

Prehistoric Society 2014 EUROPA conference in honour of Professor Alasdair Whittle, Cardiff University, 30-31 May 2014
People, place and time in Neolithic and Chalcolithic Europe

#### **BOOKING FORM**

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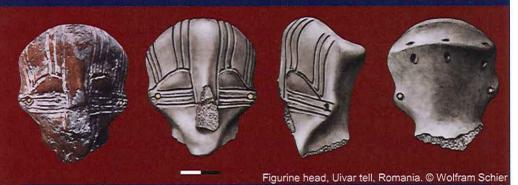
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## THE PREHISTORIC SOCIETY EUROPA CONFERENCE 2014

Held at the Julian Hodge Lecture Theatre, Cardiff University, Friday 30<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2014

## People, place and time in Neolithic and Chalcolithic Europe



A two-day conference celebrating the achievements of Professor Alasdair Whittle, Cardiff University, in the field of European prehistory.

This will bring together an international cast of distinguished speakers to present the results of cutting-edge research on farming communities, both in Britain and Ireland and on the Continent.

Day 1 is hosted by students in the School of History, Archaeology & Religion, Cardiff University. Posters will be on display throughout the conference.



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### Programme, Friday 30 May 2014 Julian Hodge Lecture Theatre

09:00-10:30 Registration, coffee, welcome & introduction

10:30–12:15 Morning session: Introducing people, place and time in Neolithic Britain and Ireland (3 x 25 minute papers, with 5 minutes for questions and 15 minutes' general discussion)

Dr Duncan Garrow, University of Reading, with Drs Fraser Sturt and Hugo Anderson-Whymark: Location and movement: results of the *Stepping Stones to the Neolithic* project

Dr Oliver Harris, University of Leicester: The Earlier Neolithic body in Southern England and its Continental background

Dr Seren Griffiths, Cardiff University: Evidence for the Mesolithic-Neolithic transition in northern England and Wales

12:15-13:05 Lunch (not provided)

13:15–14:45 Afternoon session 1: Squeezing the pips, milking it for all it's worth: results of scientific analysis (format as per morning session)

Dr Amy Bogaard, University of Oxford: Cereal cultivation and use during the Neolihic

Dr Lucy Cramp, University of Bristol: From surf to turf: why did fishing fall out of favour in the British Neolithic?

Dr Rick Schulting, University of Oxford: Being Neolithic on the fringes of Britain and Ireland

14:45-15.15 Tea/coffee

15:15-17:00 Afternoon session 2: change, monumentality, and looking outwards

Dr Jessica Smyth, Cardiff University: Years of plenty? The post-pioneer Neolithic in Ireland and Britain

Dr Vicki Cummings, University of Central Lancashire: Stones of Special Virtue: building the great dolmens of Britain and Ireland

Dr Josh Pollard, University of Southampton: Neolithic Europe and the ethnographic imagination

17:00—18:00 Keynote lecture: Dr Alex Bayliss, English Heritage: Creeping towards (pre)history: two decades of Bayesian chronological modelling in England

18:00–19:30 Reception, kindly sponsored by Cambridge University Press





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#### Programme, Saturday 31 May 2014

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09:00-09:35 Registration and (from 09:30) welcome and introduction

**09:35–10:10** Professor Dr Wolfram Schier, Freie Universität Berlin: Zooming into site biographies - the potential of high definition chronology for Neolithic settlements in SE Europe

10:10–10:45 Professor Eszter Bánffy, Römisch-Germanische Kommission des Deutschen Archäologischen Instituts: "The times of our lives": The Sárköz in Southern Hungary in the 6th-5th millennia BC

10:45-11:00 Discussion

11:00-11:30 Coffee/tea

11:30–12:05 Dr Penny Bickle, University of Bristol, with Dr Melanie Roffet-Salque and Professor Richard Evershed: Searching for variability in the Linearbandkeramik (LBK) Culture until the cows come home

12:05–12:40 Professor Leonardo García Sanjuán, Universidad de Sevilla: Recent Research on Copper Age Southern Iberia. Debating Early Social Complexity

12:40-13:00 Discussion

13:00-14:00 Lunch (not provided)

14:00–14:35 Professor Alex Bentley, University of Bristol: Different people, inequality and specialists in Neolithic communities

14:35–15:10 Professor David Clarke, University College, London: Revisiting Late Neolithic Orkney: Skara Brae, the Links of Noltland, and the creation of narratives for Late Neolithic society

15:10-15:30 Discussion

15:30-16:00 Tea/coffee

16:00-16:20 Prehistoric Society AGM and presentation of the Baguley Award

16:20–16:30 Presentation of the EUROPA Award to Professor Alasdair Whittle by the President of the Prehistoric Society

16:30-17:30 EUROPA lecture, presented by Professor Alasdair Whittle, Cardiff University: People, place and time in Neolithic and Chalcolithic Europe

17:30-19:00 Reception