

Program of the 13th International Congress of the Gesellschaft für Anthropologie (GfA)
Weal and Woe
- Human Health and Wellbeing in a Wider Perspective -

Monday

17:00	Welcome & Get-Together at the „Villa Cuba“, optional registration
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Tuesday

From 8:00	Registration at the Foyer of the Zentrum Anatomie (Kreuzberggring 36)
09:00-09:20	Opening and welcome by M. Trautmann, chairman of the GfA and J. Staiger, managing director of the Centre of Anatomy of the Universitätsmedizin Göttingen
09:20-09:40	L. Verginer, Explanatory models and treatment of mental illness in Uganda Western psychiatry, traditional and religious healing
09:40-10:00	W. Götz, The impact of anatomical variants of the jaw bone on clinical oral surgery and implantology
10:00-10:50	F. Rühli: Evolutionary Medicine: How Mummies can Enlighten Modern Medicine
10:50-11:10	Coffee break
11:10-11:30	A. Düring, Palaeoepidemiology and paradox. Modelling disease in living populations and cemeteries
11:30-11:50	B. Großkopf, Signs of manipulation on Neolithic bones
11:50-12:10	K. Fuchs, Weal and woe in the North Caucasian Bronze Age: Insights into oral health, diet and social inequality 2200-1650 BCE
12:10-13:20	Lunch break
13:20-14:00	* AG-Meetings 1 *
14:00-14:50	A. Heschl: A Darwinian Perspective on the Co-Evolution of Diet and Brain
14:50-15:50	* Open Discussion: Anthropology as Navigation System for Humankind? *
15:50-16:10	Coffee break
16:10-16:30	S. Exner, The present is hidden from the senses, but not from the mind
16:30-16:50	A. Kozak, Deficiencies and infection diseases of the children in Medieval and Early Modern Kyiv
17:00-18:00	* Guided Tour through the Blumenbach and Blechschmidt Collections *

Wednesday

09:00-09:20	A. Schneider: “I feel good” - Body perception, well-being and health emotional in childhood
09:20-09:40	S. Kirchengast, The worldwide trend of rising Caesarean section rates – the impact of recent life style patterns
09:40-10:00	J. Mazanec, Paleopathological collections as genetic archives
10:00-10:50	J. Weber: Interpretation of Skull Injuries from Today's Neurosurgical Point of View
10:50-11:10	Coffee break
11:10-11:30	L. Konstantinou, Kaiadas, an antique place of human execution. Paleopathological findings and an ethological approach
11:30-11:50	D. Roth, Babette Saxer – der erste dokumentierte Kaiserschnitt (1865) in Basel. Schicksal einer kleinwüchsigen Frau im frühindustriellen Basel
11:50-12:30	* AG-Meetings 2 *
12:30-13:40	Lunch break
13:40-14:00	S. Sangong: to be announced
14:00-14:50	U. Wittwer-Backofen: Multiple Risk Factors for Healthy Growth and Development in a Vulnerable Population of South Africa - Towards an Assessment of an Intervention Study
14:50-15:10	T. Martinovic, How museum education can promote well-being
15:10-15:30	Coffee break
15:30-16:00	* Posters Presentations 1-9 *
16:15	* Meeting of the members of the GfA e.V.; snacks and refreshments provided *

Thursday

09:00-09:20	J. Bügler, Early childhood staff- an overview about their workplace satisfaction
09:20-09:40	B. Teßmann, Anthropological provenance research in museums and collections - a new field of activity for anthropologists
09:40-10:00	S. Krause: Invisible? The Diagnosis of Down's Syndrome in Dry Bones
10:00-10:50	M. Berner/ S. Eggers: Bioarchaeological Evidence for the Care of Disabled Individuals in Past Societies
10:50-11:10	Coffee break
11:10-11:30	S. Penske, A 3000 years transect through time in prehistoric Central Germany
11:30-11:50	J. Orschiedt, Paleopathological findings in a corded ware burial from Wennungen, Sachsen-Anhalt, Germany
11:50-12:10	M. Trautmann, The First Rider
12:10-13:30	Lunch break
13:30-14:20	Z. Bereczki: Healing, Faith and Identity in the Early Medieval Carpathian Basin
14:20-14:50	B. Jungklaus, Identification of the deceased from archaeological contexts
14:50-15:10	J. Kranzbühler, Human Remains from Second World War Aircraft Crash Sites
15:10-15:40	* Posters Presentations 10-19 *
15:40-16:00	Coffee break
16:00-16:20	U. Rempe, Morphometric reconstruction of phylogenetic graphs by use of some fairly preserved skulls of extinct members of the Hominidae
16:20-16:40	C. Meyer, Bioarchaeological Analysis and Interpretation of the Early Neolithic Mass Grave of Halberstadt. Further Evidence of Violence among the First Farmers of Central Europe.
16:40-17:00	J. Nováček, Injuries and their possible treatment in the Merovingian cemetery from Gotha – Boilstädt
17:00-17:20	E. Petiti: A Tar-Baby! Methodological Issues on Palaeopathology of Childhood: Case Studies from Jordan, Part 1
17:20-17:40	J. Gresky, Infant health and care: Burials from the Late Pre-Pottery Neolithic Site of Ba'ja, Southern Jordan
18:30	* Conference Dinner at the restaurant “Kartoffelhaus” (Goethe-Allee 8) *

Friday

09:00-09:20	M. Hermanussen, Tracing association chains by St. Nicolas House Analysis
09:20-09:40	C. Scheffler, Are small children malnourished? – Association of social impact, nutrition and physical activity on body dimensions and body composition in a stunted population in Indonesia
09:40-10:00	K. Scheelen-Nováček: Probable Vestiges of Metabolic Diseases in Two Early Ottoman Populations from Coastal Asia Minor
10:00-10:50	J. Gresky: Share your Rare! Ancient Rare Disease: Setting a New Agenda for Research and Outreach
10:50-11:10	G. Apfelauer: Die Wirkung des Gesangs und des Klavierspiels auf das menschliche Wohlbefinden
11:10-11:30	Coffee break
11:30-11:50	M. Heuschkel, Anthropology, osteology and digitization – developing a digital “bones library” for anthropological analyses and the digitization of cultural heritage objects
11:50-12:10	G. Medicus: Body and Soul, Morality and Human Dignity: An Evolutionary Perspective
12:10-13:00	M. Schultz, Honorary Lecture
13:00-13:30	* Awards for posters and presentations, closing remarks, farewell *
15:00-17:00	* Optional: trip to the Roman battlefield and Museum at Harzhorn * (registration at the conference office on Tuesday, minimum number of participants required to take place, as a bus has to be rented)