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EDUCATION

2011 to present – Ph.D. candidate in Near Eastern Archaeology at the University of Reading (UK) under the supervision of Prof. Roger Matthews and Dr. Wendy Matthews.

Dissertation title: 'The Lands of Nairi: Social and Material Culture Networking among the Communities of Eastern Anatolia during the Late Bronze and Iron Ages (13-7 Century BCE)'

2006/10 – Laurea Specialistica (M.A.) in Archaeology (Near Eastern curriculum) 110/110 - *Cum laude* - at the University of Florence (Italy).

Thesis title: "Facing an Empire: Hirbemerdon Tepe and the Upper Tigris Region Through the Iron Age Pottery Production". Supervisors: Prof. S. Mazzoni, Prof. N. Laneri.

2001/06 – Laurea Triennale (B.A.) in History and Tutelage of Archaeological Heritage (Near Eastern curriculum) 106/110 at the University of Florence (Italy).

Thesis title: "Il Sito Anatolico di Porsuk: Crocevia alle Pendici del Tauro tra l'Età del Bronzo e l'Età del ferro". Supervisors: Prof. P.E. Pecorella, Prof. F. Pecchioli-Daddi.

PRESENT OCCUPATION

2010 to present – Founder and Co-direction of the Center for Ancient Mediterranean and Near Eastern Studies (CAMNES)

2010 to present – Supervisor of the Department of Archaeology and Classical Studies of the Lorenzo de' Medici Italian International Institute in Florence, Rome, Tuscania and Venice.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY / PROFESSIONAL CAREER/ GRANTS

- 2014/2015 Organization of the 11th Congress of Egyptologists International of IAE with the Superintendence for Archaeological Heritage of Tuscany and the Florence Egyptian Museum and the University of Florence (dept. SAGAS).
- 2013 Co-organization of the conferenze 'Etruria in Progress' with the Superintendency of the Archaeological Heritage of Southern Etruria (Rome).
- 2013 Organization of the Workshop entitled 'Archeologia a Firenze: Città e Territorio' in collaboration with the University of Florence, The Municipality of Florence and the Superintendency of the Archaeological Heritage of Tuscany and publishing of the proceedings.
- 2011/2013 Co-organization of the 16th SOMA (Symposium of Mediterranean Archaeology) in collaboration with the University of Florence and publishing of the proceedings.
- 2012 Co-organization of the 'Roundtable on the Middle Paleolithic of Italy. Programming and Building the Future of Research'.
- 2011 Organization of the 1IV National Congress of Young Archaeologists in Tuscania (Italy).

 The Future in Archaeology' and publishing of the proceedings.
- 2010 Field co-director and trench supervisor of "Area D" (Chalcolithic, Bronze Age and Iron Age levels) at the *Hirbemerdon Tepe* Excavation Project, Diyarbakir (Turkey).
- 2008 Excavation project of the Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche (CNR), under the direction of Dr. M.R. Belgiorno, at the industrial quarter of *Pyrgos-Mavroraki* (Chalcolithic and Bronze Age levels), Limassol (Cyprus) with a Minister of Cultural Affairs scholarship (600€).

 (Excavation)
- 2007/2008 Member of the *Hirbemerdon Tepe* Survey Project of the Department of Anthropology of Harvard University, Boston, Massachusetts (U.S.A.), under direction of Prof. Jason Ur, Diyarbakir (Turkey).
- 2007 Illustration of the Cyprus Artifact Collection of the National Archaeological Museum of Florence, under supervision of Prof. Anna Margherita Jasink, University of Florence (Italy).
- 2006/2013 Member of the Excavation project of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, IsIAO, Curtis-Brennan Foundation, Grand Valley State University and CNR, under the direction of Dr. N. Laneri, at *Hirbemerdon Tepe*, Diyarbakir (Turkey). (Excavation, survey, illustration and Iron Age pottery analysis)
- 2005 Excavation project of the University of Firenze and Federico II of Napoli, under direction of Prof. P.E. Pecorella and prof. R. Pierobon-Benoit, at *Tell Barri-Kahat*, Jazeera (Syria).

 (Mission Illustrator)
- 2005/2007 Excavation project of Lorenzo De' Medici International Institute and the City of

Tuscania, under the direction of Dr. S. Giuntoli, at the Etruscan Necropolis of *Tuscania* (III-II sec. a.C.) at *Pian delle Rusciare*, Viterbo (Italy). (Excavation, survey and illustration)

- 2004/2005 Excavation project of the University of Firenze, under direction of Prof. G. Camporeale, at the Necropolis of the Etruscan settlement (VII-VI sec. a.C.) of the *Accesa*, Massa Marittima, Grosseto (Italy). (Excavation and survey)
- 2003 Excavation project of the University of Siena, under direction of Prof. A. Ronchitelli and Prof. P. Boscato, at the *Riparo de L'Oscurusciuto* (Middle Paleolithic) of Ginosa, Taranto (Italy).

 (Excavation and data recording)
- 2002 Excavation project of the University of Siena, under direction of Prof. A. Ronchitelli and Prof. P. Boscato, at the *Grotta Grande* (Middle Paleolithic) of Scario, Salerno (Italy). (Excavation and data recording)
- 1998 Excavation project of the University of Omaha, Nebraska (U.S.A.), under direction of Prof. R. Arav and Prof. R. A. Freund, of the Iron Age settlement of *Bethsaida* in the Tiberias district (Israel).

 (Excavation and data recording)

TEACHING CAREER

- 2007 Co-lecturer of the "Archaeology Workshop" course at the Lorenzo De' Medici International Institute.
- 2006/2012 Illustration training at the *Hirbemerdon Tepe* Excavation Project, Diyarbakir (Turkey).
- 2006 Co-direction of the Photography Lab of the Etruscan settlement of the *Accesa, Massa Marittima* (*GR*), for the University of Florence (Italy).

TALKS AND PAPER PRESENTATIONS

- 2013 'L'Età del Ferro e l'Ascesa dell'Impero Neo-Assiro' all'interno del IV Ciclo di Lezioni di Archeologia: La Mesopotamia e il Vicino Oriente Antico.
- 2012 "Linking the Mountains to the Plains: Material Culture and Lifestyle of the Local Communities in South-eastern Anatolia during the Iron Age". Paper presented at the 8th International Congress on the Archaeology of the Ancient Near East (8ICAANE), Warsaw, Poland, April 30-May 4, 2012.
- 2011 "Facing an Empire: Hirbemerdon Tepe and the Upper Tigris Region between the Middle and Neo-Assyrian Periods". Paper presented at the American Schools of Oriental Research Annual Meeting (ASOR), San Francisco, November 16-19, 2011.

2011 – "Nairi Ware: a Reassessment of the Local Late Bronze – Middle Iron Age Ceramic Production of South-eastern Anatolia". Paper presented at the International Ilisu Dam Archaeology Symposium, Mardin, Turkey, October 19-22, 2011.

PUBLICATIONS (AUTHOR AND EDITOR)

- [Forthcoming] G. Guarducci, Empire of Conflict, Empire of Compromise: The Middle and Neo-Assyrian Landscape and Interaction with the Local Communities of the Upper Tigris Borderland. In, C. Tyson and V. Herrmann (eds.), *Empire and Agency: The Periphery in the Neo-Assyrian Empire*. University Press of Colorado.
- [Forthcoming] G. Guarducci, Phase IV Iron Age. In, N. Laneri (ed.) *Hirbemerdon Tepe Archaeological Project 2003-2013 Final Report. Chronology and Material Culture.*
- 2015 V. d'Aquino, G. Guarducci, S. Nencetti, S. Valentini (eds.), *Archeologia a Firenze: Città e Territorio. Atti del Workshop. Firenze, 12-13 Aprile 2013.* Archaeopress (Oxford).
- 2014 G. Guarducci, Linking the Mountains to the Plains: Material Culture and Lifestyle of the Local Communities in South-eastern Anatolia during the Iron Age. In Papers presented at the 8th International Congress on the Archaeology of the Ancient Near East (8ICAANE), Warsaw, Poland, April 30-May 4, 2012.
- 2013 L. Bombardieri, A. D'Agostino, G. Guarducci, V. Orsi and S. Valentini (eds.), Identity & Connectivity, Proceedings of the 16th Symposium on Mediterranean Archaeology (Florence, 1-3 March 2012).
- 2012 G. Guarducci e S. Valentini (eds.), *Il Futuro nell'Archeologia. Il Contributo dei Giovani Ricercatori Atti del IV Convegno Nazionale dei Giovani Archeologi Tuscania (VT), 12-15 Maggio 2011*. Scienze e Lettere.
- 2012 G. Guarducci, Nairi Ware: La Produzione Ceramica in Anatolia sud-orientale fra l'Età del Bronzo Tardo e l'Età del Ferro Medio. In, (Stefania Mazzoni ed.), *Studi di archeologia del Vicino Oriente. Scritti degli allievi fiorentini per Paolo Emilio Pecorella.* Florence University Press.
- 2011 G. Guarducci, 'Facing an Empire: Hirbemerdon Tepe and the Upper Tigris Region During the Early Iron Age and Neo-Assyrian Period'. Gorgias Press.
- 2010 G. Guarducci and N. Laneri, Hirbemerdon Tepe during the Iron Age Period: A Case Study in the Upper Tigris River Region, *Anatolica* 36. Peeters.

AS ILLUSTRATOR

2009 – Illustration of the artifacts together with F. Paraskoulakis in: A. M. Jasink and L. Bombardieri (eds), *Le Collezioni Egee del Museo Archeologico Nazionale di Firenze*. Florence University Press.

2006 to present – Illustration of the ceramic production and artifacts of the *Hirbemerdon Tepe* Excavation Project publications.

KNOWN LANGUAGES

Italian (mother tongue)
English (excellent)
Turkish (basic)