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# Thera & Minoan Crete

New insights into two  
'cultures of disaster'

Livestream available!

## PROGRAM

**9:15**            **OPENING**

**9:30**            **MARISA MARTHARI (ATHENS)**

*From Cycladic to Minoanising: Cultural and social transformation in pre-eruption Thera as reflected in pottery and settlement patterns*

**10:15** **CHRISTOS DOUMAS (ATHENS)**

*The role of Crete in the development of prehistoric Thera*

**COFFEE BREAK**

**11:30** **LEFTERIS PLATON (ATHENS)**

*The phase of the Theran volcanic destruction in Crete: some observations on the pottery types and motifs of the "LMIA mature" phase, as it has been defined in selected Cretan sites*

**12:15** **GEORGES VOUGIOUKALAKIS (ATHENS)**

*The "Minoan" eruption of Santorini volcano: onset, evolution and distal impacts*

**LUNCH BREAK**

**14:30** **UTE GÜNKEL-MASCHEK (HEIDELBERG)**

*Images and their architectural settings before and after the eruption of Thera*

**15:15** **ALEXANDER MACGILLIVRAY (ATHENS)**

*Thera and the Minoan renaissance at Palaikastro*

**COFFEE BREAK**

**16:30** **JAN DRIESSEN (LOUVAIN-LA-NEUVE)**

*The 'Troubled Island' .... 15 years later*

**17:15** **DIAMANTIS PANAGIOTOPOULOS (HEIDELBERG)**

*Aegean 'cultures of disaster'*

**FINAL DISCUSSION**

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