

THE EIGHTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF EGYPTOLOGISTS

Organized by
THE SUPREME COUNCIL OF ANTIQUITIES
Under the auspices of
H. E. Minister of Culture, Mr. Farouk Hosni

May 21, 1999

Dear Colleague,

The arrangements for pre-registration for the Eighth International Congress of Egyptologists are now finally in place. In this second announcement you will find a Pre-Registration Form with payment details for those wishing to attend the Congress and an Abstract Form to be completed by those wishing to present a paper. The abstracts will be published when the final program is drawn up prior to the Congress.

Pre-Registration

The Registration form below gives full details of how to pay. This must be either through a bank transfer from abroad, or in person at the Congress Office in Cairo. Your receipt (either the bank transfer receipt, or cash receipt) will be your proof of payment and should be brought to the Congress.

Full: The pre-registration fee before 31 December 1999 will be \$180. We regret that there will be no discount for members of the International Association of Egyptologists, for administrative reasons.

Student The student pre-registration fee before 31 December 1999 will be \$50 and must be accompanied by a statement of verification signed by the head of department.

All delegates pre-registered before 31 December 1999 will receive with their Congress package a Free Pass to the monuments of Egypt from the Supreme Council of Antiquities, valid from 28 March to 28 April 2000.

After 31 December 1999 registration fees can only be paid in cash at the Congress Office, or at the Congress itself, and will be \$200 (full) or \$60 (students).

No cash payments will be accepted by mail

Final Mailing

The third announcement will be sent out early in 2000 to those who have pre-registered. It will include details of the Congress program, special receptions, and an exclusive evening opening of the Egyptian Museum.

Abstracts

Those wishing to present a paper should follow the instructions given on the Abstract Form included here. The time allocated for each paper is 25 minutes maximum. The program of papers will be finalized and published when all the abstracts have been received and reviewed.

Hotels

We are in the process of appointing an official Congress Agent to arrange hotels, airport transfers, shuttle buses, and to manage the Congress. They will contact everyone directly with information about accommodation in Cairo and pre- and post-

Congress tours. If you wish to register interest, please complete the Travel Arrangements Form below.

EgyptAir

EgyptAir is offering congress delegates discounts on flights into Egypt of 25% on excursion fares and 50% on ordinary fares. Your Bank Transfer Receipt will be proof of attendance at the Congress and will enable you to claim this discount when booking flights.

The official Congress Travel Agent will also be able to arrange discounts of up to 75% on groups of ten or more coming from Europe or the USA. They will include details of this offer when they send out their information.

Internet

Information about the Congress can be found on the web page of the International Association of Egyptologists at: www.fak12.uni-muenchen.de/aegyp/IAEPage.html
Also: Egyptology Resources at: www.newton.cam.ac.uk/egypt and the web page of Dr. Zahi Hawass: <http://guardians.net/hawass/> .

We look forward to hearing from you,

Dr Zahi Hawass
and the Organizing Committee of the Eighth
International Congress of Egyptologists

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CONGRESS REGISTRATION FORM

Please complete in typescript or block capitals and send to:

Dr. Zahi Hawass, The Documentation Centre, Office of the 8th International Congress of Egyptologists, 6th Floor, 3 El Adel Abou Bakr Street, Zamalek, Cairo, Egypt
Fax: 340 7239, 383 4519

Participant(s)

Title initial	Family name	First name	Middle

Affiliation: (University/Museum/Institute)

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Mailing Address: Home (box) Office (box)

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Country and code:.....

Telephone:..... Fax:

Electronic mail:.....

Early Registration Fees (before 31 December 1999):

Full: US\$ 180.00

Student*: US\$ 50.00

Please check method of payment:

? CASH PAYMENTS can be made **in person** in Cairo to Mr Ahmed Ebeid at the Congress Office, Zamalek; tel:341 5645.

NO CASH PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED BY MAIL

? BANK TRANSFER: In an attempt to reduce the cost of payments from outside Egypt, an arrangement has been made with the National Société Générale Bank (Cairo) to collect all registration payments through the Bank of New York. Payments should be transferred in US dollars. The bank transfer receipt will be your proof of payment and should be brought with you to Cairo.

Please complete the BANK TRANSFER ORDER below.

*Proof of student status must be provided with registration form.

BANK TRANSFER ORDER

To: (your bank).....

Account Name:.....

Account no:.....

Please transfer the total amount of US\$*.....

**To: THE BANK OF NEW YORK, 48 WALL STREET, NEW YORK, NY 10005
(Tel: 212 495 1784)**

**To the account of THE NATIONAL SOCIETE GENERALE BANK (CAIRO
BRANCH):**

Account no: 890-0033-207

To be transferred in full to its Cairo Branch by **SWIFT (MT100)**

On behalf of: THE INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF EGYPTOLOGISTS

Account no: 16160

Pre-registration rates before 31 December 1999

Full: One hundred and eighty US dollars (\$180.00)

Student: Fifty US dollars (\$50)

* Please note that this must be transferred in US dollars and that any bank charges must be paid by the payee.

YOUR BANK TRANSFER RECEIPT WILL BE YOUR PROOF OF PAYMENT
AT THE CONGRESS

ABSTRACTS

As in previous congresses, all papers will be subject to peer review before acceptance for the Cairo Congress in 2000. If you wish to present a paper, please submit an abstract following the guidelines below:

- To be received by 30 September 1999
- 150 – 250 words in English, French or German only.
- No footnotes or bibliographical references.
- No hieroglyphs, or symbols. Transliteration should use latin characters only (e.g. 3 for alif, i for ya, ‘ for ‘ain).
- Font: Times New Roman; 11pt Spacing 1.5

Submit as printed or typed copy in the box below and fax, mail or deliver to;

Dr. Zahi Hawass,

THE DOCUMENTATION CENTRE

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In addition, the abstract can be sent by e-mail to Mr Ahmed Ebeid at scoa@idsc1.gov.eg. You should also send a backup printed copy by the conventional mail.

NAME.....

TITLE (not to exceed 15 words).....

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TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS FORM

We are in the process of appointing an official Congress Agent to manage the Congress and to arrange hotels, shuttle buses and travel arrangements. If you are interested in hotel reservations or travel arrangements, please complete the Form below, mail it to the Congress Office, and it will be forwarded to the Congress Agent. They will then contact you directly with detailed information, reservation forms and payment details.

NAME:.....
 Title Family Name First Name

Mailing Address

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Country and code:.....

Telephone:..... Fax:

Electronic mail:.....

Please send details of:

Congress hotels	?
Pre- and post Congress tours.	?
Meeting at airport	?
Group travel rates.	?

Please mail or fax this form to:

Dr. Zahi Hawass.

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