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Palaeolithic Populations: Coping with the Environmental Challenges of the Pleistocene

SATURDAY 31 MARCH – SUNDAY 1 APRIL 2012



DEPARTMENT FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION

Palaeolithic Populations: Coping with the Environmental Challenges of the Pleistocene

A weekend school to be held at Rewley House, 1 Wellington Square, Oxford

The Pleistocene epoch (c. 2.6 million to 10,000 years ago) saw great changes in climate as the world's ice sheets expanded and contracted many times. Against this background of global climate change, the first members of our own genus, Homo, emerged and evolved into several different forms, including, ultimately, our own species. New work continues to contribute to our understanding of the ebb and flow of Palaeolithic populations as climatic and environmental changes took place. Recent investigations at Happisburgh in Norfolk, for example, not only push back the presence of humans in Britain to somewhere between 850,000 and 950,000 years ago, but also show that some early Palaeolithic populations could survive cooler conditions than previously thought, although there is growing evidence to suggest that the Neanderthals were not as cold-tolerant as has been widely supposed. This weekend school brings together a number of researchers to explore how different human populations, particularly in Europe and Africa, coped with the varied environmental challenges that they faced.

SATURDAY 31 MARCH 2012

- 9.15am Registration
- 10.00am **Palaeolithic populations and Pleistocene climate change**
DIANE HOLMES
- 11.00am Coffee/tea
- 11.30am **The age, habitats and developing technology of the earliest humans in northern Europe**
NICK ASHTON
- 12.45pm Lunch
- 2.00pm **Hunting, handaxes and the earliest origins of the Neanderthals**
MATTHEW POPE

- 3.00pm **Neanderthals on the edge: Environmental change and the development of Levallois technology**
BECCY SCOTT
- 4.00pm Tea/coffee
- 4.30pm **Social requirements and opportunities for the earliest modern humans dispersing into Europe**
WILLIAM DAVIES
- 5.30pm Break / free time
- 7.00pm Dinner
- 8.15pm-9.30pm **Recent human evolution: How important were climatic and environmental factors?**
CHRIS STRINGER

SUNDAY 1 APRIL 2012

- 8.15am Breakfast (residents only)
- 9.15am **Stone Age populations and environmental change in the Western Rift of Eastern Africa**
LAURA BASELL
- 10.15am **Hunter-gatherers and herders in Southern Africa: Population histories of the Khoisan**
PETER MITCHELL
- 11.15am Coffee/tea
- 11.45am **Mega-sites and Epipalaeolithic societies in the Near East**
LISA MAHER
- 12.45pm Lunch and course disperses

NB The lift at Rewley House is being refurbished and will be out of commission from the **1 February 2012 to the 30 April 2012**. There will be no disabled access during this period.

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