



# Diet in the Past – Food for Discussion

## 31 March 2016



### Opening Ceremony

10.00 – 10.30 **Alex Geurds** (FA, Leiden) -- Welcome

10.10 – 10.30 **Thijs van Kolfschoten** (FA, Leiden) -- Diet in the Past – Food for Discussion; introduction

10.30 – 11.00 **John Speth** (Michigan, USA) -- Interesting but Unresolved Issues in the Evolution of Human Diet and Foodways

**11.00 – 11.30** *Coffee/Tea break*

### Session 1 - Methodology

11.30 – 12.00 **Jason Laffoon** (FA, Leiden) -- Isotopes and Paleodiet: Problems, Progress and Future Prospects

12.00 – 12.30 **Yvonne van Amerongen** (FA, Leiden) -- Reconstruction of annual and seasonal diet composition

**12.30 – 13.30** *Lunch break*

13.30 – 14.00 **Amanda Henry** (MPI-EVA- Leipzig) -- Plant Foods in Human Evolution

### Session 2 - The Evolution of food

14.00 – 14.30 **Simon Parfitt** (UCL, London) -- Palaeolithic hunter-gatherers in their foodscape

14.30 – 15.00 **Veerle Linseele** (CAS, Leuven) -- Early stock keeping in Egypt and the continued importance of fish

**15.00 – 15.30** *Coffee/Tea break*

15.30 – 16.00 **Andrzej Antczak** (FA, Leiden) -- A socio-historical perspective on marine food in the Southern Caribbean

16.00 – 16.30 **Lucy Kubiak-Martens** (BIAX, Zaandam) -- Plant foods in the Mesolithic diet at the river dune site of Maasvlakte 2 near Rotterdam

**Venue:** Academy Building (Klein Auditorium), Rapenburg 67-73, Leiden. -- **Registration** before March 23  
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16.30 – 17.30 Drinks



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### **Session 2 - The Evolution of food (continuation)**

09.30 – 10.00 **Maaïke Groot** (VU, Amsterdam) -- Roman Diet

10.00 – 10.30 **Canan Çakırlar** (GIA, Groningen) -- Initial Domestication of Farm Animals in Southwest Asia:  
New Approaches and Recent Advances

*10.30 – 11.00 Coffee/Tea break*

### **Session 3 - Cultural and Anthropological Aspects**

11.00 – 11.30 **Remko Kuipers** (UMC, Groningen) -- Our Paleolithic diet: anthropological and archeological  
compared to medical viewpoints

11.30 – 12.00 **Raymond Corbey** (FA, Leiden) -- Food into faeces: Cultural taboos around eating and  
defecation

12.00 – 12.30 **Silvia Bello** (NHM, London) -- Cannibalism: you are what you eat

### **Poster Session**

12.30 – 13.00 **Poster Pitch**

*13.00 – 14.00 Lunch break*

14.00 – 14.45 **Posterpresentation**

### **Session 4 - Palaeo- & Future diet**

14.45 – 15.15 **Hanno Pijl** (LUMC, Leiden) -- Type 2 diabetes: ancient dreams turning into a contemporary  
nightmare

15.15 – 15.45 **Vincenzo Fogliano** (WUR, Wageningen) -- Fire, cooked foods and human evolution: from the  
diet of the past a clue to tackle obesity pandemic

### **15.45 – 16.00 Closing session**

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