



# Poles on the Nile, season 2022-23

**WEDNESDAY (JUNE 21ST)**

**10.00–11.30 CEST (UTC+2)**

Conference opening **Sławomir RZEPKA, Robert MAHLER**

Chair **Anna WODZIŃSKA**

1. **Massimiliano NUZZOLO, Mohamed OSMAN**, The Italian-Polish Mission at the Sun Temple of Niuserra at Abu Ghurab: report of the 2022 Fall season.
2. **Anastasiia STUPKO-LUBCZYŃSKA**, North Asasif in 2022/23 and where we go from here.
3. **Patryk CHUDZIK**, Excavations of the early Middle Kingdom tombs of North Asasif in the 2022/23 season.

***Break 11.30–12.00 CEST (UTC+2)***

**12.00–14.00 CEST (UTC+2)**

Chair **Andrzej NIWIŃSKI**

1. **Krzysztof CIAŁOWICZ, Marek CHŁODNICKI**, Tell el-Farkha 2022. Results of excavations.
2. **Joanna DĘBOWSKA-LUDWIN**, The monumental mastaba of Tell el-Farkha.
3. **Natalia MAŁECKA-DROZD, Grzegorz BĄK-PRYC, Magdalena KAZIMIERCZAK, Katarzyna LAJS-KLOSE, Natalia PUSCHHAUS, Mariusz A. JUCHA**, Tell el-Murra – research work in 2022 season.
4. **Anna WODZIŃSKA**, Advantages and limitations of pottery analysis at Heit el-Ghurab (Giza). Reflections after the 2023 season of work.

***Break 14.00–16.00 CEST (UTC+2)***

**16.00–17.30 CEST (UTC+2)**

Chair **Krzysztof CIAŁOWICZ**

1. **Patryk CHUDZIK**, The Temple of Hatshepsut at Deir el-Bahari, 2022/23 season.
2. **Krzysztof CHMIELEWSKI, Monika CZERNIEC, Anna KONOPKO, Anna KUDZIA, Anna DUDA-MACZUGA, Paulina STASZKIEWICZ**, Current conservation and restoration work in the Temple of Hatshepsut at Deir el-Bahari.
3. **Andrzej NIWIŃSKI**, The search for the tomb of Thutmose II. Results of the Egyptian-Polish excavations at Deir el-Bahari in 2022-23.

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Faculty of Archaeology UW (Szkola Główna), Room 210  
Krakowskie Przedmieście 26/28  
and online

**THURSDAY (JUNE 22ND)**

**9.30–11.30 CEST (UTC+2)**

Chair **Piotr OSYPIŃSKI**

1. **Tomasz HERBICH**, Geophysical research in Egypt and Sudan in 2022–2023: fieldwork results and methodological considerations (caesium versus fluxgate).
2. **Marek T. OLSZEWSKI**, **Grzegorz MAJCHEREK**, New research project on the mosaic corpus from Kom el-Dikka in Alexandria.
3. **Tomasz DERDA**, 'Marea'/Philoxenite 2022: the last season of the NCN project.
4. **Piotr JAWORSKI**, *Nummi, minimi, minimissimi, falsa*: small change in Byzantine 'Marea'/Philoxenite.

**Break 11.30–12.00 CEST (UTC+2)**

**12.00–14.00 CEST (UTC+2)**

Chair **Tomasz DERDA**

1. **Mariusz GWIAZDA**, Berenike 2023 - First results of NCN and HFF grants.
2. **Marek WOŹNIAK**, **Szymon POPLAWSKI**, Luxury or normality? A Greek-style baths as part of the lifestyle in Hellenistic Berenike.
3. **Joan Oller GUZMÁN**, Crawling in the dark: latest results of the Sikait Project in the emerald mines of the Smaragdos (Egyptian Eastern Desert).
4. **Jerzy OLEKSIK**, Kitchen Nightmares – Late Antique pottery assemblage from so-called 'Advanced Building' in Sikait (Eastern Desert, Egypt).

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**16.00–17.30 CEST (UTC+2)**

Chair **Sławomir RZEPKA**

1. **Joanna DĘBOWSKA-LUDWIN**, **Grzegorz BĄK-PRYC**, The pilot season of Jagiellonian University archaeological work in the region of Akasha-Ambigol, Sudan.
2. **Piotr OSYPIŃSKI**, **Marta OSYPIŃSKA**, **Justyna KOKOLUS**, **Paweł WIKTOROWICZ**, **Roman ŁOPACIUK**, **Amel HASSAN GISMALLAH**, New advances in pre- and proto-historic settlement and economy of Upper Nubia. Argi and Letti sites as we know them in 2023.
3. **Patryk MUNTOWSKI**, **Henryk PANER**, **Mirosław MASOJC**, **Grzegorz MICHALEC**, Application of aerial photogrammetry in archaeological documentation on the example of the Bayuda Desert research in Sudan. Project of the National Science Centre Poland, no. 2016/23/B/HS3/00845.

**18.00–19.00 CEST (UTC+2)**

**Maria Carmela GATTO**,

Recent research and discoveries in the First Nile Cataract region:  
A collaboration between the Aswan-Kom Ombo Archaeological Project AKAP  
and the BORDERSCAPE Project

**FRIDAY (JUNE 23RD)**

**9.30–11.30 CEST (UTC+2)**

Chair **Mariusz Drzewiecki**

1. **Mahmoud EL-TAYEB**, Early Makuria Research Project. Results of the last two seasons of excavations at Tanqasi Cemetery.
2. **Magdalena OSTROWSKA**, Early Makuria Research Project. The Pottery and Other Small Finds of the Last Excavations at Tanqasi Cemetery.
3. **Artur OBLUSKI**, Old Dongola: Season 2021–2022.
4. **Magdalena SKARŻYŃSKA, Krzysztof CHMIELEWSKI**, Conservation works in Old Dongola, Sudan, 2019–2023.

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**12.00–14.00 CEST (UTC+2)**

Chair **Mahmoud EL-TAYEB**

1. **Mariusz DRZEWIECKI**, Soba Expedition 2022-2023: searching for cooperation with Sudanese primary schools, universities, and non-academic institutions.
2. **Joanna CIESIELSKA**, First look at the population of Soba, the capital of the kingdom of Alwa: introduction into the isotopic landscape of the medieval metropolis.
3. **Cristobal CALAFORRA-RZEPKA, Joanna CIESIELSKA, Mariusz DRZEWIECKI, Fatima „Tata” IDRIS, Karel INNEMÉE, Maciej KURCZ, Piotr OSYPIŃSKI, Paweł L. POLKOWSKI, Katarzyna ROSA, Dobrochna ZIELIŃSKA, Maciej ŻELECHOWSKI-STOŃ**, Preliminary results of the field season at Misedda; Autumn-Winter 2022/2023.
4. **Karel INNEMÉE**, Dress to impress: Nubian royalty and clergy in their finest outfits.

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**16.00–17.30 CEST (UTC+2)**

Chair **Robert MAHLER**

1. **Teodozja RZEUSKA**, Asyut – centre of ancient trade, results of the season 2022.
2. **Katarzyna KAPIEC**, The Southern Room of Amun in the Temple of Hatshepsut at Deir el-Bahari. Its Decoration and Ritual Function in the Upper Courtyard Complex.
3. **Dawid WIECZOREK**, Building dipinti in the temples of Hatshepsut and Thutmose III at Deir el-Bahari in the light of the building stone dressing technology.