



MesoLife

*A Mesolithic perspective on Alpine
and neighbouring territories*

Selva di Cadore, Italy, 11th-14th June 2014

Dear colleagues,

this is the **second newsletter** of the conference "MesoLife. A Mesolithic perspective on Alpine and neighbouring territories" which will be held at Selva di Cadore (Belluno, Italy) from 11th to 14th June, 2014.

Please find here-attached the **Preliminary Conference Program**. We thank all of you who have sent a proposal (communication and/or poster) since this has enabled us to draw up a rich and varied program.

We are pleased to inform you that the book of abstracts is going to be published on a special number of the "Annali dell'Università di Ferrara" which will also be available on-line.

It is also a pleasure to announce you that we have received the patronage of the U.I.S.P.P. HOME (Human Occupation of Mountain Environments) Commission, the Veneto Region and the Province of Belluno.

Here is some **practical information** about the conference:

Bus service

All participants (speakers and listeners) who wish to profit of the dedicated bus service from and to Venice airport are kindly asked to inform us about the exact time of arrival and departure **not later than the 15th May**. This will allow us to organize the service in due time. Please note that we will not be able to guarantee the provided service for latecomers.

On request, a further service will be organized from/to Longarone and/or Belluno railway stations for those of you who will travel by train. Please let us know about that within the same time limit (15th May).

Accommodation

All hotels advised on the web site (<http://mesolife.wordpress.com/sessions>) are located at a 30/40 minutes walk from the Museo Civico della Val Fiorentina "Vittorino Cazzetta" (<http://www.museoselvadicadore.it/>) where the conference will be held. A bus/car service will be available in Selva di Cadore for taking participants from and to hotels every morning and every



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night. Near the hotels in Santa Fosca you will find restaurants for dinner while lunches will be offered to participants by the organization and will take place in a reserved room at the Museum.

A conference dinner with typical local food will be organized Thursday evening. You will find more details in the next newsletter.

Field trips

On 14th June two different field trips are being organized, both allowing to visit Mesolithic alpine high altitude sites above the timber-line which are the object of on-going research projects. You are kindly requested to make your reservation before the **15th May**.

Registration and other information

We remind you that the deadline for registration is the 30th May 2014.

You can find all the information regarding registration fee, venue, field-trips and the preliminary program on the dedicated website: <http://mesolife.wordpress.com>.

We remind you that our contact email is the following: info.mesolife@gmail.com.

We look forward to welcome you at Selva di Cadore in June!

With best wishes

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