Friday, 23 August 2024

15:30-16:30 *Registration and Coffee/Tea*

16:30-17:00 **Welcome Session**

17:00-18:00 **Conference Session 1**

	1a (Room 1)	1b (Room 2)
Presenter	Luis Quiñones-Román (University of Edinburgh)	Martijn Naaijer (Copenhagen University)
Title	An Incestuous Congress: The Case of Two Siblings Tamar and Amnon (2 Samuel 13:1-22)	Spelling Variation in Infinitives in the Masoretic Text and the Biblical Dead Sea Scrolls
Respondent	Blaženka Scheuer (Lund University)	Reinhard Müller (University of Göttingen)
Chair	Gillian Glass (Aarhus University)	Marcel Krusche (Hamburg University)

18:00-19:00 *Dinner*

19:30-21:30 **Mix & Mingle**

Please join us after dinner for socializing and networking (Location TBD).

Saturday, 24 August 2024

8:00-9:00 *Breakfast*

9:00-10:00 **Conference Session 2**

	2a (Room 1)	**2b (Room 2)**
Presenter	Topias Tanskanen (Åbo Akademi)	Simon Johansson (Åbo Akademi)
Title	Aphrahat's Use of Isaiah against the Jews	The Reception of Isaiah 11:2–3a and the "Sevenfold Spirit" in Early Judaism
Respondent	Jesper Høgenhaven (Copenhagen University)	Terje Stordalen (Oslo University)
Chair	Mathias Kreitzscheck (University of Munich)	Lucie Perez (Copenhagen University)

10:00-10:30 *Coffee/Tea Break*

10:30-11:30 **Conference Session 3**

	3a (Room 1)	**3b (Room 2)**
Presenter	Sara Järlemyr (Lund University)	Johanna Rönnlund (Uppsala University)
Title	Grotesque Imagery in the Prophetic Texts: Vulnerability as a Subversive Message	From Performer to Audience and Back Again: A Performance Analysis of Psalm 13
Respondent	Paul Joyce (King's College London)	Jill Middlemas (Copenhagen University)
Chair	Jesper Høgenhaven (Copenhagen University)	Marika Pulkkinen (Helsinki University)

11:30-12:00 *Walk-and-Talk Outside*

12:00-13:00 *Lunch*

13:00-14:00 **Conference Session 4**

		4a (Room 1)	4b (Room 2)
	Presenter	Pasi Schultz (Åbo Akademi)	Ronja Koch (Kiel University)
	Title	The Blessing of Jacob (Gen 49) in Light of Ancient Celestial Cartography	The Linguistic Characteristics and the Literary Growth of Psalm 47
	Respondent	Reinhard Gregor Kratz (University of Göttingen)	Corinna Körting (Hamburg University)
	Chair	Gillian Glass (Aarhus University)	Marcel Krusche (Hamburg University)
14:00-14:15	*Break*		
14:15-15:15	**Conference Session 5**		
		5a (Room 1)	**5b (Room 2)**
	Presenter	Karen Preston (University of Edinburgh)	Louisa Schmacke (University of Kiel)

	Title	The Return: A Deep Map Approach to the Spatial Dimensions of the Return Journey in Act I of the Book of Ruth	How to Undo Doing Gender in Lev 18 and 20
	Respondent	Jutta Jokiranta (University of Helsinki)	Mikael Larsson (Uppsala University)
	Chair	Anne Katrine de Hemmer Gudme (Oslo University)	Elisa Uusimäki (Aarhus University)

15:15-15:45 *Coffee/Tea Break*

15:45-16:45 **Conference Session 6**

	6a (Room 1)	**6b (Room 2)**
Presenter	Rae Fujimori (University of Edinburgh)	Ruth Givan (University of Edinburgh)
Title	Hybrid Identity Under the Empire: Yehudite Identity in the Book of Nehemiah	Stylistics and the Song of Songs
Respondent	Frederik Poulsen (Copenhagen University)	Susanne Rudnig-Zelt (Kiel University)

	Chair	Jasmine Foo (King's College London)	Marika Pulkkinen (Helsinki University)
16:45-17:00	*Break*		
17:00-18:00	**Conference Session 7**		
		7a (Room 1)	**7b (Room 2)**
	Presenter	Annette Hjort Knudsen (Copenhagen University)	Alice Volkonski (Tartu University)
	Title	Exploring the Phenomenon of Power in Biblical Narratives	The Tradition of Semitic Love Poetry: Hebrew Song of Songs and Arabic ġazal in pre- Islamic, ʿ*uḏrī* and ʿUmar ibn al-Fāriḍ`s Poetry
	Respondent	Urmas Nõmmik (Tartu University)	Ola Wikander (Lund University)
	Chair	Rosanne Liebermann (Aarhus University)	Mathias Kreitzscheck (University of Munich)

18:00 *Dinner and Rose Ceremony*

Sunday, 25 August 2024

8:00-9:00 *Breakfast*

9:00-10:00 **Conference Session 8**

	8a (Room 1)	**8b (Room 2)**
Presenter	Alexiana Fry (Copenhagen University) & Gillian Glass (Aarhus University)	Kacper Ziemba (Copenhagen University)
Title	Diaspora Queens: Claims to Jewish Legitimacy in Esther and Aseneth	From Judah and Back Again: Judean Royal Family in Exile
Respondent	Lotta Valve (Åbo Akademi)	Anna Zernecke (University of Kiel)

	Chair	Jasmine Foo (King's College London)	Ola Wikander (Lund University)
10:00-10:15	*Coffee/Tea Break*		
10:15-11:15	**Conference Session 9**		
		9a (Room 1)	**9b (Room 2)**
	Presenter	Miriam Selén Gerson (Uppsala University)	Anat Shapiro (Aarhus University)
	Title	Analysis of b.Sukkah 49a	The Symbolical Function of the Movement and Positionality of the Human Other in the Book of Jonah
	Respondent	Christoph Berner (University of Kiel)	Rosanne Liebermann (Aarhus University)
	Chair	Elisa Uusimäki (Aarhus University)	Lucie Perez (Copenhagen University)

11:15-12:00 **PhD/Postdoc Meetings and Coordinating Committee Meeting**

12:00-13:00 *Lunch*

13:00-14:00 **Business Meeting for All Participants**

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See you next year in Copenhagen!