



Day 1, 17.02.2026 | Istituto Svizzero di Roma

09.00	Welcome & Coffee Sabine Huebner, Patrick Sängner
Panel 1	Egypt in Focus – Representation, Identity, and Imperial Presence Chair: François Gerardin (University of Basel)
09.30	Second-Century Egypt and the Impact of the Empire Patrick Sängner (University of Münster)
10.00	Lucian's Egypt Thomas Ford (University of Münster)
10.30	Imperial Connections and Cultural Entanglements at Antinoopolis David Westerkamp (University of Münster)
11.00	Coffee
Panel 2	Agriculture, Economy & Trade Chair: Patrick Sängner (University of Münster)
11.30	Reinventing the Granary. The Agriculture of Negotiation in Roman Egypt Sara Baldin (University of Basel)
12.00	Coinage and the Economy of Roman Egypt in the Second Century CE. Some Key Questions Christopher Howgego (University of Oxford)
12.30	Lunch
14.00	Infrastructure and Mobility in Roman Egypt. Developments of the Second Century AD Federico de Romanis (Università degli Studi di Roma 'Tor Vergata')
Panel 3	Administration Chair: Sara Baldin (University of Basel)
14.30	A Very Dynamic Stalemate – Agents and Mechanisms of Social Change Andrew Lepke (University of Münster)
15.00	The στρατηγοί in 2nd Century Egypt Niklot Lingnau (University of Münster)
15.30	ἐρρῶσθαί σε εὔχομαι, φίλτατε. Is there a Corporate Identity of the Enchorian Elites? Alexander Free (Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg im Breisgau)
16.00	Coffee
16.30	The Transformation of Village Notary Offices in the 2nd Century Bianca Borrelli (University of Würzburg) & Graham Claytor (University of Warsaw)
17.00	General Discussion
19.30	Dinner



Day 2, 18.02.2026 | Deutsches Archäologisches Institut

Panel 4 Cities, Law, and Society

Chair: Sabine R. Huebner (University of Basel)

09.00 What's New about the New Hellenes?

François Gerardin (University of Basel)

09.30 Provincial Law: The Century of the Aigyptioi

Jose Luis Alonso (University of Zurich)

10.00 An invisible Local Elite?

The *Katoikoi* of Roman Heracleopolis

Lucas Weisser-Gericke (University of Basel)

10.30 Terenuthis in Roman Gaze: An Egyptian Town in 2nd Century CE

Sylvain Dhennin (University Lumière Lyon 2)

11.00 Coffee

Panel 5 Health and Crisis

Chair: Marco Maiuro (La Sapienza University)

11.30 The Antonine Plague: Origins and its Impacts

Brandon McDonald (Tufts University)

12.00 Qussur Mohareb, A 2nd Century Village Community Facing the Challenges of the Saharan Environment

Cassandre Hartenstein (University of Strasbourg)

12.30 Lunch

Panel 6 Social Resistance and Rebellion

Chair: Andrew Lepke (University of Münster)

14.00 Echoes of War: The Aftermath of the Jewish Revolt in Roman Egypt

Sabine R. Huebner (University of Basel)

14.30 Money, Credit and Banking in Roman Egypt in the 2nd Century CE

François Lerouxel (Sorbonne University)

Panel 7 Religion and Spiritual Life

Chair: Lucas Weisser-Gericke (University of Basel)

15.00 The Administration of the Sacred.

The Temple of Soknopaios at Soknopaiou Nesos in the 1st and 2nd centuries

Maren Schentuleit (University of Oxford)

15.30 Coffee

16.00 Inner Generation in Some Magical, Philosophical and Gnostic texts of second-century Egypt

Alberto Camplani (La Sapienza University)

16.30 Teaching Transformation: The Emergence and Integration of Early Christians in the Pedagogical Landscape of Roman Alexandria

Edward Creedy (Durham University)

17.00 General Discussion

19.30 Dinner