



## WEBINAR SERIES (SPRING-SUMMER 2022)

### *Biodiversity in the Ancient Near East. Toward an Interdisciplinary Approach to the Interactions between Living Organisms*



**Thursday 17 March 2022, 3pm - 4pm (UTC+1 CET)**  
Anticipated environments and/as sociocultural resources in  
Greco-Roman antiquity  
**CHRISTOPHER SCHLIEPHAKE**, University of Augsburg

**Wednesday 20 April 2022, 3pm - 4pm (UTC+1 CET)**  
Biocultural diversity of hard-shell fruit species across Eurasia: *Juglans regia* (L)  
and *Castanea sativa* (Mill.)  
**PAOLA POLLEGIONI**, Institute of Agro-environmental and Forest Biology - CNR

**Thursday 28 April 2022, 3pm - 4pm (UTC+1 CET)**  
The ecology of the date-palm: A case study from Mesopotamian sources  
**LORENZO VERDERAME**, 'Sapienza' University of Rome

**Friday 13 May 2022, 5pm - 6pm (UTC+1 CET)**  
Biodiversity at Gordion: From the Past to the Future  
**NAOMI MILLER**, Penn Museum

**Thursday 26 May 2022, 3pm - 4pm (UTC+1 CET)**  
How far? New perspective on pastoral transhumance in the ancient Near  
East between history and archaeozoology  
**LUCIA MORI**, 'Sapienza' University of Rome

**Monday 13 June 2022, 3pm - 4pm (UTC+1 CET)**  
Biodiversity and culture: Intersections and disconnections at the  
human-environment interface  
**SILVANA DI PAOLO**, Institute of Heritage Sciences - CNR

**Thursday 23 June 2022, 3pm - 4pm (UTC+1 CET)**  
Not only palms and 'trees of life': The role of arboreal imagery in  
Mesopotamian mythology  
**GIOELE ZISA**, University of Palermo

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