The hands of the scribes in Antiquity: scribal practices and the social place of scribes from the Old Assyrian to the Hellenistic Period

Paris - 21-22 March 2022

Nanterre University

Amphithéâtre Max Weber (Max Weber building)

MONDAY 21st March

14h15-14h30 Welcome and brief introduction by Marie Young and Véronique Pataï

14h30-15h Wiebke Beyer (Hamburg University)

A Study on Wedges: The Variability of Old Assyrian Cuneiform Signs

15h-15h30 Anita Fattori (São Paulo University / Paris 1, Panthéon-Sorbonne University)

Family Lexicon: Language and Gender in the Old Assyrian Letters

15h30-16h Coffee Break

16h-16h30 Véronique Pataï (Department of Near Eastern Antiquities at the Louvre, Paris) A prosopographical investigation of the scribes of Nuzi: The case of dAK.DINGIR.RA son of Sîn-napšir

16h30-17h Baudouin Luzianovich (Sorbonne University)
Knowledgeable Royal Servants: The case of king's scribes in New Kingdom Egypt (1470-1069 B.C.E)

TUESDAY 22nd March

10h00-10h30 Maarja Seire (Leiden University)

The Scribes of Itti-Marduk-balātu

10h30-11h Paulina Pikulska (Warsaw University)

College Scribes of Sippar and their scribal activity

11h00-11h15 Coffee Break

11h15-11h45 Marie Young (Paris 1, Panthéon-Sorbonne University / Heidelberg University)
The Sîn-lēqi-unninni, the Ekur-zakir families and the writing of contracts in the Hellenistic
Uruk Society

11h45-12h15 Robert Kade (Humboldt University of Berlin)

The many hands on the kalamos: A survey through the scribal habits of Graeco-Roman Egypt

12h15-12h30 Conclusion by Marie Young and Véronique Pataï

12h30-14h Lunch time

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