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Aerial view of Burrough Hill hillfort, showing excavations in 2013; the hoard was found in the far corner of the site (produced by Aerial Cam) / Three copper alloy terrets from the Burrough Hill hoard. © UoL
Programme

Friday 18 June 2021

09:45  Conference opens online

10:00–10:15  Welcome and introduction: Prof Clive Gamble

10:15–10:35  The Iron Age hoards from Snettisham in context, Dr Julia Farley, British Museum & Dr Jody Joy, Museum of Archaeology and Anthropology, University of Cambridge

10:35–10:55  Ethnogenesis in Late Iron Age Britain: The case of the Silures, Dr Oliver Davis, Cardiff University

10:55–11:15  The origins of British oppida: Understanding transformation in Iron Age practice & society, Dr Nicky Garland, Durham University

11:15–11:30  Questions and discussion

11:30–11:50  Break

11:50–12:10  Facial recognition in Early Celtic Art: Perspectives from neuro-atypical experiences, Dr Tanja Romankiewicz, University of Edinburgh

12:10–12:30  From meanings to effects: A multi-scalar approach to anthropomorphic imagery in Middle–Late Iron Age Europe and beyond, Dr Helen Chittock, AOC Archaeology Group

12:30–12:50  Aspects of design in Iron Age and early Roman Europe, Christina Unwin, Durham University

12:50–13:05  Questions and discussion

13:05–14:05  Lunch break

14:05–14:25  Who were the potters of prehistory? Analysing fingerprints and finger impressions to uncover the identities of Bronze and Iron Age potters, Meredith Laing, University of Leicester

14:25–14:45  Home Birds or Social Butterflies? Debating the Iron Age by dating the Iron Age, Dr Sophia Adams, University of Glasgow

14:45–15:05  Home Birds or Social Butterflies? Iron Age mobility from a scientific perspective, Dr Derek Hamilton, University of Glasgow

15:05–15:20  Questions and discussion

15:20–15:40  Break

15:40–16:00  Investigating Iron Age cloth through experimental archaeology, Jennifer Beamer, University of Leicester

16:00–16:20  Beyond ethnicity: Re-interpreting the Chiavari cemetery, Elisa Vecchi, University of Nottingham

16:20–16:40  Belgic, British or a bit of both: Investigating the links between the Aylesford-Swarling culture and contemporary cremation burials from northern France, Dr Andrew Lamb, Independent Researcher & Dr Quentin Sueur, Landesamt für Denkmalpflege im Regierungspräsidium Stuttgart

16:40–16:55  Questions and discussion

16:55–18:00  Virtual wine reception and presentation of the Baguley award, hosted by Prof Clive Gamble
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10:00–10:10  Welcome: Prof Clive Gamble

10:10–10:50  How we die: violent death, display and deposition in Iron Age Britain, Dr Mel Giles, University of Manchester

10:50–11:30  Early La Tène elite burials in the Lower Rhine/Meuse region. Material culture, connectivity and social change, Prof Nico Roymans, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

11:30–11:45  Break

11:45–12:25  'I went out for a ride and I never went back': Mobility in the British Iron Age, Prof Janet Montgomery and Dr Tom Moore, Durham University

12:25–12:45  Questions and discussion

12:45–13:45  Lunch break

13:45–14:25  Iron Age demographics: Community, mobility and scale, Prof Ian Armit, University of York

14:25–15:05  Motherhood and mothering in later European prehistory, Dr Katharina Rebay-Salisbury, Austrian Archaeological Institute – Prehistory, Austrian Academy of Sciences

15:05–15:20  Questions and discussion

15:20–15:40  Break

15:40–16:20  Our friends in the north: Stanwick, Traprain Law, and the encroaching Roman world, Dr Fraser Hunter, National Museums Scotland

16:20–17:00  Bibracte (Burgundy, France), witness of a world in transition, Dr Vincent Guichard, Centre archéologique européen/Bibracte

17:00–17:15  Questions and discussion

17:15–17:30  Closing, Prof Clive Gamble

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Copper alloy chariot fittings from the Burrough Hill hoard: miniature terret, barrel-shaped toggle and figure-of-eight shaped strap union. © UoL

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