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**Wednesday 14 November 2018**
18:00-18:10 Sebastian Schmidt-Hofner (Tübingen): Welcome
18:10-19:00 Key Note: Lisa Fentress (Rome): ‘Islamizing the Berbers’

**Thursday 15 November 2018**
10:00-10:15 Roland Steinacher (Innsbruck) and Paolo Tedesco (Tübingen): Opening Remarks

**First Section: History (Chair: Alexander Sarantis):**
10:15-10:45 Roland Steinacher (Innsbruck): ‘When not in Rome, still do as the Romans do? Africa in the first millennium’
11:15-11:45 Coffee Break
11:45-12:15 Andrew Merrills (Leicester): ‘Corippus' triumphal geography: a new look at Ioh II’
12:15-12:45 Federico Montinaro (Tübingen): ‘Byzantine Resistance in Roman Africa, 641-668 CE’
12:45-14:45 Lunch Break

**Second Section Archaeology (Chair: Roland Steinacher):**
14:45-15:15 Philipp von Rummel (Berlin): ‘Simitthu 500-1000: A case study’
15:45-16:15 Coffee Break

**Friday 16 November 2018**

**Third Section: Economy (Chair: Paolo Tedesco):**
10:00-10:30 Daniel Syrbe (Nijmegen): ‘Nomadic Mobility and Economy in Late Antique and Byzantine North Africa’
10:30-11:00 Antonia Bosanquet (Hamburg): ‘Changing Trade Patterns in Iffīqiya. A Comparison between the Eighth and the Tenth Centuries’
11:00-11:15 Coffee Break
11:15-11:45 Sam Nixon (London): ‘Monetary system, and metals exchange in the medieval trans-Saharan world: archaeological insights from the mine, the market, and the mint’
11:45-12:15 Roland Steinacher (Innsbruck) and Paolo Tedesco (Tübingen): Concluding Remarks

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