

Tentative title:

Materials, Scientific Dating and Digital Methods in Cultural Heritage

in Honor of Nikolaos Zacharias

Please adhere to the following guidelines - thank you!

The first deadline for submission is set for 31 May, 2026

Text: Contributions will be accepted in English. 3000- 5000 words without references and figure captions. Abstract up to 350 words.

Illustrations: Up to 12 figures (including tables and graphs), either b&w or coloured, 300 dpi at least. Each illustration should be submitted in a Tiff or jpg format (separate file. Ensure the image rights allow for both print and digital publication (CC BY NC-ND license). Each image must credit the copyright holder and photographer or illustrator. Together with the figures please provide list of the captions in a separate file.

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Title: 14pt Sentence case format

Subsection titles: in Bold Italic Page number on right bottom

Literal quotations are placed within “double quotation marks”. Individual words should be emphasized using single ‘quotation marks’, e.g.: According to U. Meyer, a ‘rich’ grave must be defined as a “princely grave” (Meyer 1994, 12 note 5).

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Abbreviations: cent. = century; mill. = millennium; D = diameter; H = height; L1 = length; L2 = width; Dp = diameter of the hole/perforation; mm = millimeter; cm = centimeter; m = meter; etc. g = gram; etc.

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cf. = compare

inv. = inventory number

N.S. = New Series

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