

2018 HMS AGM and BM Joint Conference

What's Mined is Yours: Making the most of our Metallurgical Heritage

16th June 2018

Stevenson Lecture Theatre, British Museum

9:00-10:00 *Registration & Tea/Coffee*

10:00-10:05 Conference opens – Loïc Boscher & Aude Mongiatti

| Session 1 – Archaeometallurgical studies | | |
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| 10:05-10:30 | Sophia Adams | The place and space of non-ferrous metalworking in later prehistoric Britain and Ireland |
| 10:30-10:55 | Ignacio Montero-Ruiz , Neil Wilkin, Duncan Hook, Aude Mongiatti and Mercedes Murillo-Barroso | Early metals from the Siret's Collection in the British Museum |
| 10:55-11:20 | Mark Cavanagh , Dafna Langgut and Erez Ben-Yosef | Environment as a limiting factor: the challenge of copper production in the Timna Valley |
| 11:20-11:45 | Mélissa Cadet , Thomas Oliver Pryce, Philippe Dillman, Nigel Chang and Viengkeo Souksavatdy | Recent advances for the technological reconstruction of prehistoric copper production at the Vilabouly Complex, Central Laos (c. 1000 BC to c. 500 AD) |
| 11:45-12:10 | Rahil Alipour and Thilo Rehren | Crucibles, chronicles and chromite: Chahak tradition of crucible steel production |

12:10-13:30 Lunch

13:30-14:15 HMS AGM

| Session 2 Preservation and display | | |
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| 14:15-14:40 | Emma Wager and Barbara Ottaway | Minimal vs optimal preservation: two case studies of Bronze Age ore processing sites |
| 14:40-15:05 | Joanna Olchawa | Hildesheim's bronze and brass objects from the middle ages as metallurgical heritage |
| 15:05-15:30 | Jill Saunders and Stavroula Golfomitsou | Cleaning complexities: motivations, outcomes and professional perceptions |

Tea break 15:30-15:50

| Session 3 Public engagement | | |
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| 15:50-16:15 | Bastian Asmus | Ushering in the age of applied archaeometallurgy |
| 16:15-16:40 | Harold Mytum | Reflections on community survey and excavation at the Satterthwaite medieval iron bloomery site, Lake District |
| 16:40-17:00 | Tim Young | Closing remarks |