

## 3rd Colloquium

# “Slovenian-Egyptian Heritage Science Platform – SloveNile III”

Friday, 25th October 2024

Faculty of Humanities, University of Primorska, Koper, Slovenia  
Titov trg 5, 6000 Koper

**09.30-10.00** **Press Conference (Senate Room /soba senata UP)**  
(Prof. Dr. Irena Lazar, Prof. Dr. Mohamed Daa Zain El-Abedeem, Prof. Dr. Gina El-Feky, Prof. Dr. Mamdouh Eldamaty, Prof. Dr. Abdelrazek Elnaggar)

**10.00 - 17.00** **3rd Colloquium**  
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**Lecture Room Burja 1, UP FHŠ**

**10.00 - 10.45** **Welcome addresses** (3 mins each):

- **Prof. Dr. Irena Lazar**, Dean of the Faculty of Humanities, University of Primorska, Slovenia.
- **H.E. Ms. Nahla Elzawahry**, Ambassador of Egypt in Slovenia
- **Vice Rector**, University of Primorska, Slovenia
- **Prof. Dr. Mohamed Daa Zain El-Abedeem**, President of Ain Shams University, Egypt
- **Mr. Gašper Hrastelj**, Director and Secretary General of Slovenia National Commission for UNESCO
- **Prof. Dr. Gina El-Feky**, President of Egypt Academy of Science and Technology, ASRT, Egypt.
- **Prof. Dr. Mamdouh Eldamaty**, Professor of Egyptology, Faculty of Archaeology, Ain Shams University; former Minister of Antiquities, Egypt.
- **Dr. Marko Frelj**, Curator in charge for African and American collections, Slovene Ethnographic Museum; co-coordinator of the Slovenian-Egyptian Heritage Science Platform.
- **Prof. Dr. Matija Strlič**, Chairman of the Steering Committee of E-RIHS Slovenia.

### Research-enabling institutions - short Talks (5 mins each):

- **Prof. Dr. Irena Lazar**, Head of the UNESCO Chair, University of Primorska, Slovenia.
- **Prof. Dr. Gina El-Fiky**, President of the Academy of Scientific Research and Technology (ASRT), Egypt
- **Prof. Dr. Matija Strlič**, Chairman of the Steering Committee of E-RIHS Slovenia

**10.45 - 11.15** **Coffee Break**

**11.15 - 12.30** **Session 1: Collaboration on Research & Education** (Moderator: prof.dr. Matija Strlic) (18mins each):

- **Prof. Dr. Mamdouh Eldamaty**, Professor of Egyptology, Faculty of Archaeology, Ain Shams University; History of the Azbakeya museum collection.
- **Prof. Dr. Albrecht Fuess**, Director of Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies, Philipps University Marburg, Germany, Seetzen Collection at Gothe Library in Germany (REMOTELY).
- **Prof. Dr. Abdelrazek Elnaggar**, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia/Ain Shams University, Egypt, Epigraphic heritage of Egypt: Ongoing initiatives.

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12.30 - 14.00

Lunch

14.00 -  
15.00

**Session 2: Collaboration on Capacity Building** (Moderator: izr. prof. dr. Matija Črešnar, Associate Professor of Archaeology, UL) (10 mins each):

- **Prof. Dr. Miha Humar**, Professor of Wood Science, Biotechnical Faculty, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia. [E-RIHS.si capacity building programmes in Egypt 2024/2025 \(REMOTLY\)](#).
- **Prof. Dr. Maher Eissa**, Professor of Coptic Heritage, Fayoum University, Egypt AND **Dr. Jan Ciglencečki**, Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Faculty of Arts, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia. [Coptic Heritage exchange and training between Egypt and Slovenia](#).
- **Dr. Urban Burnik**, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Electrotechnical, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia. [Preserving cultural heritage: the role of compression technology and digital artifacts in lossy coding](#).

15.00 -  
15.30

**Invited Talk: Dr. Mohamed Mostafa Abdelmeguid, Ministry of Antiquities (Egypt). [Deciphering Epigraphy Underwater: Alexandria Lighthouse case study \(REMOTELY\)](#).**

15.30 - 16.00

Coffee break

16.00 -  
17.00

**Session 3: Collaboration on Heritage Documentation and Interpretation:** (Moderator: Prof. Dr. Zrinka Mileusnić) (15 mins each)

- **Prof. Dr. Irena Lazar**, Dean of Faculty of Humanities, University of Primorska, Slovenia, [Museums, collections and individuals – searching the file rouge for interpretation of dispersed Egyptian Heritage in Slovenia](#).
- **Dr. Ahmed Nakshara**, Assistant Professor of Heritage and Museum Management, Faculty of Archaeology, Ain Shams University, Egypt. [Museumization and re-contextualisation of dispersed Egyptian heritage collections](#).
- **Mr. Žiga Smolič**, PhD Researcher, Faculty of Arts, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia, ["Unity in Diversity: Egyptian-Yugoslav Relations in the 1960's. \(REMOTELY\)](#).

**Closing Summary** (Prof. Dr. Abdelrazek Elnaggar) and **Closing Speech** (Prof. Dr. Irena Lazar)

18.00 - 20.00

Colloquium Dinner (Kogo Restaurant, Koper)