

# CIRCULATION OF GOODS AND TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE IN THE ISLAMIC MEDITERRANEAN: 8th - 11th CENTURY

09.00

Greetings

**Marcella Pisani** (Director of Villa Mondragone - Università degli Studi di Roma Tor Vergata - Dipartimento SPFS)

**Paul Arthur** and **Francesco Carrera** (SAMI - Società degli Archeologi Medievisti Italiani)

Introduction

**Silvia Berrica** (Universidad de Alcalá), **Francesca Colangeli** (Università di Genova - Dipartimento DAFIST)

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**Session 1** - chair: **Alessandra Molinari** (Università degli Studi di Roma Tor Vergata - Dipartimento SPFS)

**09:30 Anna Kelley** (St Andrews University)

*Weavers, merchants, diplomats, spies: the social contexts of textile production and transmission in the early Islamic Mediterranean*

**09:50 Carmen Ting** (Cambridge University)

*The glaze is less opaque on the other side: Revisiting the evidence from the Levantine coast in the beginning of glaze production during the Islamic period*

**10:10 Mahmoud El Said** (Suez Canal University) online

*Complaint of some Merchants from a group of Islands in the Mediterranean Through an Arabic Document from Ayyubid period*

**10:30 Siyana Georgieva** (UniToscana)

*Aspetti meno noti della scultura islamica: le figure modellate in stucco a Khirbat al-Mafjar (VII-VIII s.)*

**10:50** Question Time

**11:00** Coffee break

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**Session 2** - chair: **Viva Sacco** (UCL Institute of Archaeology)

**11:20 Anna Kholomeeva** (The State Institute for Art Studies, the department of Asian and African Studies; Moscow, Russian Federation)

*The first architectural tiles in the Abbasid Caliphate: idea and technology. The Mediterranean case*

**11:40 Louise de Palaminy** (TRACES - UMR 5608, Université Toulouse Jean Jaurès, Maison de la Recherche; GET Géosciences Environnement Toulouse - UMR 5563, Observatoire Midi-Pyrénées)

*New methodological advances in the measurement of lead, iron and copper isotopes in ancient gold for provenance studies: case study of Fatimid dinars from North Africa*

**12:00 Kelsi Kaviani** (UCL Institute of Archaeology), **Corisande Fenwick** (UCL Institute of Archaeology), **Ian Freestone** (UCL Institute of Archaeology),

**Michael Charlton** (UCL Institute of Archaeology), **Barbara Lepri**, **Elizabeth Fentress** (UCL Institute of Archaeology), **Hassan Limane** (INSAP)

*Compositional Investigation of Early Islamic Glass from Walīla, Morocco: New Insights into Technology and Trade*

**12:20 Ana Mateos-Orozco** (Universidad de Sevilla), **Rafael Jiménez-Camino Álvarez** (Municipal Archaeologist of Algeciras)

*Algeciras before and after the Islamic Conquest. A city towards the North of Africa*

**12:40** Question Time

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**12:50 Poster session**

**Cristina Martínez Álvarez** (Szkoła Doktorska Anthropos in the Institute of Archaeology and Ethnology - Polish Academy of Sciences), **Luca Mattei** (Universidad de Granada) online

*Material Culture of a rural Mozarabic community of the early Islamic period in the south of Al-Andalus. The village and ceramics of Tózar (Granada)*

**Carmen Sanchez Castillo** (Universidad del País Vasco) online

*Un primer acercamiento a los patrones comerciales del sureste de la península ibérica durante los siglos XV y XVI*

**Francisco Lara Piñera** (Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia - UNED) online

*Faro de Limanes (Oviedo, Principado de Asturias, España). Methodology applied in the study of a ceramic production center between the XIth and XVIIIth centuries*

**Marina Genna** (Università degli Studi di Roma Tor Vergata)

*Settlement evolution and commercial dynamics of Casale San Pietro (Castronovo di Sicilia) during the Islamic period: the study of the pottery from the fieldwalking surveys*

**Elisa Vagni** (Università degli Studi di Roma Tor Vergata)

*Technological transfer: technologies in transition. Comparing glass and glazed ceramic productions to analyse long-term changes in Sicilian manufacturing (8th to 13th CE)*

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**Roberta Staffieri** (Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna)

*Il Mediterraneo islamico, i Saraceni e l'Alta Valle del Volturno in Molise: circolazione di beni e dinamiche storiche (IX-X secolo)*

**Marina L. Gonzalez** (Universidad de Almería), **Elena Salinas** (Escuela de Estudios Árabes - Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas)

*Los hornos cerámicos de la Córdoba omeya : ¿tradición romana o influencia islámica mediterránea?*

13:30 - Lunch

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**Session 3** - chair: **Joanita Vroom** (Leiden University)

**14:30 Errikos Maniotis** (Masaryk University, Czech Republic) online

*Byzantine-Islamic technological knowledge exchange in Swords Typological and Manufactural Evidence*

**14:50 Ilaria Bandinelli** (Archeologa libera professionista)

*Preliminary data on 8th-11th century pottery from the excavations of the so-called "Asclepius basilica" in Ancient Messene, Peloponnese (Greece)*

**15:10 Osvaldo Gaudio, Enrico Tassone** (Centro Internazionale di Studi Normanno-Svevi)

*Via Malvitana: la presenza araba nella Valle del Crati*

**15:30 Michelangelo Messina** (Università degli Studi di Catania, Dipartimento di Scienze della Formazione)

*Sulle produzioni di ceramica schiarita ed invetriata in Sicilia nell'XI secolo: nuovi dati sulla circolazione di una tecnica artigianale del Mediterraneo islamico*

15:50 Question time

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**Session 4** - chair: **Eduardo Manzano Moreno** (Instituto de Historia - Centro de Ciencias Humanas y Sociales CCHS-CSIC)

**16:10 Álvaro Rodríguez Peinado** (Universidad Complutense de Madrid) online

*Una moneda en crisis: la circulación monetaria del reino visigodo en el siglo VIII*

**16:30 Joan Negre** (RomanIslam Center - Universität Hamburg), **Marta Pérez-Polo** (Universidad de Salamanca), **Ferran Falomir** e **Gustau Aguilera**

(Servei d'Investigacions Arqueològiques i Prehistòriques - Diputació de Castelló) online

*Orientación y modelos constructivos de las mezquitas rurales del Šarq al-Andalus. En torno a la transmisión de conocimientos científicos y tradiciones culturales hacia la periferia de Dār al-Islām*

16:50 Coffee break

**17:10 Elena Salinas** (Escuela de Estudios Árabes - Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas), **Victoria Amorós-Ruiz** (Universidad de Alicante)

*De Córdoba a la costa: Distribución y consumo del vidrioado en al-Andalus en época emiral*

**17:30 Ana C. Cadena-Irizar** (VICARTE, Faculdade de Ciências e Tecnologia, Universidade NOVA de Lisboa, Portugal), **Nadine Schibille** (IRAMAT-CEB,

CNRS/Université d'Orléans, France), and **Marcia Vilarigues** (VICARTE, Faculdade de Ciências e Tecnologia, Universidade NOVA de Lisboa, Portugal)

*Production and Circulation of Glass in two sites in South Portugal dated between the 9th and 13th Century*

**17:50 Miguel Busto Zapico** (Universidad de Granada, Departamento de Historia Medieval y Ciencias y Técnicas Historiográficas)

*CEGRAM: Ceramics and social change between the Nasrid Emirate and the Kingdom of Granada (15th-16th centuries). A multidisciplinary analysis*

Question time

**18:20 Conclusive remarks**

**Roland-Pierre Gayraud** (CIHAM, UMRS 5648, université de Lyon 2)

*The East and the Islamic Mediterranean - Technical contributions*

18:40 Discussion

**Alessandra Molinari, Viva Sacco, Joanita Vroom, Eduardo Manzano Moreno, Nadine Schibille, Roland-Pierre Gayraud, Maria Teresa Casal Garcia** (Universidad Autónoma de Madrid), **Delphine Dixneuf** (CNRS - LA3M, UMR 7298)

Greetings and social dinner

**Comitato scientifico e organizzativo:**

Silvia Berrica e Francesca Colangeli

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