



# NEANDERTHAL

## THE CONFERENCE

### Calpe 2018 Programme

#### Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> September

- 0900 Inauguration by the **Hon Prof. John Cortes**
- 0920 **Milford Wolpoff** - The Origin of *Homo*: Complicated but Clear
- 1020 Coffee
- 1040 **John Hawks** - Who were the ancestors of the Neanderthals?
- 1140 **Rachel Caspari** - Missing the Forest for the Trees: Race, Neandertals and the Significance of Population Relationships among Archaic Populations of Genus *Homo*
- 1240 **Karen Rosenberg** - The Neandertal pelvis: a view from the Middle Pleistocene
- 1325 Lunch
- 1500 **Peter Wheeler** - Neanderthal morphology and thermoregulatory energetics : How strong is the evidence for evolutionary adaptations to low temperature environments?
- 1600 Tea
- 1620 **Erella Hovers** - Continuity and change in research about the Neanderthals in the Levant
- 1720 **Mina Weinstein Evron** - Early Middle Paleolithic Misliya Cave (Mount Carmel, Israel) and the earliest modern humans outside Africa.
- 1820 **John Shea** - Why Is It So Difficult to Relate Stone Tools to Major Issues in Human Origins Research?

## **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September**

- 0900 **Carles Lalueza-Fox** - Paleoproteomic analysis and human evolution
- 1000 **Svante Paabo** - Neandertal Genomics
- 1100 Coffee
- 1120 **Lukas Bokelmann**, Mateja Hajdinjak, Selina Brace, Ian Barnes, Svante Pääbo, Matthias Meyer, Chris Stringer - Novel DNA Library Preparation Method allows first Retrieval of DNA from the Gibraltar Neanderthals
- 1205 **Mauricio Anton** - Almost a Time Portal: Reconstructing the life and times of the Gibraltar Neanderthals
- 1300 Lunch
- 1445 **Geraldine Finlayson** - Neanderthal Ecology – Gibraltar as a Case Study
- 1545 Tea
- 1605 **Stewart Finlayson** – Did Neanderthals live in colder climates than Modern Humans within Eurasia?
- 1645 **Alexander Menez** - Almost *Homo calpicus*: an updated historiography of the Gibraltar Skull
- 1745 **Clive Finlayson** - Neanderthal Biogeography and Evolution: Implications for the Cognitive Revolution

## **Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> September**

- 0900 **Francesco d'Errico** - Neandertals and the end of the one-fossil-species-one-cognition axiom
- 1000 **Marcia Ponce de León and Christoph Zollikofer** - Neanderthal brain development and evolution in cranial, somatic and behavioral context
- 1100 Coffee

- 1120 **David W. Frayer**, Janet Monge, Davorka Radovčić & Jakov Radovčić - Krapina and the case for complex behavior in Neandertals
- 1220 **Veronique Laroulandie** - Neanderthal exploitation of birds: What do taphonomical and archaeozoological studies tell us?
- 1320 Lunch
- 1500 **Bruce Hardy** - What's for dinner? Exploring our changing understanding of Neanderthal diets
- 1600 **Hervé Bocherens** - Neanderthal palaeoecology: Insights from stable isotopes
- 1700 Tea
- 1720 **Karen Hardy** - Omnivorous Neanderthals: Plants as food, medicine and raw materials in the Middle Palaeolithic
- 1820 **Eugène Morin**, Jacqueline Meier, Khalid El Guennouni, Anne-Marie Moigne, Loïc Lebreton, Lucille Rusch, Patricia Valensi, James Conolly and David Cochard - Revisiting Diet Breadth in Middle and Late Pleistocene Europe: Implications of New Findings

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