

## ***PROGRAM***

### ***Archaeology and Cultural Heritage In Pakistan and Adjacent Regions***

**Marriott Hotel, Islamabad, Thursday, Jan 5, 2012**

**8:30-9:45 AM Registration - Welcome Tea,**

Inaugural conference sessions will be held in the Crystal Ball Room

#### **Session 1 Morning: Inaugural Session**

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| <b>1.1</b>  | 10:00-10:15 | <b>Kamran Asdar Ali</b> , President AIPS, U. of Texas, Austin<br><br><i>Welcome of Chief Guest and Participants</i>  |
| <b>1.2</b>  | 10:15-10:25 | <b>Ambassador Cameron Munter</b> , US Embassy, Islamabad,<br><br><i>Opening Remarks</i>  |
| <b>1.3</b>  | 10:25-10:45 | <b>Faridullah Khan</b> , Secretary,<br>Ministry of National Heritage and Integration<br><i>Inaugural Remarks</i>   |
| <b>1.4</b>  | 10:45-11:00 | <b>Fazal Dad Kakar</b> , Director General, Department of Archaeology<br>and Museums, Ministry of National Heritage and Integration<br><br><i>Welcome Remarks</i> |
| <b>1.5.</b> | 11:00-11:15 | Haroon Ahmed Khan, Director General, Directorate General of<br>Archaeology, Government of the Punjab<br><br><i>Welcome Remarks</i>                               |
| <b>1.5</b>  | 11:15-11:30 | J. Mark Kenoyer, - University of Wisconsin, Madison<br><br><i>Conference Theme and Goals</i>   |

***Lunch - 12:00-2:00 PM Marriott Hotel (all attendees invited)***

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**Session 2 Afternoon: Cultural Heritage and Archaeology - Current Issues**

**Session Chair:** J. Mark Kenoyer, University of Wisconsin, Madison

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| 2.1   | 2:30- 3:00 PM       | Abdul Wasey Feroozi, Head of Archaeology Department<br>Academy of Sciences, Afghanistan<br><i>An overview of the Archaeology of Afghanistan</i>  |
| 2.2   | 3:00-3:20 PM        | Muhammad Afzal Khan, Saleemul Haq and Malik Maqsood,<br>Directorate General of Archaeology, Punjab<br><i>Recent Development for management and conservation of<br/>Archaeological Heritage in Punjab</i> |
| 2.3   | 3:20-3:40 PM        | Abdul Samad, Hazara University, Mansehra<br><i>Archaeology - a tool for sustainable tourism in Pakistan</i>  |
| 2.4   | 3:40-4:00 PM        | Kaleemullah Lashari<br>Secretary to the Government of Sindh<br><i>Conservation of Mukhi House Museum, Establishment of a<br/>Museum of the Recent Past</i>   |
|   | <b>4:00-4:20 PM</b> | <b>Break</b>   |
| <b>Session Chair:</b> J. Mark Kenoyer, University of Wisconsin, Madison |                     |  |
| 2.5   | 4:20-4:40 PM        | Abdul Nasir, Taxila Museum, Directorate General Archaeology,<br>Punjab<br><i>World Heritage sites of Taxila valley and the conservation and<br/>preservation problems of these sites</i>                 |
| 2.6   | 4:40-5:00 PM        | Noor Agha and Atif Iqbal, Hazara University, Mansehra<br><i>ACTing practically: The first steps of a wide-scope archaeological<br/>project in the Swat valley (Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan)</i>         |
| 2.7   | 5:00-5:20 PM        | Yasmin Cheema, Beacon House University<br><i>The Consolidation and Preservation of Bibi Jawandi Tomb<br/>Complex</i>   |
| 2.8   | 5:20-5:40 PM        | Habibullah Khan Khattak, National Institute of Management,<br>Peshawar<br><i>The Fate of Archaeology after the 18th Constitutional Amendment</i>   |
|   | 6:00 PM             | Participants Return to Margala Hotel, departure for reception at 6:30<br>PM from the front lobby of the Margala Hotel  |

**Reception 7:00-8:00 PM (for invited guests only) – Dinner on your own**

**Margala Hotel, Islamabad, Friday, Jan 6, 2012****Session 3 Morning: Conservation and Museum Development Issues: Part 1**

- Session Chair:** Nilofer Shaikh, Vice Chancellor, Shah Abdul Latif University, Khairpur, Sindh
- 3.1 9:00-9:20 AM M. Nadir Rasooli, Director of Archeology Institute, Kabul  
***Orange Hill and Khowja Safa Historical Sights of Kabul, description and analysis***
- 3.2 9:20-9:40 AM Muhammad Arif and Ghulam Murtaza Khoso  
Department of Archaeology and Museums, Govt. of Pakistan  
***Moenjodaro -An Overview of the Causes of Failure and Decay of the Structural Remains***
- 3.3 9:40-10:00 AM Muhammad Farooq, Hazara University, Mansehra  
***Microbial Decay of Cultural Heritage of Pakistan***
- 3.4 10:00-10:20 AM Muhammad Safdar Khan, Hazara University, Mansehra  
***Termites: A threat to Cultural Heritage***

***10:20-10:40 AM Break***

- Session Chair:** Humera Alam, Director Lahore Museum
- 3.5 10:40-11:00 AM Abdul Hameed, Hazara University, Mansehra  
***Some Endangered Heritage Sites and Monuments in Hazara Division***
- 3.6 11:00-11:20 AM Asma Ibrahim, State Bank Museum, Karachi  
***Thematic Museums: Case Study for Establishing Oxford University Press (OUP) Museum in Karachi***
- 3.7 11:20-11:40 AM Tanveer Afzal, State Bank Museum, Karachi  
***Challenges of Bringing Physically Challenged to the Museum***
- 3.8 11:40-12:00 PM Anas Mahmud Arif, Hazara University, Mansehra  
***Museum and Community: Results of a Pilot Survey***

***Lunch - 12:30-2:00 PM******Margala Hotel (all attendees welcome)***

**Margala Hotel, Islamabad, Friday, Jan 6, 2012****Session 4 Afternoon: Archaeology and Ethnology – Research and Presentation****Session Chair:** Asma Ibrahim, State Bank Museum, Karachi

- 4.1 2:30-3:00 PM Gul Rahim Khan, University of Peshawar  
*Recent Developments in the SSAQ Museum of Archaeology & Ethnology, University of Peshawar (August-December 2011)*
- 4.2 3:00-3:30 PM Syed Abdul Bari Shah, Quetta Museum, Balochistan (presented by Mir Shai Mazar Baloch, University of Balochistan)  
*An overview of Museums, Archaeology, and Traditional Cultures of Balochistan*
- 4.3 3:30-4:00 PM Zain Ul Wahab, Hazara University, Mansehra  
*Dir Museum: Issues of Preservation and Reconstruction*
- 4.4 3:40-4:00 PM Ahtesham Aziz Chaudhury, Lahore Museum  
*Preservation of Cultural Heritage through documentation and exhibition*  
Abdul Azeem Hafiz, Lahore Museum  
*Concepts of Heritage Conservation: Beyond Laboratory Science*
- 4.5 4:00-4:20 PM Heidi Miller, Harvard University  
*The Legacy of Chanhu-Daro; Ongoing Research and Lasting Significance*
- 4:20-4:40 PM Break**
- Session Chair:** Nidaullah Sehrai, Director of Archaeology, KPK
- 4.6 4:40-5:00 PM Zahiruddin Shar, Department of Archaeology, Sindh  
*Shish Mahal, Kot Diji: Talpur Period Architecture in Sindh*
- 4.7 5:00-5:20 PM Rasul Bawary, Department of Archeology, Kabul University  
*The First Civilizations of Afghanistan*
- 4.8 5:20-5:40 PM Marta Ameri, Fashion Institute of Technology, New York  
*The View from the Other Side: Changing Patterns of Indo-Iranian Interaction in the Third and Second Millennia BCE as Seen from the Ahar-Banas Culture Region, Rajasthan*
- 4.9 5:40-6:00 PM Uzma Rizvi, Pratt Institute, New York  
*The Ganeshwar Jodhpura Cultural Complex Archaeological Survey: Community Participation, Heritage and Constructing Pre-history in Rajasthan*
- 4.10 6:00-6:20 PM Sayed Gul Kalash, Bumburate Museum Kalash Valley Bumburate  
*Tangible and Intangible Activities in Kalash Valley*

**Dinner 7:00-8:00 PM Margala Hotel (for invited guests only)****Cultural Performance 8:00-10:00PM - Chitrali and Kalasha Music and Dance**

**Margala Hotel, Islamabad, Saturday, Jan 7, 2012**

**Session 5 Morning : Regional Archaeological Surveys and Excavations**

**Session Chair:** Uzma Rizvi, Pratt Institute, New York

- 5.1 9:00-9:20 AM Ravi Korisettar, Karnatak University, Karnataka, India  
*Palaeolithic Research in South Asia: Potential Research Areas in Sindh and Balochistan*
- 5.2 9:20-9:40 AM P. Ajithprasad, Maharaja Sayajirao University, Baroda  
*Harappan Settlement features at Bagasra and Shikarpur in Gujarat: Unity and Diversity*
- 5.3 9:40-10:00 AM Farzand Masih, Department of Archaeology, University of the Punjab  
*Explorations in Cholistan 2011*
- 5.4 10:00-10:20 AM K. N. Dikshit, Indian Archaeology Society, New Delhi  
*The 'Lost Saraswati' : The Cradle of Indian Civilization*

**10:20-10:40 AM Break**

**Session Chair:** Farzand Masih, Department of Archaeology, University of the Punjab

- 5.5 10:40-11:00 AM Shakir Ali Shah, Department of Archaeology, Sindh  
*Archaeological Investigations along the Proposed Route for Copper Mining Project from Chagi District to Gawadar Port*
- 5.6 11:00-11:20 AM Zulfiqar Ali Kalhor, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad  
*Memorial Stones in Nagarparkar, Sindh: Meanings, symbols and motifs*
- 5.7 11:20-11:40 AM Qasid Mallah, Shah Abdul Latif University, Khairpur  
*Kot Dijian sites in the Thar Desert and Indus Plains of Upper Sindh, Pakistan*
- 5.8 11:40-12:00 PM Jamil Hussain Baloch, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad  
*The Discovery of new Archaeological Sites at the Bank of Kech River in Balochistan*

**Lunch - 12:30-2:00 PM**

**Margala Hotel (all attendees welcome)**

***Margala Hotel, Saturday, Jan 7, 2012*****Session 6a Afternoon : Archaeological Approaches to Trade and Technology****Session Chair:** Qasid Mallah, Shah Abdul Latif University, Khairpur

- 6.1 2:30-3:00 PM Vasant Shinde, Deccan College, Pune  
***Recent Research on the Harappan Culture in the Ghaggar Basin with Special Reference to Girawad and Farmana***
- 6.2 3:00-3:20 PM Kuldeep K. Bhan, Maharaja Sayajirao University, Baroda  
***Some Important Aspects of Craft Production and Organization in Harappan Tradition of Gujarat***
- 6.3 3:20-3:40 PM Mary Davis, University of Wisconsin, Madison  
***Lithic Analysis of the Indus Civilization: Insights into the nature of early urban centers through the study of chipped stone tools at Harappa***
- 6.4 3:40-4:00 PM K. Krishnan, Maharaja Sayajirao University, Baroda  
***Scientific Analysis of Harappan Ceramics from India***
- 6.5 4:00-4:20 PM James Lankton  
Research Scholar/Harvard University/University College London  
***Glass Beads of Pakistan, Afghanistan and India: New Insights on technology and trade in the protohistoric and early historic periods***

**4:20-4:40 PM Break****Session 6b Afternoon : Early Historic Archaeology: Survey, Excavation, and Conservation****Session Chair:** Kaleemullah Lashari, Govt. of Sindh

- 6.6 4:40-5:00 PM Brent Huffman, Northwestern University  
***The Buddhas of Aynak***
- 6.7 5:00-5:20 PM Badshah Sardar, Allama Iqbal Open University, Islamabad  
***Buddhist Collections of Nimogram, Swat: Its History, Classification, Analysis and Chronology***
- 6.8 5:20-5:40 PM Muhammad Ashraf Khan, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad  
***Recent Explorations of Archaeological Sites and Monuments in District Rawalpindi and Islamabad***
- 6.9 5:40-6:00 PM Shahbaz Khan (Retired), Directorate General of Archaeology, Punjab  
***Sardhi, A newly discovered archaeological site in the Salt Range Area***
- 6.10 6:00-6:20 PM Mastoor Bukhari, Shah Abdul Latif University, Khairpur  
***Brick Stupas of Sindh: Unique Perspectives on Buddhist Architecture in Pakistan***

***Dinner 7:00-8:00 PM Margala Hotel (for invited guests only)***

**Margala Hotel, Sunday, Jan 8, 2012****Session 7 Morning : Early Historic and Historic Archaeology and Ethnography****Session Chair:** Ravi Korisettar, Karnatak University, Karnataka

- 7.1 9:00-9:20 AM John Mock, University of California - Santa Cruz  
*New Materials on the History and Culture of Afghanistan's Wakhan Corridor: Rock Art, Monuments and Inscriptions on the Silk Road, 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> c. CE*
- 7.2 9:20-9:40 AM Tahir Saeed, Department of Archaeology and Museums, Govt. of Pakistan  
**Local and Foreign influences on the Iconography of Buddhist Art of Korea**
- 7.3 9:40-10:00 AM Ibrahim Shah, Hazara University, Mansehra  
*A Short Survey of Hindu Temples in Hazara*
- 7.4 10:00-10:20 AM Shahid Ahmad Rajput, International Islamic University, Islamabad  
*Common Features of the Regional Islamic Archaeology and its Significance*

**10:20-10:40 AM Break****Session Chair:** Vasant Shinde, Deccan College, Pune

- 7.5 10:40-11:00 AM Ghani ur Rahman, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad  
*Decorative Patterns in the Islamic architecture of Swat: Study of some selected Mosques*
- 7.6 11:00-11:20 AM Sarfaraz Khan, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad  
*Persistence of Pre-Islamic Traditions in the Pakhtoon Society: A Study of Some Selected Shrines*
- 7.7 11:20-11:40 AM Muhammad Shah Bukhari, National Museum, Karachi  
*Illustrated manuscripts in National Museum of Pakistan*
- 7.8 11:40-12:00 PM Shah Nazar Khan, Director General, Department of Archaeology, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa  
*Comments on Conference and Session Papers*
- 7.8 12:00-12:20 PM J. Mark Kenoyer, University of Wisconsin, Madison  
*Trade and Technology of the Indus Civilization: Internal and External Contacts*
- 7.9 12:20- 1:00 PM J. Mark Kenoyer, Fazal Dad Kakar, Saleem Ul Haq, Kaleemullah Lashari, Abdul Wasey Feroozi, Vasant Shinde, Julia Fendrick (US Embassy)  
*Concluding Remarks*

**Lunch - 12:30-2:00 PM Margala Hotel (all attendees welcome)**