9th Textiles from the Nile Valley conference November 27-29, 2015

Preliminary programme

“Textile find-spots in Egypt”

Friday, 27.11.2015

18.30 Registration and reception at Katoen Natie

Saturday, 28.11.2015

8.30 Registration
9.00 Welcome by Antoine De Moor

Dyeing and mordanting

Chair: NN

9.10 Can the presence of Indian lac be used as a dating method for ‘late Coptic’ textiles?, ANTOINE DE MOOR

9.20 Mining and the textile industry: Alum from Egypt’s Western Desert – the written evidence, INES BOGENSPERGER

Textiles from excavations

9.40 Basket woven shrouds from Fag el-Gamus, KRISTIN SOUTH
10.00 Reconstructing tomb inventories at the Late Antique Matmar and Mostagedda, ALEXANDRA PLESA

10.20 Discussion and Coffee/Tea

Chair: NN

11.00 The study and conservation of archaeological textiles from Deir el-Banat (Fayyum), ELENA TOLMACHEVA

11.20 Some considerations on the textile finds from the grave 213 of the Deir el-Banat necropolis (Fayyum), OLGA V. ORFINSKAYA and ELENA TOMACHEVA
11.40 Textiles from Wadi Sarga, a 7th century monastic site in Middle Egypt excavated in 1913/1914, FRANCES PRITCHARD

12.00 Textiles from Deir el-Bachit, SABRINA TATZ

12.20 *Discussion and lunch break (Snack at Katoen Natie)*

Chair: NN

14.00 Chequered tabbies from el-Deir, FLEUR LETELLIER-WILLEMIN

14.20 The fragments of the centones from Didymoi, HERO GRANGER TAYLOR

14.40 Textiles from Deir Abu Metta, Dakleh Oasis, ROSANNE LIVINGSTONE (in absentia)

15.00 *Discussion and coffee/tea*

15.40 Archäologische Funde: Beispiel Kappe, GISELA HELMECKE

16.00 New Kingdom tapestry weaving, recently discovered by the University of Basel King’s Valley Project, NADINE MEIER

16.20 Textiles from excavations in Sudan and Jordan, ANNA HARRISON and RUIHA SMALLEY

16.40 Final discussion of the day

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**Sunday, 29.11.2015**

Chair: NN

*From collections*

9.00 Textiles from the Field Museum in Chicago, ELIZABETH WILLIAMS

9.20 Textiles in the collection of the British Museum, AMANDINE MÉRAT

9.40 A new collection of Egyptian textiles in Mariemont, ARNAUD QUERTINMONT

10.00 Ancient textiles in Spanish museums: new light to old remains, LAURA RODRIGUEZ PEINADO, ANA CABRERA and LUIS TURELL

10.20 *Discussion and coffee/tea*
Iconography

11.00 Aphrodite: her crown, hair, and shell on Late Antique textiles from Egypt, MAYA MÜLLER

11.20 Personifications on the textiles in the Hermitage collection, OLGA OSHARINA

Textile techniques

Chair: NN

11.40 Technical analysis and characterization of materials in Islamic textiles produced between the 10th and the 13th century, PILAR BORREGO DÍAZ, CRISTINA PARTEARROYO, ESTRELLA SANZ, PEDRO PABLO PÉREZ, ANA ALBAR, SUSANNA MARRAS and CRISTINA Scibè

12.00 Roman nalbinding socks from Egypt, BARBARA KÖSTNER

12.20 Appreciation of the ancient craftsmen through the recreation of a 1st century sprang hairnet from the necropolis in Antinoopolis, FABIENNE MÉDARD and CAROL JAMES

12.40 Discussion and lunch break (snack at Katoen Natie)

14.00 Zwei Seidentextilien aus dem Besitz von Franz Bock, ANNEMARIE STAUFFER

14.20 Different shapes and finishing techniques of the neck opening of Late Antique tunics, CHRIS VERHECKEN-LAMMENS and ANNE KWASPEN

14.40 Eine unpublizierte Kindertunika aus dem Besitz von Theodor Graf in der Modeschule Herbststraße in Wien, MARTINA EICHINGER-WURTH

15.00 Re-using of tapestry panels in Early Byzantine Egypt, PETRA LINSCHEID

15.20 “The red thread”, TINEKE ROOIakkERS

15.40 Final discussion and farewell

Poster

Largely unknown Egyptian textiles in Swedish collections, MACIEJ SZMASZEK