



3rd Cracow Maya Conference

Mesoamerican Writing Systems

February 21-24, 2013

**Institute of Archaeology of the Jagiellonian
University & Polish Academy of Arts and
Sciences**

Symposium | February 21, 2013 | Thursday

Jagiellonian University, Institute of History, Gołębia 13 Street, Tischner Hall

8:30 - 9:00 Registration

9:00 - 9:30 Welcome address

SESSION 1 | MAYA EPIGRAPHY AND LINGUISTICS

9:30 - 10:15 Harri Kettunen (University of Helsinki)
Corpus Epigraphy: Linguistic Implications and Didactic Applications

10:15 - 11:00 Agnieszka Hamman (University of Warsaw)
Why is it so Difficult to Understand a Culture that is Gone? Some Insights from Cognitive Linguistics

11:00 - 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 - 12:15 Christophe Helmke (University of Copenhagen) & Jarosław Żrałka (Jagiellonian University)
A Preliminary Overview of the Glyphic Corpus of Nakum, Guatemala

12:15 - 13:00 Alexander Safronov (The Lomonosov Moscow State University)
Localization of Tubal Toponym: Understanding of Maya Hieroglyphic Inscriptions through GIS

13:00 - 13:45 Guido Krempel (University of Bonn)
A Puzzling End: Reconstructing the Inscriptions of the "Headband-House" and the Fall of the "River-Centre" at Terminal Classic Machaquila, Peten, Guatemala

13:45 - 15:15 Lunch break

**SESSION 2 | WRITING TRADITIONS AND SYSTEMS OF COMMUNICATION IN
CENTRAL MEXICO:
FROM TEOTIHUACAN TO THE NAHUAS**

- 15:15 - 16:00 **Jesper Nielsen and Christophe Helmke (University of Copenhagen)**
House of Darts, House of Fire: The Names of Buildings in Teotihuacan Writing
- 16:00 - 16:45 **Katarzyna Mikulska-Dąbrowska (University of Warsaw)**
Sistema de comunicación gráfica en los códices manticos del grupo Borgia frente a sistemas glotograficos
- 16:45 - 17:15 **Coffee break**
- 17:15 - 18:00 **Justyna Olko (Faculty of "Artes Liberales", University of Warsaw)**
The Nahua Writing Tradition through the Colonial Era
- 18:00 - 18:45 **Victoriano de la Cruz (Faculty of "Artes Liberales", University of Warsaw)**
La escritura náhuatl contemporánea: continuidad y adaptación a los nuevos espacios
- 18:45 - 19:15 **Discussion**

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3rd CMC SPECIAL PRESENTATION | February 22, 2013 | Friday
Polish Academy of Arts and Sciences, Sławkowska 17 Street, Main Hall, 19:00

Norman Hammond
**(McDonald Institute for Archaeological Research, Cambridge University and
Department of Archaeology, Boston University)**

Middle Preclassic Maya Economy, Culture, and Society at Cuello, Belize

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Workshops | Feb 22-24, 2013 | Friday/Saturday/Sunday
Jagiellonian University, Institute of Archaeology, Gołębia 11 Street
Jagiellonian University, Institute of Ethnology and Cultural Anthropology, Gołębia 9
Polish Academy of Arts and Sciences, Sławkowska 17 Street

10:00 – 13:00 **Part 1**

13:00 – 14:30 **Lunch break**

14:30 – 17:30 **Part 2**

Maya I Workshop:

Alexander Safronow & Ivan Savchenko

Evolution of Maya Hieroglyphic Text: From Early to Terminal Classic

Maya II Workshop:

Harri Kettunen, Guido Krempel & Sebastian Matteo

Graphic Origin of Maya Signs

Central Mexican Writing Systems Workshop I:

Christophe Helmke & Jesper Nielsen

The Writing Systems of Early Classic and Epiclassic Central Mexico

Central Mexican Writing Systems Workshop II:

Katarzyna Mikulska-Dąbrowska

Introducción al estudio del Codice Borgia y de otros codices adivinatorios del México Central / Introduction to the Study of the Codex Borgia and Other Divinatory Codices from Central Mexico