

EINLADUNG ZUM VORTRAG

EGYPT IN THE LEVANT DURING THE THIRD MILLENNIUM BC

TRADE, POLITICS, AND CHRONOLOGY

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A significant opportunity has emerged to re-characterise societal change in the eastern Mediterranean during the Early Bronze Age (EBA II–IV, c. 3100 BC–2000 BC). Re-assessments of archaeological evidence and new radiocarbon data from both Egypt and the Levant has exposed the need for a transformation of traditional constructions of international relations and the dynamics behind the decline of urban entities.

As a major state actor, Egypt managed foreign engagement and commodity exchange for a long period over a wide area. This presentation examines a number of issues and challenges posed by recent chronological and archaeological developments for our understanding of the ebb, flow and impact of Egypt's relations with its northeastern neighbours.

Im Anschluss an den Vortrag bitten wir zu einem Glas Wein.

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