

**WEDNESDAY 27.02.2019****DEFINING RARE DISEASES.****THE OSTEOARCHAEOLOGICAL EVIDENCE OF RARE DISEASES:  
IDENTIFICATION AND METHODOLOGICAL ISSUES.****8.30 Registration and poster allocation****9.00 Welcome speech**

N. Benecke, Head of Dept. of Natural Sciences DAI Berlin

**9.15 Introduction to the meeting**

J. Gresky, Dept. of Natural Sciences DAI Berlin

**9.30 1<sup>st</sup> Keynote lecture: Thinking about rare diseases**

J. Buikstra *et al.*, Arizona State University

**10.00 Osteoarchaeological identification of rare diseases from the osteological collection of the Croatian Academy of Sciences and Arts**

M. Šlaus, Croatian Academy of Sciences and Arts, Zagreb

**10.20 Multiple osteochondromas: current understanding and ideas for the future**

E. Murphy - C. McKenzie, Queen's University Belfast

**10.40 Upper Palaeolithic case of deformed femora of Sunghir 3 in context of paleogenetic data**

A. Buzhilova, Lomonosov Moscow State University

**11.00 - 11.30 Coffee break****11.30 A global perspective on dwarfism - literature review**

B. Teßmann, Museum für Vor- und Frühgeschichte, Berlin SMPK

**11.50 Dwarfism in predynastic and early dynastic Egypt: new evidences from the elite cemetery HK 6, Hierakonpolis**

A. Pieri, Hierakonpolis Expedition

**12.10 "The giant among them": a possible case of pituitary gigantism from the Roman cemetery of En Chaplix, Aventicum, Switzerland (1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> c. AD)**

C. Bourbou - M. Milella, University of Fribourg

**12.30 - 14.00 Lunch break**

**14.10 Enlarged parietal foramina in the osteoarchaeological records of the Carpathian Basin**

Z. Bereczki *et al.*, University of Szeged

**14.30 Isolated or respected? Severe craniofacial cleft from the 10<sup>th</sup> c. AD in Hungary**

E. Molnar *et al.*, University of Szeged

**14.50 A case of sclerosing bone dysplasia from 16<sup>th</sup> c. Sardinia: Camurati-Engelmann disease?**

V. Giuffra *et al.*, University of Pisa

**15.10 Sclerosing bone dysplasias and the ossification pathway: differential diagnosis of a diffuse sclerosis in a skull of an identified male (early 20<sup>th</sup> c. Coimbra, Portugal)**

B. Magalhães *et al.*, University of Coimbra

**15.30 Deep in the marrow and blood: a probable case of ancient leukemia in the South American Andes**

M. Toyne - C. Schow, University of Central Florida

**15.50 - 16.20 Coffee break****16.20 - 17.00 Poster session. Presentations: no. 1 to 12****17.00 Special talk Archäometrie Netzwerk Berlin Brandenburg**

*Rare pathologies in deep time - a fresh look at bones of fossil animals*

Y. Haridy - F. Witzmann, Museum of Natural History, Berlin

**From 19.00** Social dinner at Wirtshaus Heuberger

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**THURSDAY 28.02.2019****MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC AND PALEOPATHOLOGY.****RARE DISEASES YESTERDAY AND TODAY:****DIAGNOSTIC TOOLS, PALEOGENETICS AND HISTORY OF RARE DISEASES.****9.00 Welcome speech to the Rare Disease Day**

A. Rath, Director of Orphanet

**9.30 2<sup>nd</sup> Keynote lecture: NGS-based analysis of rare skeleton phenotypes**

U. Kornak, Charité Berlin

**10.00 A fetus with multiple abnormalities born in 1735**

S. Clayton *et al.*, Max Planck Institute, Jena

**10.20 Beyond the phenotype: detecting disease with aDNA**

L. Cassidy - D. Bradley, Trinity College Dublin

**10.40 A parental relationship between three Neolithic skeletal remains from an Apulian town (Italy): a case of family-celiac disease with high-grade osteoporosis**

D. Ferorelli *et al.*, University of Bari

**11.00 - 11.30 Coffee break**

**11.30 MRI: a new powerful tool in paleopathological differential diagnosis**

M. Čavka, University Hospital Centre, Zagreb

**11.50 In silico paleopathology: virtual and quantitative approaches for the analysis of developmental anomalies of the skeleton**

M. Milella, University of Zurich

**12.10 Osteopetrosis tarda in an adult Neolithic skeleton from Palata 2-Ofanto river valley (Canosa - South, Italy): radiological, histological and confocal laser microscopy study**

M. Favia *et al.*, University of Bari

**12.30 - 14.00 Lunch break**

**14.10 Skeletal manifestations of Langerhans Cell Histiocytosis on a 1964 documented case**

M. Voulgari *et al.*, University of Athens

**14.30 A possible case of Histiocytosis-X and the differential diagnoses in macerated bone specimens**

M. Schultz, University of Göttingen

**14.50 Can Duchenne muscular dystrophy be a marker for the care given to disabled children in the past?**

S. Eggers - M. Berner, Natural History Museum, Vienna

**15.10 A probable case of Amelogenesis Imperfecta from a Northern Italy Medieval cemetery**

C. Tesi *et al.*, University of Insubria

**15.50 "Medicinalium Observationum Exempla Rara" by Rembert Dodoens (1581)**

M. Dooms, University Hospitals Leuven

**15.50 - 16.20 Coffee break****16.20 - 17.00 Poster session. Presentations: no. 13 to 23**

**17.00 Rare diseases and where to find them.**

*Towards a Digital Atlas of Ancient Rare Diseases*

W. Schmidle *et al.*, IT Dept. DAI Berlin

**18.00 Late-evening talk (Foyer)**

*Ancient Rare Diseases: an obscure part of our past, present and future?*

A. Grauer, Loyola University Chicago

President-elect of the American Association of Physical Anthropologists

N. Lynnerup, University of Copenhagen

President of the Paleopathology Association

A. Curry

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**FRIDAY 01.03.2019****COMMUNICATION, MEDIA, ETHICS.****FROM LABS TO MUSEUMS AND LARGE PUBLIC:****ACCESSING, UNDERSTANDING, TALKING ABOUT RARE DISEASES.**

**9.00 3<sup>rd</sup> Keynote lecture: Specimen collections and museums: using the past to inform the present and the future**

W. Edwards, Gordon Museum, Kings College London

**09.30 The anthropological collection of the Natural History Museum, Vienna. A potential for studying rare diseases**

M. Berner - S. Eggers, Natural History Museum, Vienna

**09.50 Approach to the formation of paleopathological collections in Russia yesterday and today**

N. Berezina - A. Buzhilova, Lomonosov Moscow State University

**10.10 - 10.40 Coffee break**

**10.40 Two women (18<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> c.) with short stature: the challenge of the differential diagnosis**

A. Santos *et al.*, University of Coimbra

**11.00 Evidence for rare diseases in ancient Egyptian mummies and skeletons**

A. Zink *et al.*, EURAC Research Bolzano

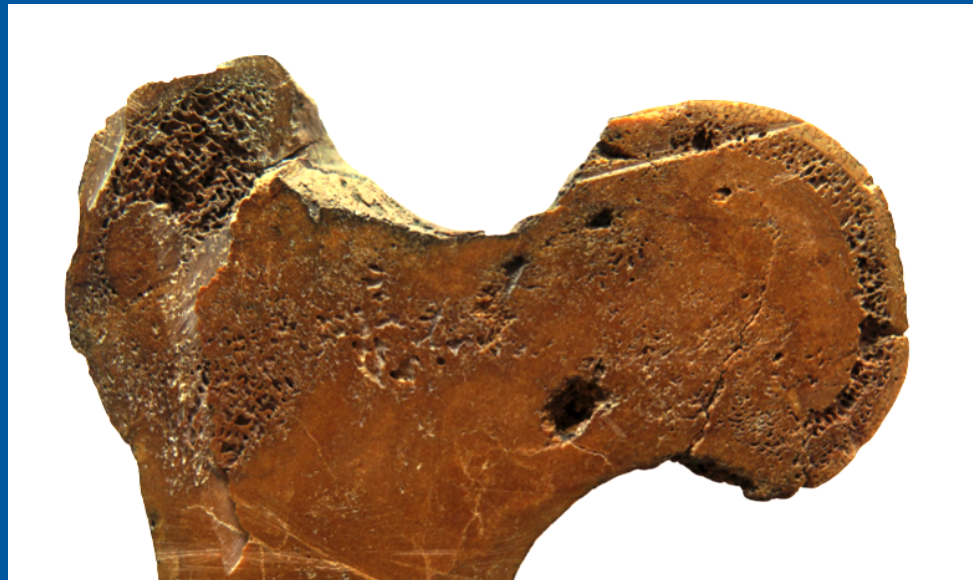
**11.20 Selected cases of congenital malformations and pathologies in a historical wet-specimen collection**

P. Eppenberger, University of Zurich

**11.40 - 12.00 Closing remarks**

J. Gresky, Dept. of Natural Sciences DAI Berlin

1. *Achondroplasia in the ancient world*  
J. Bąk, University of Wrocław
2. *A case of achondroplasia? The child from Diepensee (Brandenburg, Germany)*  
B. Jungklaus - L. Zamstein, Anthropologie - Büro Jungklaus
3. *Genetic detection of achondroplasia in historical skeletal material*  
M. Rusinko *et al.*, Masaryk University, Brno
4. *A possible case of dwarfism in Late Copper Age Italy*  
N. Zedda *et al.*, University of Ferrara
5. *Klippel-Feil syndrome, description of the rare disease by the example of the case report of the skeleton from Wągrowiec (Poland, 14<sup>th</sup>–17<sup>th</sup> c.)*  
B. Drupka *et al.*, University of Wrocław
6. *A probable case of Klippel-Feil syndrome in a Neolithic skeleton from Apulia: radiological and histological analysis with confocal laser microscopy*  
M. Favia - D. Ferorelli, University of Bari
7. *A Neolithic individual with possible Klippel-Feil syndrome and his place in community*  
Z. Hukel'ová - M. Krošl'áková, Slovak Academy of Sciences
8. *A possible case of Crouzon syndrome from Modern-Age Siena (Italy)*  
Giuffra V. *et al.*, University of Pisa
9. *Syndromic bilateral lambdoid and sagittal synostosis (Mercedes Benz pattern craniosynostosis) in a Modern-Age skeleton from Ravenna, Italy: a rare case of Crouzon syndrome?*  
N. Rinaldo *et al.*, University of Ferrara
10. *Syndromic craniosynostosis and Fibroblast Growth Factor Receptors (FGFRs) mutations: Towards differential diagnosis in past populations through skeletal and genetic alterations*  
S. Zdrál - M. J. Trujillo-Tiebas, Autonomous University of Madrid
11. *Bilateral protrusio acetabuli in a Medieval skeleton from Transylvania: A Case for Marfan Syndrome*  
K. L. Filipek *et al.*, Transylvania Bioarchaeology
12. *Reconsidering Osteopetrosis: a case from Neolithic Albania*  
J. Gresky - E. Petiti, DAI Berlin
13. *A rare case of Angelman syndrome from the 17<sup>th</sup> c. cemetery of Ravenna (Italy)*  
A. Pasini *et al.*, University of Ferrara
14. *A possible genetic defect in a young female from Waimanalo, Hawaii -work in progress*  
S. Storch - B. Heeb, abp - Anthropologie
15. *Spotted bones in Buschke-Ollendorf syndrome: a rare and benign disease with clinical significance*  
S. Zdrál *et al.*, Autonomous University of Madrid
16. *Case study of rare genetic disorders in children of Medieval and Early - Modern Kiev*  
A. Kozak, Institute of Archaeology Kiev
17. *Bilateral dysmelia of humerus, ulna and radius and unilateral hypoplasia of the mandible in an Early Medieval skeleton.*  
C. Meyer - K. W. Alt, OsteoARC
18. *Dysplasia of the lower arm in a female from the Merovingian Period in Central Germany*  
J. Nováček, TLDA Weimar
19. *Unusual congenital pathological disorder from the church El-Salvador (16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> c., Toledo, Spain)*  
N. Sarkic *et al.*, independent
20. *Development anomalies of the vertebral column in Portuguese prehistoric samples*  
A. M. Silva - S. Tereso, CIAS, University of Coimbra
21. *Hereditary haemorrhagic telangiectasia (HHT) – a rare genetic disorder as a possible cause of chronic iron deficiency anaemia*  
J. Nováček *et al.*, TLDA Weimar
22. *Could some osseous lesions be predictive of genetic anemia? Discussion about skeletal markers of beta thalassemia in archaeological human remains*  
F. Scianò *et al.*, University of Ferrara



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