Mediterranean Cities: Antiquity as Future?

20-22 October 2011, Mersin, Turkey

Center for Mediterranean Urban Studies, Mersin University

PROGRAMME

FIRST DAY- 20 October 2011

OPENING CONCERT 9:30-9:45

OPENING SESSION 9:45-10:30

COFFEE BREAK 10:30-10:45

Mediterranean Perspectives SPECIAL SESSION

Moderator: Eyüp Özveren - Middle East

Technical University, Turkey

10:45-12:30

Nicholas Purcell - University of Oxford, England

"Unstable Cities"

Philip Mansel - Historian, Author, England "Levantine Cities- The Past for the Future?"

Cengiz Bektaş - Architect, Turkey

"The Future of Mersin"

LUNCH 12:30-13:30

2. SESSION Archaeology and the Mediterranean

World

Moderator: Serra Durugönül - Mersin University,

Turkey

13:30-15:15

Mehmet Özdoğan - Istanbul University, Turkey

"The Mediterranean as a Supra-Regional Interaction Sphere during Late Prehistory

Problems and Prospects"

Numan Tuna-Burak Belge - Middle East

Technical University, Turkey

"The Baseline Studies and Assessment for Urban Archaeological Resources of the Historic City of Antakya"

Burcu Ceylan - Erciyes University, Turkey "City versus Village; Rural and Urban Settlements of Rough Cilicia during Late Antiquity"

Radia Benziada, Naima Hadj Mohamed, Abdelmadjid Hamouine - University of Béchar, Algeria

"The Casbah of Algiers, What Fate?"

COFFEE BREAK

15:15-15:30

3. SESSION

Human Material at Work: Communities and Merchant Families in Daily Life Moderator: Tamer Gök - Mersin University,

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15:30-17:30

Esma Durugönül - Akdeniz University, Turkey "Slave Trade as Forced Migration and Its Consequences – The Afro-Turks in the Antalya Region"

Nükhet Adıyeke - Historian, Turkey "Exiled to the Mediterranean"

Nuri Adıyeke - Dokuz Eylul University, Turkey "A Mediterranean Paradox: Open Life-Isolated Life"

Aslı Emine Çomu - Çukurova University, Turkey "Migrants in Mersin 1923-1930"

Emrah Yıldız - Mersin University, Turkey "The Epidemic Diseases in Mersin in Light of the Archive Documents"

SECOND DAY – 21 October 2011

4. SESSION

Networks and Routes of Faith and/or Commerce

Moderator: Nükhet Adıyeke - Historian, Turkey

09:00-10:45

Rinaldo Marmara - Independent Researcher, Author, France

"Capuchin in Anatolia and Mersin"

Selim Kapur - Çukurova University, Turkey "Anthroscapes: Inherited Land Management of Past for Sustainable Future"

Oya Pancaroğlu - Boğaziçi University, Turkey "Visible/Invisible: Sanctity, History and Topography in Tarsus"

Billur Tekkök - Başkent University, Turkey "Trade in the Aegean and Mediterranean, the Use of Maritime Route in Kaş Region"

COFFEE BREAK

10:45-11:00

5. SESSION

Architectural Diversity and the Built Environment of the Future

Moderator: **Süha Özkan -** Middle East Technical University, Turkey

11:00-12:30

Said Mouline – Architect, Planner, Morocco "*Tetuan, the Andalusian City*"

Esra Şahin Burat - Mersin University, Turkey "The Ancient Horizons of the Contemporary Architecture: 'Form' or 'Force'?'"

Houda Lichiheb, Karim Bouaita, Mounir Dhouib - National School of Architecture and Urbanism of Tunis, Tunisia "Virtual and Cognitive Reconstruction of Roman Imperial Baths in Tunisia"

LUNCH

12:30-13:30

PANEL

Local Voices

Moderator: Filiz Yenişehirlioğlu - Başkent

University, Turkey

13:30-15:00

THE BAND CONCERT

15:00-15:30

THIRD DAY – 22 October 2011

CITY TOUR

Tarsus