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***Arslantepe 2023: past, present and future of a new Unesco World Heritage Site.***

***62 years of Sapienza's archaeological research in South-eastern Türkiye***

***Arslantepe 2023: Yeni bir Unesco Dünya Mirası Alanının geçmişi, bugünü ve geleceği.***

***Sapienza'nın Türkiye'nin güneydoğusundaki 62 yıllık arkeolojik araştırmaları***

Thursday 9 February 2023

Roma, Sapienza University, Faculty of Letters and Philosophy,  
Odeion - 9:30-17:00

## PROGRAM

**9:30** welcome

**10:00** Introductory greetings

Chair: Prof. Lucia Mori

Dean of Faculty of Letters, Prof. Arianna Punzi

Director of the Department of Antiquities, Prof. Giorgio Piras

Ambassador of Türkiye in Italy, Amb. Ömer Gücük

General Director of Cultural Heritage and Museums, Türkiye, Gökhan Yazgı

First Counsellor, Head of Office VI – Multilateral cultural cooperation, archaeological missions,  
Paolo Andrea Bartorelli

Representative of the section of archaeological excavations of the General Directorate of Cultural  
Heritage and Museums of Türkiye, Ümüt Gorgulu

Representative of UNESCO office of the General Directorate of Cultural Heritage and Museums of  
Türkiye, Uğur Işık

Director of the Office for Culture and Information of the Embassy of Türkiye, Haluk Söner

Mayor of the Metropolitan city of Malatya, Selahattin Gurkan

Director of Culture, Malatya Region, İl Kültür Müdürü, Çetin Şişman

Rector of the İnönü University of Malatya, Prof. Ahmet Kızılay

Fondazione Sapienza, Presidente, Prof. Eugenio Gaudio

Sapienza Università di Roma, Rector, Prof. Antonella Polimeni

**12:15** Photographic exhibition and multimedia installation in the entrance of the faculty of  
letters and philosophy

**LUNCH 13-14**

## 14:00 Scientific presentations

Chair: Prof. Gian Maria di Nocera

### 14:15 – 15:00 Marcella Frangipane (**Sapienza University**)

Arslantepe: Una ricerca lunga 60 anni. Portare in luce, preservare e condividere una nuova e significativa parte della nostra storia riconosciuta dall'UNESCO  
(*Arslantepe: A sixty-year long research. Uncovering, preserving, and sharing a prominent new part of our history recognised by UNESCO*)

### 15:00-15:20 Francesca Balossi Restelli (**Sapienza University**)

Arslantepe oggi. Una grande eredità da mantenere e una ricerca da proseguire  
(*Arslantepe today. A great legacy to maintain and research to pursue*)

### 15:20 – 15:40 Mehmet Özdoğan (Emeritus Prof. Dr. **Istanbul University**)

Anadolu'ya özgü kent kurgusunun tanımlanmasına Arslantepe kazılarının katkısı  
(*Contextualizing Arslantepe in understanding the emergence of Anatolian town model*)

## Coffee Break 15:40-16.00

### 16:00 – 16:20 Zeynep Eres (**Istanbul Technical University**)

Arslantepe'nin UNESCO Dünya Mirası Listesine Girmesinde bir Etken Olarak Koruma Yaklaşımı ve Uygulamaların Önemi  
(*The Role of preservation and implementation approaches of Arslantepe in being accepted to the UNESCO World Heritage List*)

### 16:20 – 16:40 Barbara Helwing (**Vorderasiatisches Museum / Museum of the Ancient Near East, Berlin**)

Pathways to the early State: Arslantepe in the highlands of Eastern Anatolia

### 16:40 – 17:00 Clelia Mora (**Pavia University**)

Malatya nell'età del Ferro: un centro cruciale nell'ambiente "culturale" siro-anatolico  
(*Iron Age Malatya: A crucial center in the Syro-Anatolian "cultural" landscape*)

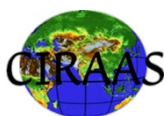
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