



**EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION  
OF ARCHAEOLOGISTS  
20th ANNUAL MEETING**

10-14 September, 2014  
ITU - Istanbul

*In Memoriam Sevgi Gönül*

## **EAA 2014 ISTANBUL MEETING**

The EAA 2014 annual meeting will be held in Istanbul the town where nature and history merge in harmony to create an enchanting cultural environment. Due to its central location among distinct cultural geographies, Istanbul has always been a World city of focal importance from early prehistory to the present, and is adorned with the fabulous relics of three great empires. Linking East and West, past and present, the city is a uniquely multicultural metropolis.



The meeting will be hosted by Istanbul Technical University and held at Taşkışla Campus of the Faculty of Architecture. The Taşkışla Campus is centrally situated in the European part of Istanbul, overlooking the Bosphorus and within walking distance to major hotels, budget accommodation facilities, and Istanbul's world famous hub of entertainment. The meeting will be organized under the auspices of the Ministry of Culture and Tourism and sponsored by Vehbi Koç Foundation.

Turkish Airlines and Star Alliance will be the official carrier of the meeting. Istanbul has two international airports on both sides of the city. There are many daily flights to both of the airports from all over the world. There are shuttle bus services from the airports to Taksim area where the meeting venue and most of the hotels booked by the Meeting Secretariat.

## Sessions

Call for sessions and online session proposal submission is open until November 11, 2013. You can reach online submission form from

<https://www.eaa2014istanbul.org/form>

The following six themes define the framework of the EAA Istanbul 2014 Meeting; the decision in selecting these themes was taken within the context of incorporating wide range of subjects covering all time periods on supra regional level. So as to concert with the objective of EAA, the Scientific Committee considers the first theme, “Connecting seas - across the borders” as the prime theme of the Istanbul Meeting.

- 1) Connecting seas - across the borders
- 2) Managing archaeological heritage : past and present
- 3) Ancient technologies in social context
- 4) Environment and subsistence: the geosphere, ecosphere and human interaction
- 5) Times of change: collapse and transformative impulses
- 6) Retrieving and interpreting the archaeological record



Taşkışla Building, The faculty of Architecture of ITU

## Registration

Online Registration is open at <https://www.eaa2014istanbul.org/paket>

Before registering you are requested to sign up the web system at

<https://www.eaa2014istanbul.org/site/kayit>

Registration Fees are shown below;

	Before 01 May, 2014	After 01 May, 2014
EAA Member	95.00EUR	120 EUR
Student	60.00EUR	85 EUR
East European Member	60.00EUR	85 EUR
East European Student	40.00EUR	65 EUR
Non-Member	180.00EUR	205 EUR
Student Non- Member	115.00EUR	140 EUR
East-European Non-member	115.00EUR	140 EUR
East European Student Non- Member	85.00EUR	110 EUR
Retired Member	40.00EUR	65 EUR
Retired Non- member	100.00EUR	125 EUR
Retired East European Non- Member	85.00EUR	110 EUR
Accompanying Person	60.00EUR	85 EUR

## **Important Dates**

Meeting Dates **10-14 September, 2014**

Call for session & round table proposals: **September -11 November, 2013**

Announcing accepted sessions **16 December, 2013**

Submission of paper & poster proposals **16 December 2013 - 27 January, 2014**

Announcing the final Program **17 March, 2014.**

### **Program at a glance**

#### **September 06-09**

Pre-meeting tours

#### **September 09**

Registration

Special meetings and meetings of working groups

#### **September 10**

Registration

Opening Ceremony and Welcome Cocktail Party Venue TBA

#### **September 11**

Registration

Parallel Sessions

Annual Party Venue TBA

#### **September 12**

Registration

Parallel Sessions

EAA Annual Business Meeting

#### **September 13**

Registration

Parallel Sessions

Annual Dinner venue TBA

#### **September 14**

Post-meeting tours

## **Accommodation**

ITU Taşkışla Campus is conveniently located just in the middle of business section of Istanbul reachable on foot from almost all kind of categories of hotels on foot or by public transportation.

Meeting Secretariat Oasis Travel is holding room allotments in different category hotels nearby Taksim Square and the old town close to the historical monuments.

For viewing and booking the hotels online visit;

<https://www.eaa2014istanbul.org/urunler/konaklama>

## **Tours**

As the organisation committee we are offering numerous tour options to major archaeological and historic sites in Turkey to take place before and after the Congress.

Considering the wide spectrum of interests of the expected participants, we have done our best to cover sites of all periods. Even if the excursions have been listed under thematic categories, sites and other monuments of interest en-route will also be visited.

All tours will be accompanied by expert guides and most of the archaeological sites which are currently under excavation will be presented by a member of the excavation team.

In designing the tours, we have given priority to sites of utter importance that remain outside of the standard touristic itineraries, thus difficult to reach by one's self. Regretfully, these tours will have only a limited number of participants.

Tours around the Marmara Region will be conducted by comfortable coaches and/or vans & minivans whereas long distance ones will cover air and train as well. Accommodation will be in tourist class hotels in the cities, or the best available accommodation facilities in the remote areas. As prices of flight tickets increase over time, in long-distance tours the prices of early and late booking will differ.

If a tour is under subscribed it will be cancelled. If it is over subscribed, you may be refused a place.

As the organisation committee, we are open to all inquiries for tailor-made itineraries according to special interests.



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For viewing and online booking the tours you can visit

<https://www.eaa2014istanbul.org/urunler/turlar>

General Info about Turkey and Istanbul visit

<https://www.eaa2014istanbul.org/sayfa/34>

For more information please visit EAA 2014 ISTANBUL website

[www.eaa2014istanbul.org](http://www.eaa2014istanbul.org)

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