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**Arabia and the Red Sea after
the Turning to the Common Era:
Advancing the State of the Art**

15. – 16. 09. 2011

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Thursday 15 September

09:00 REGISTRATION

09:00 WELCOME

Peter Comba

(Director IWH, University of Heidelberg)

Reinhard Stupperich

(Heidelberg University)

Walter Raunig

(State Museum for Ethnology Munich, Emeritus)

NORTH-EASTERN AFRICA

10:00 **The so-called pre-Aksumite ware**

Rudolpho Fattovich (Naples University)

10:25 **The Aksumite pottery**

Andrea Manzo (Naples University)

10:50 **The Black Assarca wreck**

Ralph Pedersen (Marburg University)

10:55-11:30 COFFEE

NORTH-WESTERN ARABIA

11:30 **Import and export regimes at Early Islamic Aylah:
Evidence from the new ceramic typology.**

Kristoffer Damgaard (Carsten Niebuhr Inst.)

11:55 **Pottery from an early 1st millennium AD
residential area at Tayma**

Francelin Tourtet (DAI, Orient Division)

12:20 **From South to North: Some Remarks on the Pottery
from Najrân, Hegra and Dûmat al-Jandal**

Guillaume Charloux (CNRS)

12:45-14:00 LUNCH

14:00	Hegra/Mada' in Saleh (Saudi Arabia) <i>Carolina Durand (CNRS)</i>
15:15-15:45	TEA
15:50-16:10	Cosmopolitanism and regionalism in the site of Sumhuram (3rd cent. BC – 5th cent AD) <i>Alexia Pavan (Pisa University)</i>
YEMENITE SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS	
16:10	Late Roman period import ware in Zafar/Yemen <i>Paul Yule (Heidelberg University)</i>
18:30	RECEPTION

Friday 16 September 2011

SESSION IV

09:40	Local pottery from Zafar/Yemen <i>Paul Yule (Heidelberg University)</i>
10:05	Petrografische Untersuchungen zur Klassifizierung frühhimyarischer Keramik vom Jabal al-'Awd, Jemen <i>Janine Zech (State Archaeology Saxony-Anhalt)</i>
10:30	Petrological Characterisation of Aqaba Late Roman Period Pottery from Zafar (Yemen) <i>Michael Raith*, Paul Yule, Beate Spiering, David Wenge</i>
11:30	SUMMARY DISCUSSION AND SHOWING OF POTTERY <i>Discussants: include Martine Brucker, Michela Gaudiello, Walter Raunig, Alexander Sedov, Reinhard Stupperich, Lena Tambs, as well as the rest of the participants.</i>
18:00	INFORMAL DISCUSSION AT A RESTAURANT