

# Amphoras and the Archaeology of Ancient Economies: Mobilizing Knowledge in a New Generation

November 13-14, 2024

*German Archaeological Institute (Consulate General of the Federal Republic of Germany)  
Istanbul, Turkey*

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## Day 1: Wednesday (November 13)

### WELCOME

8:30 Welcoming remarks from local sponsors and the Organizing Committee

### Session 1 | Turkey and the Levant | Moderator: John Lund

9:00-9:45 **Erkan Dündar** *Akdeniz University* – Amphorae and their contexts in southern Asia  
Minor: Evidence from Patara during the Macedonian Wars of Succession

9:45-10:05 **Maximilian Rönneberg** *University of Freiburg* – The Distribution of Eastern Greek  
Amphorae of the 7th–5th c. BCE in the Levant (ONLINE)

10:05-10:25 **Patrick Monsieur** *Ghent University* – Hellenistic, Roman Republican and Imperial  
amphorae in Pessinous

10:25-10:45 **Amany Shabaan** *Egyptian Ministry of Tourism and Antiquities* – Ptolemaic Amphorae  
dump from Canopus on the Eastern Coast of Alexandria

10:45-11:05 **Dilayla Yağmur Ulusoy** *Istanbul University* – Commercial Amphorae Found in the  
Pamphylia Region

**Break until 11:30**

### Session 2 | Miletus and Caria | Moderator: Erkan Dündar

11:30-12:15 **Iulian Bîrzescu** – Not only for trade. Archaic transport amphorae production for  
the Aphrodite sanctuary in Miletus

12:15-12:35 **Sabine Huy** *Christian-Albrechts-Universität Kiel* – Amphora shapes between formal  
institutions and social practices – Miletus as part of the Mushroom rim-type  
community

12:35-12:55 **Marion Menzel** and **Alessandro Naso** *DAI Rome* and *University of Naples Federico II*  
– Archaic amphoras from Miletus: archaeometric researches

12:55-13:15 **Bekir Özer** *Muğla Sıtkı Koçman University* – The Archaic Amphorae of Caria:  
Production, Types, Trade, Distribution

13:15-13:35 **Celil Samet Harmandar** – Contradictions regarding the Amphora Production of  
Cnidus in the Archaic Period

### Lunch Break until 15:30

#### Session 3 | The Aegean and Asia Minor | Moderator: Kostas Filis

- 15:30-15:50 **Emre Okan** *Düzce University* – An Overview of Phokaia's Archaic, Classical and Hellenistic Trade in the Light of Amphorae
- 15:50-16:10 **Evren Açar** *Kabramanmaraş Sütcü İmam University* – Antandros Büyük ve Küçük Boyutlu Lesbos Amphora Mezarları
- 16:10-16:30 **John Lund** *The National Museum of Denmark* – A kiln site in Southern Rhodes producing Rhodian amphorae
- 16:30-16:50 **Fani Seroglou** *Hellenic Ministry of Culture, Ephorate of Antiquities of Dodecanese* – Two new ceramic kilns and the production of amphoras on the island of Kos
- 16:50-17:10 **Stavroula Vrachionidou** *Hellenic Ministry of Culture, Ephorate of Underwater Antiquities* – Local or regional? The example of Letsaina workshop at the outskirts of the city of Chios (NE Greece)

### Break until 17:30

#### Session 4 | Overland Shipping | Moderator: Berslan Korkut

- 17:30-17:50 **Mark Lawall** *University of Manitoba* – Overland shipping despite the costs: Comparing case studies from Sardis and Gordion
- 17:50-18:10 **Hüseyin Erpehlivan** *Bilecik Şeyh Edebali University* – Greek wine vs. local beverages: Analyses of the pottery from the Hellespontine Phrygia and northwestern Phrygian highlands
- 18:10-18:30 **Oğuzhan İleri** *Karadeniz Technical University* – An Analysis of the Commercial Amphoras Found in the Inland Anatolia in the Hellenistic Period and Their Distribution

### Break until 19:00

- 19:00-19:20 **Sabine Huy** *Christian-Albrechts-Universität Kiel* – How to organize overland trade in the Eurasian steppes? A case study from the Don river basin
- 19:20- 19:40 **Federico Quintarelli** *Università degli Studi di Padova* – From the Sea to the Mountains: Analysis of the Circulation of Eastern Mediterranean Amphorae along the Alpine Valleys between the Late Republic and the Augustan Era

## Day 2: Thursday November 14

### Session 5 | Amphora trade in the Black Sea | Moderator: Sabine Huy

- 9:00-9:45 **Chavdar Tzochev** *National & Kapodistrian University of Athens* - Black Sea markets and the purpose of amphora stamps (ONLINE)
- 9:45-10:05 **Kostas Filis** *Hellenic Ministry of Culture* - Ephorate of Antiquities of Chalcidice and Mount Athos – Akanthos: a major amphoras production center and the connection with the Black Sea markets
- 10:05-10:25 **Stanislav Zadnikov** *Museum of Archaeology of V.N. Karazin Kharkiv National University* – A new complex of Greek ceramics from the beginning of the 6th century B.C. from the excavations of Bilsk hillfort (Ukraine) (ONLINE)
- 10:25-10:45 **Stamatis Fritzilas** *Academy of Athens* – Axe and double cornucopia on Rhodian stamped amphora handles of the fabricant Menothemis in the eastern Mediterranean and in the Black Sea region
- 10:45-11:05 **Hristomir Hristov** *Archaeological Museum Frankfurt* – Greek Transport Amphorae in Thracian Tumuli - Evidence for Trade and Cultural Contacts in Classical and Hellenistic Times

**Break until 11:30**

### Session 6 | New Analytical Methods | Moderator: Mark Lawall

- 11:30-12:15 **Berslan Korkut** *Koç University* – Amphoras in Need of Change? Observations and Thoughts on Current Trends and Future Directions
- 12:15-12:35 **Ahmet Oğuzhan Karaçetin** *Ege University*– Are GIS Analyses Sufficient for Detecting Wine Production Areas and Calculating Production Quantities?
- 12:35-12:55 **Fenfang Donn** *The City University of New York* – Standardization and Institutions: loopholes and gamers from the perspective of amphorae volumes

**Lunch Break until 15:00**

- 15:00-15:20 **Savannah Bishop** *Koç University* – Roman Republican Amphorae from the Minori Villa Romana Maritima: New Insights from a Legacy Collection
- 15:20-15:40 **Erica Ventura** *University of Michigan* – Bottling Success: Economic and Social Networks of Amphora Production in Central Crete

**Break until 16:10**

## Session 7 | The Adriatic | Moderator: Iulian Bîrzescu

- 16:10-16:30 **Rita Auriemma** and **Carlo De Mitri** *Università del Salento* and *Università del Molise* – Commercial trends between circulation and redistribution of amphorae: the Ionian-Adriatic basin between Archaic age to the early Roman period
- 16:30-16:50 **Maria Vittoria Riccomini** *Università di Pisa* – Pisa “city of trade”: a commercial and cultural phenomenon through transport amphoras (late 7th-mid 5th century BCE)
- 16:50-17:10 **Vincenzo Baldoni** and **Mariagrazia Divincenzo** *Università di Bologna* – Greek transport amphoras from Picenum: New data from Quagliotti-Davanzali necropolis (Numana-Sirolo, Italy)

## DISCUSSION

- 17:10-17:30 Discussion and Closing Remarks

## Keynote Lecture

- 18:00 **Gonca Cankardeş-Şenol** *Ege University* – Recent Amphora Studies in Türkiye/Anatolia

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