarian, Croatian and Serbian archaeological research. The international event aims to offer a platform to discuss separately achieved results within the frames of a round-table conference. It focuses on interpreting the archaeological record and the exchange of experiences of various scientific methods. The final purpose is to create a regional synthesis on a cross-border level.

Venue:

**Archaeological Museum Osijek, Croatia
November, 28—30 November 2019**

OSIJEK, 28th — 30th November, 2019

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

28th November 2019

- 9.00 Arrival and registration
- 10.00 Opening the conference (T. Hršak and M. Dizdar)

KEYNOTE LECTURE

- 10.10 Mitja Guštin, **Up the river Danube to the core of Europe and vice versa**
- 10.40 Coffee break

NEOLITHIC

chairman: Rajna Šošić Klindžić

- 11.00 Jelena Jovanović — Jelena Marković — Camille de Becdelievre — Alejandro Romero — Sofija Stefanović: **Diet-related strategies of Early Neolithic communities along the Danube and its vicinity: from the Danube Gorges through southern part of Great Pannonian Plain**
- 11.20 Krisztián Oross: **Absolute chronology of 6th millennium calBC western Hungary: achievements and opportunities**
- 11.40 Kristina Penezić: **Danube Neolithic landscapes**
- 12.00 Dragana Antonović — Dragana Rajković: **Starčevo culture luxury: cult objects and personal ornaments made of stone**
- 12.20 Discussion
- 12.40 Coffee break
- chairman: Krisztián Oross
- 13.00 Lidija Balj: **Archaeological traces of the childhood in the Vinča culture from Gomolava site**
- 13.20 Marcel Burić — Roman Scholz: **Noli tangere circulos eorum: non-destructive magnetometric and geological investigations on the Bapska tell settlement**

- 13.40 Katarina Botić: **Neighbours with benefits? Vinča's presence along the Danube's right bank in eastern Slavonia and its coexistence with the other Neolithic populations**
- 14.00 János Jakucs: **Vinča, Ražište, Malo Koreno, Sopot: Comments on Chronology and Cultural Dynamics from a Southeast Transdanubian Perspective**
- 14.20 Discussion
- 14.40 Lunch in Museum
- chairman: Katarina Botić
- 15.30 Maja Krznarić Škrivanko — Boris Kratofil: **Vinkovci — Zablaće: Newly discovered site of the Sopot culture in Vinkovci Region**
- 15.50 Boban Tripković — Rajna Šošić Klindžić — Hrvoje Kalafatić — Bartul Šiljeg — Tomislav Hršak — Ina Miloglav — Jasna Vuković: **Circles in the rye, mounds in the wood: an archaeological story of the enclosed sites in the Northern Balkans**
- 16.10 Tibor Marton — Anett Osztás — János Gábor Ódor — Krisztián Oross: **On the fringes of the Balkan Neolithic: spread of the Sopot culture along the Danube**
- 16.30 Goran Tomac: **Animal husbandry at the Sopot site Gorjani — Kremenjača (Slavonia, Croatia)**
- 16.50 Discussion
- 17.10 Coffee break
- chairman: Jacqueline Balen
- 17.30 Evelin Pap: **New observations on the neolithic along the left bank of the Danube: Sopot culture burial ground at Dávod**
- 17.50 Dragana Rajković — Tomislav Hršak — Selena Vitezović: **Systematic archaeological research at the site of Kotlina, Baranya — preliminary report**
- 18.10 Szilvia Fábián — Szilvia Guba — Nicklas Larsson — B. Roderick Salisbury — Péter Tóth — Szabolcs Czifra: **Living on the edge: landscape and settlement structures along the Danube tributaries**
- 18.30 Discussion

18.45 Coffee break

COPPER AGE

chairman: Gabriella Kulcsár

- 19.00 Anđelka Putica: **Contribution to the study of the widespread of the Retz-Gajary culture**
- 19.20 Jacqueline Balen — Ina Miloglav: **Transition and coexistence of the cultures at the end of the Copper Age in Eastern Croatia**
- 19.40 Siniša Radović — Hrvoje Kalafatić: **Cattle-breeding in Slavonia during Copper Age: case study of Čeminac — Vakanjac**
- 20.00 Selena Vitezović — Vedrana Krištofić: **Bone industry in the Vučedol culture: some preliminary results**
- 20.20 Discussion
- 20.40 Final discussion — Neolithic and Copper Age (T. Težak-Gregl)
- 21.00 Dinner in Museum

29th November 2019

BRONZE AGE

chairman: Hrvoje Kalafatić

- 9.00 Gabriella Kulcsár: **Bronze Age Settlement and Society along the Danube in Central Hungary**
- 9.20 Viktória Kiss — Andás Czene — Marietta Csányi — János Dani — Anna Endrődi — Szilvia Fábián — Tamás Hajdu — Kitti Köhler — Gabriella Kulcsár — Eszter Melis — Róbert Patay — Géza Szabó — Vajk Szeverényi — Dante Ayala — Julia Giblin: **Recent data of mobility patterns from Hungary during the 3rd and 2nd millennium BC**
- 9.40 Melis Eszter — Szeniczey Tamás — Köhler Kitti — Jakab Július — Hajdu Tamás: **Population changes in the Northwestern part of the Carpathian Basin during the Early and Middle Bronze Age**
- 10.00 Mario Novak — Dinko Tresić Pavičić: **Living and dying during the Bronze Age in the Pannonian Basin — mortuary practices and health conditions in the community of Jagodnjak between 2000 and 1500 BCE**

10.20 Discussion

10.40 Coffee break

chairman: Daria Ložnjak Dizdar

11.00 Attila Horváth M.: **The role of the Danube in prehistoric Budapest**

11.20 Aleksandar Kapuran — Mario Gavranović — Igor Jovanović: **Urnfields before Urnfields? — New results on urn cemeteries in northeastern Serbia**

11.40 Peter Mali: **Beginnings of the Tumulus period in the Eastern Transdanubia**

12.00 Divna Gačić — Jovan Koledin: **Bronze Age hoards from Tovarnik**

12.20 Discussion

12.40 Coffee break

chairman: Mario Gavranović

13.00 János Gábor Tarbay: **What does a hoard contain? — The selection of objects in the Late Bronze Age hoard from Bonyhád**

13.20 Kelly Reed — Dragana Filipović — Sonja Filatova: **New insights into the diet and agriculture of Bronze Age communities in the Middle Danube**

13.40 Vojislav Filipović: **Connections between the Serbian Danube Region and the Balkan Hinterland during the Bronze and Iron Age: Misconceptions and Facts**

14.00 Miloš Spasić — Marija Ljuština — Dragana Stojić: **Jakovo — Ekonomija Sava: Cultural Trajectories from the Bronze Age to the Roman Times**

14.20 Discussion

14.40 Lunch in Museum

IRON AGE

chairman: Marija Ljuština

15.30 Carola Metzner-Nebelsick — Daria Ložnjak Dizdar — Domagoj Dujmić — Louis Nebelsick — Marko Dizdar — Frank N. Stremke: **Batina and Dalj — Two major defended settlement sites of the Late Bronze and Iron Age date at the crossroads of west and east — New research**

- 15.50 Daria Ložnjak Dizdar — Petra Rajić Šikanjić: **Multiple Early Iron Age graves in Sotin and Batina — contribution to female life stages in the prehistoric societies in the Danube region**
- 16.10 Tomislav Hršak — Marko Dizdar: **Early Iron Age female burials at the Batina — Sredno cemetery (Baranya, Croatia)**
- 16.30 Discussion
- 16.45 Coffee break
- chairman: Carola Metzner-Nebelsick
- 17.00 Domagoj Dujmić: **About the „hoard“ Daljska planina — Kraljevac**
- 17.20 Bence Soos: **Follow the Rivers? Possibilities of reconstructing the communication networks of the Late Hallstatt Age in Southern Pannonia**
- 17.40 Ivan Drnić — Marta Rakvin: **The missing link? The Late Hallstatt and Early La Tène Horizons on Dalj — Busija Cemetery (Eastern Croatia)**
- 18.00 Discussion
- 18.15 Coffee break
- chairman: Ivan Drnić
- 18.30 Károly Tankó: **The Danube and the Celts in the northern part of Transdanubia**
- 18.50 Marko Dizdar — Domagoj Dujmić: **Middle La Tène female costume and jewellery at the Osijek — Zeleno polje cemetery: Local and/or part of a bigger world?**
- 19.10 Boris Kratofil: **Marikovo — Kratine: the open type settlement of La Tène culture**
- 19.40 Discussion
- 19.50 Final discussion — Bronze and Iron Age (H. Potreblica)
- 20.10 Dinner in Museum and closing of the conference



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