Recapturing Mayan Memories: Historical Representation in Text, Image and Ritual

Sixth European Maya Conference - Program

Hamburg, December 5-9, 2001 Workshop: December 5-7

## Saturday, December 8<sup>th</sup>

9.30: **Geneviève LeFort** (Wayeb): Opening address

9.40: Matthias Gorissen (Universität Hamburg): Recapturing Mayan Memories: An

Introduction

### Session 1: Reconstructing Mayan History (Chair: Antje Scherffig)

10.00: **Marc Zender** (University of Calgary):

Lords of La Corona: Reconstructing the Historical Documents of 'Site Q'

10.40: Thomas H. Guderjan (Texas Christian University) & C. Colleen Hanratty (Southern

Methodist University):

A Thriving Non-Royal Lineage at Blue Creek: Evidence from a sequence of burials, caches

and architecture

11.20: Coffee Break

11.40: **Erik Boot** (Leiden University):

Mul tepal - 'Joint Rule or Government' at Chichen Itza, Yucatan, Mexico: Historic Reality,

or not?

12.20: **Lorraine Williams-Beck** (Universidad de Campeche):

Toward resolving historical document conundrums: An archaeological interpretation of the

Calkiní title

13.10: Lunch

14.30: **Inés de Castro** (Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-Universität Bonn):

Eugenio Arana, Comandante General of the Pacíficos del Sur, 1868-1905

#### Session 2: The Politics of Interpretation (Chair: Annette Kern)

15.10: **Guillermo Velázquez Ramírez** (Universidad de Quintana Roo):

Restauración arqueológica y reconstrucción de la memoria

### Session 3: Images of Memory (Chair: Jessica Jacob & Lars Frühsorge)

15.50: **Marcus Kuhnert** (Universität Hamburg):

The Representation of Mythology and History in Late Preclassic and Early Classic

**Architecture** 

16.30: Coffee Break

16.50: **Megan O'Neil** (Yale University):

Lacanja Stela 7: The Juxtaposition of Past and Present for an Image of the Future

17.30: Carlos Flores (London):

From Stone to Video: Postwar Inscriptions of La Violencia among Q'egchi' Mayas of

Guatemala

# Sunday, December 9<sup>th</sup>

## Session 4: Analyzing Mayan Histories (Chair: Fabian Koenig)

9.30: **Albert Davletshin** (Russian State University for the Humanities, Moscow):

The Becoming of the Maya Writing Historical Tradition

10.10: **Stanley Guenter** (LaTrobe University, Melbourne):

Foliated Ajaw and the Fall of El Mirador

10.40: Coffee Break

11.00: **Matthias Gorissen** (Universität Hamburg):

Apocalypticism and Maya History in the Book of Chilam Balam of Chumayel: Re-thinking

Time, History and Cosmology among the Maya of Yucatan

11.40: **Antje Gunsenheimer** (Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-Universität Bonn):

What happens after deconstruction? Post-modern approaches to Yucatecan Ethnohistory

12.20: Lunch

#### Session 5: Historical Recollections and Hidden Histories

14.00: **Geneviève Le Fort** (Bern):

Sacred versus Divine: Comments on Classic Maya Kingship

14.40: **Ann C. Wright** (University of Texas at Austin):

Signs of Life: Performance of Memory and Political Agency in Ancient Mesoamerican

Representations of Authenticity, Identity, and Experience

15.20: Coffee Break

15.40: **John F. Chuchiak** (Assumption College, Boston):

Remembering the Forbidden: Colonial Yucatec Maya Perceptions and Historical

Recollections of Traditional Religion and Ritual, 1570-1700

16.20: Wolfgang Gabbert (Freie Universität Berlin):

The Vicissitudes of Nation-Building: The Past of Yucatán in Nineteenth-Century Elite

discourse

17.00: Closing Address