



SCALES OF
MOVEMENT

IN EARLY
VILLAGE SOCIETIES

WORKSHOP ◇ NOVEMBER 24–25, 2016

THURSDAY, 24

10:00

WELCOME AND OPENING

Wolfram Schier,
Freie Universität Berlin

10:15

Oscar Aldred,
McCord Centre for Landscape,
Newcastle University/Historic
Environment Scotland

**Mobility, communities and the
emergent past**

10:45

Jim Leary,
University of Reading

Those feet in ancient time

11:15 COFFEE AND TEA

11:45

James Snead,
California State University

**Mobility/movement:
Conceptual and empirical
challenges in landscape
archaeology**

12:15 LUNCH BREAK

13:30

Andrea Ricci, Deutsches
Archäologisches Institut, Berlin

**Mobility of late Neolithic
communities in southern
Caucasus and northern
Mesopotamia**

14:00

Agathe Reingruber,
Freie Universität Berlin

**Mobile communities in the
Early Aegean Neolithic**

14:30 COFFEE AND TEA

15:00

Reinhard Bernbeck,
Freie Universität Berlin

Temporal scales of mobility

15:30

Jana Eger,
Freie Universität Berlin

**Preliminary results on isotopic
analysis of bone material from
Aeneolithic Monjukli Depe**

16:00

Julie Daujat,
University of Nottingham
**The rise of a highland way of
life? Views from the animals
of the high Zagros Mountains
(Qale Rostam, Iran)**

Contribution by
Marjan Mashkour, CNRS/Muséum
National d'Histoire Naturelle, Paris

16:30

DISCUSSION

18:30

JOINT DINNER

FRIDAY, 25

9:30

Corina Knipper,
Curt-Engelhorn-Zentrum
Archäometrie gGmbH,
Mannheim

Female exogamy and patrilocality at the transition from Final Neolithic to the Early Bronze Age in Southern Germany

Contributions by

Alissa Mitnik, MPI für
Menschheitsgeschichte, Jena

Ken Massy, Ludwig-Maximilians-
Universität München

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Akademie der Wissenschaften

Stephanie Metz, Heidelberger
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Johannes Krause, MPI für
Menschheitsgeschichte, Jena

Philipp Stockhammer,
Ludwig-Maximilians-
Universität München

10:00

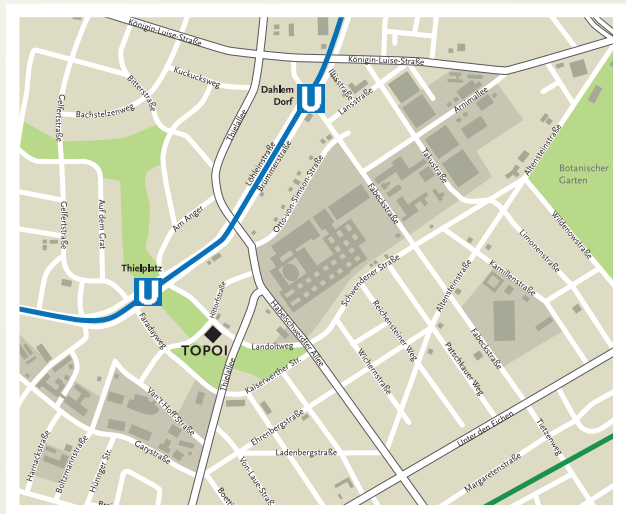
Julia Giblin, Quinnipiac
University Connecticut
**Isotopic patterns of mobility
in Hungarian archaeology:
A review from early village
societies spanning the
Neolithic to the Bronze Age**

10:30 COFFEE AND TEA

11:00

Elke Kaiser,
Freie Universität Berlin
with a Contribution by
Martin Riesenberg,
Freie Universität Berlin
**On mobility in the steppe
North of the Black Sea**

11:30 FINAL DISCUSSION



Venue

Topoi Building Dahlem

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Nowadays, the degrees and diverse forms of mobility practiced in prehistoric societies have become an integral part of archaeological research. Archaeometric methods have been developed, such as isotope and DNA analyses on human and animal bones, that can help to trace spatial movements of past individuals and communities.

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Reinhard Bernbeck

Jana Eger

Ilia Heit

The traces of such movements are being increasingly recognized in the archaeological record as well as included in debates on raw material procurement, trade networks and subsistence strategies.

The aim of the workshop is to place early village communities, regardless of geographical location, more firmly into the discourse on spatial movement. Drawing from multidisciplinary approaches, the program will encompass contributions presenting specific archaeological cases as well as broader theoretical issues on prehistoric mobility.



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