



CHRONOS

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Time and Society in the Ancient World

9 to 11 March 2020

University of Amsterdam

Monday 9 March 2020

Bushuis, VOC-zaal

15.00-15.40 Arrival with coffee
Introduction

Time in Egypt: knowledge, symbolism and usage

15.40-16.05 *Rita Gautschy (Basel)*: The water clock of Amenhotep III: votive gift or utilitarian object?

16.05-16.50 *Sofie Remijnsen (Amsterdam)*: Alexandria and the diffusion of clock time

17.15-17.40 *Alexa Rickert (Münster)*: Wandering through the horizon of eternity. Reflections of ancient Egyptian time concepts in the architecture of the temples of the Greco-Roman period

17.40-18.40 *Joachim Quack (Heidelberg)*: Who in Ancient Egypt cared about the Lunar Cycle?

12.10-12.50 *Mario Baumann (Gießen)*: A history of missed opportunities: Rulers and timeliness in Herodian's *History of the Roman Empire*

University Library, Belle van Zuylenzaal

Time and Christian identity

15.30-16.10 *Ilaria Bultrighini (London)*: Battle of the Days: Jupiter's Day, Sabbath, and the Lord's Day in the Roman Empire and Late Antiquity

16.10-16.35 *Jérôme Bonnin (Paris)*: Sundials in Christian iconography, how to interpret them? The example of the Bethesda Pool

17.00-17.40 *Lasse Sonne (Copenhagen)*: Christianizing time in Early Medieval Scandinavia

17.40-18.00 Book presentation CHRONOS-network

Tuesday 10 March 2020

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Perspectives on time in Mesopotamia

9.30-10.10 *Tim Brandes (Mainz)*: The Knowledge of Time in Mesopotamian Scholarship

10.10-10.35 *Daliah Bawanypeck (Frankfurt/Main)*: Ancient Near Eastern annual festivals and the formation of identity

11.00-11.25 *Irene Sibbing-Plantholt (Berlin)*: The Identity of Death: Feelings about (the End of) Life Time in Ancient Mesopotamia

Time as political statement

11.45-12.10 *Filippo Battistoni (Pisa)*: The three calendars of Tauromenion: time and historical change in the 1st century B.C.

Wednesday 11 March 2020

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Time and space in the Greco-Roman World

9.30-9.55 *Anke Walter (Newcastle)*: The time-space of festivals in Latin literature

9.55-10.35 *Roland Färber (Düsseldorf)*: Time, place, and social activity in Hellenistic city-states

Time and Jewish identity

11.05-11.30 *Ortal-Paz Saar & Jelte van Boheemen (Utrecht)*: Time in Jewish Historic Texts: A Digital Humanities Approach

11.30-12.30 *Sacha Stern (London)*: Jewish and Christian calendars: from sectarianism to heresy

Attendance is free. All interested guests are welcome, but are requested to register with the organizer.

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