



# Languages and Cultures in Contact in the Ancient Mediterranean – March 24-25, 2022

Aula SMT 10, via Cantarane 24, 37129 Verona

### March 24, morning

9:00 Institutional greetings (Denis Delfitto) and introduction (Federico Giusfredi)

Session 1. Languages of the Bronze Age

Chair: Federico Giusfredi

9:20 Alwin Kloekhorst (Leiden). Anatolians and Assyrians at Kaniš / Kültepe

10:00 David Sasseville and Susanne Görke (Marburg). The Palaic Texts from Hattusa: First Results of a New Edition

10:40 Lorenzo Verderame (Rome). The Sumero-Akkadian "bilingual" texts: an overview

11:20 Coffee Break

Chair Paola Cotticelli

11:40 Aygül Süel (Çorum). Ortaköy archive: languages and topics

12:20 Lisa Wilhelmi (Berlin). Scribes in Contact – Considerations on the Socio-Linguistic Realities of so-called Boğazköy-Akkadian

13:00 Mauro Giorgieri (Pavia). Hurrian, Akkadian and Hurro-Akkadian

13:40 Lunch





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March 24, afternoon

Session 2. Languages of the Iron Age

Chair: David Sasseville

15:00 Valerio Pisaniello (Verona). The Moon-god Τιαμου in Lydia

15:40 Filip De Decker (Verona). A look at some (alleged) contact-induced Graeco-Anatolian morpho-syntactic isoglosses

16:20 Coffee Break

Chair: Alwin Kloekhorst

16:40 Elena Martinez and Stella Merlin (Verona). Textual interference in Greek inscriptions from Anatolia: between formulaic language and syntax

17:20 Alfredo Rizza (Verona). Surviving a in world of contacts: Side and Sidetic

18:00 Eleonora Selvi (Siena) and Andrea Santamaria (Bologna). Shaping the Pamphylian alphabet through interference and isolation: the representation of the glides





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### March 25, morning

Session 3 Beyond languagess: cultures in contact

Chair: Diana Dobreva

9:30 Elena Rova (Venice). The Southern Caucasus as a cultural contact area: a longue duréè view based on material culture

10:10 N. Ilgi Gerçek (Ankara). Culture, Contact, and Identity in Hittite Anatolia

10:50 Coffee Break

Chair: Luigi Turri

11:10 Hasan Peker (İstanbul). The Administration of Karkemish Through the End of the LBA and the Beginning of the IA: New Epigraphic

Discoveries by the Turco-Italian Archaeological Expedition

11:50 Clelia Mora (Pavia). "Let the king, my lord, know that the king of Hatti conquered all the lands that bore tribute to the king of Mittani" (EA

75). Two-way cultural exchange after the Hittite conquest of Northern Syria

12:30 Nicolò Marchetti (Bologna). Recent archaeological discoveries on the Late Bronze and Iron ages at Karkemish

13:10 Lunch

In the afternoon, the twin-workshop *Theonyms, Panthea and Syncretisms in Hittite Anatolia and Northern Syria* will start. A joint conference dinner will take place at 20:15.







### Theonyms, Panthea and Syncretisms in Hittite Anatolia and Northern Syria – March 25-26, 2022

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March 25, afternoon

14:45 *Introduction* (Livio Warbinek)

#### Session 1

Chair: Doris Prechel

15:10 Michele Cammarosano (Napoli). Theonyms and Panthea in the Hittite Cult Inventories

15:50 Livio Warbinek (Verona). Panthea & Circles: Methodological Perspectives for the TeAI Project

16:30 Coffee Break

### Session 2

Chair Michele Cammarosano

16:50 Alice Mouton (Paris). Solar Deities in the Kuwattalla Ritual Tradition: Epithets and Functions

17:30 Charles Steitler (Mainz). Solar and Chthonic Deities in ancient Anatolia: Overlap and Contradiction between typological Categories

18:10 Manfred Hutter (Bonn). The Luwian Deity Darawa

20:15 Conference Dinner "Al Bersagliere"







## Theonyms, Panthea and Syncretisms in Hittite Anatolia and Northern Syria – March 25-26, 2022

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March 26, morning

Session 3

Chair: Alfonso Archi

09:00 Stefano de Martino (Torino). Hurrian Theophoric Names in the Documents from the Hittite Kingdom

09:40 Doris Prechel (Mainz). Išhara: One Deity - Many Aspects

10:20 Francesco Barsacchi (Firenze). The Cult of Ištar in Late Hittite Anatolia: disentangling a Complex Religious Development

11:00 Coffee Break

#### Session 4

Chair: Stefano de Martino

- 11:20 Nathan Lovejoy and Alvise Matessi (New York Verona). *The Many Cults of Kubaba: Developmental Trajectories, Local Variations, and Interregional Interactions during the Iron Age*
- 12:00 Rostislav Oreshko (Paris). On the Eastern Trail of Dionysos: Observations on the Balkan-Anatolian term for 'vine(yard)' and the Wine-god Tibariya
- 12:40 Alfonso Archi (Roma). From Göbleki Tepe to Kaneš, Hattuša, and beyond: Towards the Shaping of a God