The Annual Yohanan Aharoni Day 2021

The Forces that Shaped Jerusalem: Earth, Faith and People

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March 4th, 2021 | 14:00–19:30

Gilman Building Hall 223 and Live on Zoom and Facebook

13:15 Gathering

13:45 Greetings and Awarding of Scholarships

14:00 Session I: Landscape and Environment
  Opening Remarks | Helena Roth
  The Cultural Impact on the Natural Vegetation of Jerusalem and Its Environors | Dafna Langgut
  Like a Cave over Holy Waters: Cultic Practices Surrounding Jerusalem’s Spring Waters | Joe Uziel
  “Though I Walk through the Valley of the Shadow of Death”: Mobility and Memory along the Tyropoeon Valley Before and After 70 CE | Nahshon Szanton
  “Ashes to Ashes, Dust to Dust”: Sacred Soil from Jerusalem to Cemeteries and the Transfer of Sanctity to Europe | Neta Bodner
  Discussant | Yuval Portugali

15:35 Coffee Break

16:05 Session II: Faith and Religion
  Opening Remarks | Nitsan Shalom
  Cult in Neolithic Moẓa and Early Religion in the Environs of Jerusalem | Hamoudi Khalaily
  A Northern Example for the Temple in Jerusalem? ‘Ain Dara and the Religious Architecture of the Northern Levant | Mirko Novák
  Holier than Thou? The Iron Age Moza Temples as a Case Study for the Development of Religious Centers in the Jerusalem Environors | Shua Kisilevitz
  “Their Speech Differs, but Their Religion is One”: Byzantine Jerusalem as a Cosmopolis | Yana Tchekhanovets
  Discussant | Dalit Rom-Shiloni

17:40 Coffee Break

18:00 Session III: The Charismatic Individual
  Opening Remarks | Guy Stiebel
  Reclaiming Manasseh—The Creation of Greater Jerusalem | Yuval Gadot
  Reclaiming “Hasmonean” Jerusalem: The Role of Alexander Jannaeus in Shaping the Capital City | Tehillah Lieberman
  Between Politics and Faith—Juvenal, Eudocia and the Building Environment of Jerusalem in the 5th Century CE | Jacob (Yaki) Ashkenazi
  The Making of a Medieval City: The Mamluk Amir Tankiz al-Nasiri and His Business Vision for Jerusalem | Bethany Walker
  Discussant | Thomas E. Levy
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