1st International Conference
DOGS - PAST AND PRESENT -
An interdisciplinary perspective

Rome, 14th-17th November, 2018

Preliminary Program

National Research Council (CNR)
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14th-16th November

Museo dell’Arte Classica - Facoltà di Lettere
Università “La Sapienza”
Aula Odeion, piazzale Aldo Moro 5
17th November
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Thanks to our friends, our dogs friends and all the friends of dogs
Wednesday, 14th November

08:30 Arrival of participants/registration
09:15 Welcome and Institutional greetings
10:00 Howe I.D. - **Calling on a favor from man’s best friend: Public Outreach in Science.**

**GENETICS/NEW TECHNOLOGY**

10:15 **Carles Vilà (Keynote speaker)** - **A molecular view on the domestication of dogs.**

*Coffee break*

11:30 Cilli E., Ciucani M.M., Koupadi K., Maini E., Nenzioni G., Reggiani P., De Fanti S., Serventi P., Palumbo D., Fabbri E., Curci A., Cattani M., Luiselli D., Galaverni M., Caniglia R., Gruppioni G. - **Looking for domestication traces and population dynamics in Late Pleistocene and Holocene Italian canids by ancient mitochondrial DNA analysis.**

11:45 Leroy G., Wang S. - **Recent changes in breeding methods and tools for dog breeding.**

12:00 Sanna D., Cossu P., Lai T., Scarpa F., Canu A., Scandura M., Apollonio M., Lugli F., Francalacci P., Merue P., Casu M. - **Mitochondrial DNA variation among dogs of Mongolian and Tuvinian nomads (Bulgan, Arkhangai and Tuva).**

12:15 Larson G., Frantz L., Perri A., Lebrasseur O., Dobney K., Linderholm A. - **A palaeogenomic approach to understanding the evolutionary origins of domestic dogs.**

12:30 Boschin F., Bernardini F., Zanolli C., Tagliacozzo A., Tuniz C. - **Using X-ray microtomography to discriminate between dogs’ and wolves’ lower carnassial tooth.**

*Lunch - 13:00-14:00*

14:00 Iregren E. - **Mesolithic dogs in Northern Europe. Why do dogs appear to have consumed a highly variable diet?**

14:15 Nottingham J.A. - **The changing nature of dogs in (Post) Medieval England: a bioarchaeological approach to investigating the human-dog relationship in historic time.**

*Discussion*
**DOMESTICATION**

15:00 Iurino D.A., Mecozzi M., Perisco D., Maimone L., Sardella R. - *Canids from the last 30,000 years of the Italian Peninsula: an overview.*

15:15 Ben-Dor M. - *Why domesticate wolves at the end of the Pleistocene.*


**Coffee break**


16:45 Bräuer J., Call J., Tomasello M. - *Cooperation in a hunting-like paradigm: wolves versus dogs.*

17:00 Maltseva O. Vl. - *Dog: reverse evolution from domestic to wild form.*

**Discussion**

*Thursday, 15th November*

**ROLE AND TASKS OF THE DOG**

08:45 Janulardo E. - *Entre la métaphysique et l’attente: les chiens de Carlo Carrà.*

09:00 Plankājs E. - *Dog co-burials as elite manifestation of the Late Iron Age Liv society.*


09:30 Blanchard C. - *Les sans-abris accompagnés de chiens: analyse anthropologique autour d’une marginalité urbaine méconnue.*

09:45 Bealcovschi S. - *La place du chien de compagnie dans la culture, les pratiques et l’imaginaire nord-américain contemporain.*

10:00 Eleuteri V., Lugli F. - *Dogs and fishing boats.*

10:15 Pasaric M. - *Dogs at the crossroads - from hunter’s best friend to farmers best fiend?*

**Coffee break**
11:00  Lévesque F. - *Inuit and dogs in a multicultural and (post) colonial Arctic city: an examination of the contemporary roles of dogs in Iqaluit, Nunavut (Canada).*

11:15  Filejski C., Reynolds A., Hueffer K. - *Reflections of the whole: dogs in remote Northern Indigenous Communities in North America from the 19th Century to the present.*

**Discussion**

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**DIFFUSION OF DOGS**

11:45  Yeomans L. - *Did dogs help humans negate the effect of environmental change in the Early Holocene of eastern Jordan.*

12:00  Guedes Milheira A, R. Borges C., Loponte D., Acosta A. - *The domestic dog (Canis lupus familiaris) in the pre-colonial period of Brazil. New records and social meaning.*

12:15  Rodriguez Loredo C. - *Évidence de chien (Canis familiaris) chez les premiers pêcheurs du littoral pacifique dans l’extrème sud péruvien, Quebrada de los Burros.*

12:30  Mitchell P. - *Disease as a constraint on the spread of dogs into the tropics and beyond.*

**Discussion**

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**Lunch - 13:00-14:00**

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**BREEDS**

14:00  Bona F., Castagna D., Poggiani Keller P. - *Neolithic dogs in the central Po Valley. Review of published data and new evidence.*

14:15  Cerilli E., Fatucci M. - *The dog in the castle: a dog skeleton from Castle of Santa Severa (Latium, Italy).*

**Discussion**

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**PASTORALISM**

14:45  Bogdanov E. - *The role of the dog in the society of the Xiongnu (fine arts and written sources).*
15:00 Lugli F. - Mongolian steppe nomads and their dogs (Bulgan, Arkhangai and Dundgovi).

Coffee break

15:30 Varenov A.V. - Demonic dogs of Mongolian stag stones and their Chinese counterparts.

15:45 Lugli F., Sychenko G. - Dogs, nomads and hunters in Southern Siberia.

Discussion

FOLKLORE

16:15 Sychenko G., Arbachakova L. - Dog and Wolf in Folklore of Southern Siberia Turks.

16:30 Kolosova V. - “Dog” plants in Slavonic folk botany.

Discussion

17:00 Poster Session

Friday, 16th November

RITUAL AND SACRIFICE

08:45 Santini F. - Dog as companion in life and in death: the case study of dog burials in human grave (VII-VI BC) in Loc. Collina dei Gelsi - Poggio Sommacilla (Rieti, Italy).

09:00 Cesarano M., De Filippis A., Mazzocchi A., Thun Hohenstein U. - “Nine dogs had the sovereign at his table, he put two on the pyre, after having slaughtered them”. Heroic echoes in an archaic burial from Nola.

09:15 Fiore I., Migliorati L., Pansini A., Sgrulloni T., Sperduti A. - The tower, the sewer, the shafts. Dog and human sepultures at Peltuinum (L’Aquila, Italy).


09:45 Meirano V., Pagano D. - Dogs in ancient Greek ritual practice. The case-study of the “U-shaped” stoa at Epizephyrian Lokroi (southern Italy) reconsidered.

10:00 Novikov A.V. - Burials of dogs at the ancient settlements of Western Siberia.

Discussion

Coffee break
MYTH AND SYMBOLISM

11:15 Giuman M., Napolitano N. - “Implore me not, dog”. The figure of the dog in the ancient Greek world.
11:30 Portillo Gómez A. - Roman and Greek dogs in rituals and in the world of the dead. Uses, meanings and symbolism.
12:00 Staniukovich M. - Dog in Philippine creation myths: in a spirit of hunting.

Discussion

Lunch - 13:00-14:00

ART AND REPRESENTATIONS

14:00 Cheremisin D.V. - Dog images in the Altai Rock Art.
14:15 Bottari A. - The image of the dog on ancient coins in the Mediterranean area.
14:30 Crispino A. - Dog: numismatist’s best friend.
14:45 Iuffrida M. - Dogs in the Vatican Museums collections.
15:00 Kubarev G.V. - Images of Canis in the early Middle-aged rock and small plastic arts of Southern Siberia.
15:15 Kudinova M. - Dogs in the rituals and art of Neolithic cultures in China.

Discussion

Coffee break

DOGS AS FOOD - DOGS AS SACRIFICE

16:30 Horard-Herbin M-P. - The consumption and status of dogs during the Iron Age in France.
17:00 Avieli N. - Thai migrant workers in Israel and the dog-eating myth.
Shelach-Lavi G. - *Dogs as humans and humans as dogs: dogs in early Chinese rituals and art.*

**Discussion**

**Saturday, 17th November**

**Perception of dog in different cultures**

09:00  Saliari K., Pucher E. - *Dogs in Austria from the Neolithic to the Iron Age.*

09:15  Minunno G. - *Dogs in Phoenician and Punic culture.*

09:30  Wybult D. - *The role and significance of dogs in the Roman Iron Age in the Kujavia region.*

09:45  Bottéro F. - *The dog and the Chinese script.*

**Discussion**

**Coffee break**

**Dogs. Past/Present**

10:45  Braulinska K. - *A kitchen dog was never good for the chase. Dogs in ancient Egypt and their modern descendants.*

11:00  De Grossi Mazzorin J., Fiore I., Minniti C., Tagliacozzo A. - *Faithful unto death. Burial, legend and heroism of dog from Antiquity to the contemporary Age.*

11:15  Tourigny E. - *Do all dogs go to heaven? The archaeology of post-medieval dog burials and their role in understanding the origins of the modern animal welfare movement.*

11:30  Lanoue G. - *The role of dogs in native societies in Northwest North America.*

11:45  Latini T., Pandolfi L., Bartolini Lucenti S. - *Dogs through time: an ethno-evolutionary perspective.*

**Discussion**

**Closing Remarks**
Thursday, 15th November - 17:00

Agostino R., Delfino O.L. - *Dogs and Man in the Locri Museum.*
Alhaique F. - *Four dogs in a road (to say nothing of the fox).*
Alhaique F., Romano L., D’Agostino F. - *Urgir and the other dogs from Abu Tberah (Southern Iraq): considerations on the role of dogs in Sumer during the 3rd millennium BCE.*
Andreeva E.N., Eliseeva L.G. - “Do not laugh, I beg of you, for this is a dog’s grave”: human-canine bond in the ancient Greek world.
Bachura O.P., Lobanova T.V. - *The dog remains from aboriginal population archeological sites of the north of Western Siberia during the Late Holocene.*
Bauer C.C., Germonpré M., Lázničková-Galetová M., Bocherens H. - *Special treatment of large canids in the Gravettian? Bone and ivory objects in the mouth of the Předmosti (-) canid skull specimen for the first time revealed with a CT scan.*
Bertolini M., Thun Hohenstein U. - *A dog head in a house pit at the Early Iron Age site of Verucchio. Butchery waste or ritual sacrifice?*
Brassard C., Bréhard S., Callou C., Cornette R., Herrel A., Tresset A. - *Commensalism and “domesticity” in canids from the Old World from the Late-Glacial to Holocene: a diachronic comparative study on the morphological evolution and function of the mandible in the red fox and dog.*
Di Matteo M., Tunzi A.M., Modesto R., Alhaique F. - *The dogs from the cult layers of the Ipogeo del Guardiano (Trinitapoli, Barletta-Andria-Trani, Italy).*
Gil Cano F., Catagnano V., Vázquez J-M., Soler M., Lomba J., Saña M. - *Foramen magnum with a dorsal notch in a dog from 4000 years ago.*
Iovino M. - *Wild canide evidences from Grotta Giovanna prehistoric layers: past environmental and symbolic meaning.*
Janulardo L. - *Chiens et bergers dans la terre orobique.*
Nutini S., Marini M. - “Cobalt Greyhounds”. An artistic proof in ceramics.
Scheele E.E., Çakırlar C. - *Van Giffen’s dogs: cranial osteometry of Iron Age to Medieval period dogs from the Northern Netherlands.*
Stefanini M., Landini L. - *Hunting dogs of the mid seventeenth century.*