







Paleolithic Seminar

Program 2017-18

A joint initiative of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens and the University of Crete (Departments of History and Archaeology), the Palaeolithic Seminar aims to bring Palaeolithic Archaeology closer to its specialist and wider audience. It aspires to become a forum where the results of recent work in the field and the latest theoretical trends within the discipline are presented and discussed.

November 9th 2017

Ian Watts, PhD University College London, independent researcher

Red ochre use and Homo sapiens speciation: a southern African perspective

December 12th 2017

Chronis Tzedakis, professor, University College London

Unlocking the mysteries of the Ice Age

January 16th 2018

John Gowlett, professor, University of Liverpool

Fire and humanity: the greatest discovery after language

February 22nd 2018

Leore Grosman, professor, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

The Natufian culture: the harbinger of food-producing societies

March 28th 2018

Marco Peresani, assoc. professor, University of Ferrara

Exploring the Middle/Upper Palaeolithic transition in southern Europe: a View from the north of Italy

April 23rd 2018

Nena Galanidou, assoc. professor, University of Crete

Neandertals in the Ionian Sea

May 10th 2018

Maria Rita Palombo, professor, University La Sapienza Rome &

Dr. Eugenio Cerilli, Muzeo Nationale Romano e l'Area Archeologica di Roma

Hominins and Elephants in the Pleistocene: a Lesson from the Mediterranean



"I. Drakopoulos" amphitheatre University of Athens central building, 30 Panepistimiou av. 19.00, admission free

