The Center for Ancient Studies
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Ancient Near Eastern and Egyptian Studies Program
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announces the

Rose-Marie Lewent Conference

NEW YORKERS in the land of
THE PHARAOHS
Fieldwork in Egypt by New York Institutions

March 31 - April 1, 2016
Hemmerdinger Hall, Silver Center for Arts and Science, Room 102
32 Waverly Place or 31 Washington Place (wheelchair access)

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 2016
5:00 p.m. WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS
Matthew S. Santirocco, NYU
Ann Macy Roth, NYU

5:15 p.m. KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Challenge and Achievement: Archaeology in Egypt Today
David O’Connor, NYU-IFA

6:15 p.m. PUBLIC RECEPTION

FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 2016
SESSION I: NYU IN EGYPT [Chair: Ann Macy Roth]
9:15 a.m. Excavating Mummies and Documenting Prisoner Statues:
The Discoveries of an NYU Student in Egypt
Tara Prakash, NYU-IFA

9:55 a.m. History and Myth at Abydos
Matthew Adams, NYU-IFA

10:35 a.m. The Abydos Temple of Ramesses II – Epigraphy, Conservation,
and Restoration
Ogden Goelet, NYU and Speros Vassiliou, NYU-ISAW

11:15 a.m. An Oasis City: A Decade of Excavations at Amheida
Robert Casagrande-Koo, ISAW/Driese Foundation USA

12:00 p.m. LUNCH BREAK

SESSION II: NEW YORK MUSEUMS IN EGYPT [Chair Ogden Goelet]
1:00 p.m. Collecting and Excavating Egyptian Art for the Brooklyn Museum
Edward Bleiberg, The Brooklyn Museum

1:40 p.m. The Metropolitan Museum of Art’s Egyptian Expedition, 1906 to
the Present
Catherine H. Roehrig, The Metropolitan Museum of Art

2:20 p.m. Metropolitan Museum Excavations at Middle Kingdom Sites:
Light and Dahshur
Diana Craig Patch, The Metropolitan Museum of Art

3:00 p.m. Exploring Egyptian Mastaba Tombs in New York and Egypt
Ann Macy Roth, NYU

This conference is free and open to the public. No reservations are required. For more information,
contact the Center for Ancient Studies at 212.992.7978 or at ancient.studies@nyu.edu

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