

Call for Papers to the XXV Mesoamerican Studies Conference

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Dear Mesoamericanists,

We extend a warm invitation to scholars, researchers, students, and enthusiasts in the field of Mesoamerican studies. The Department for Anthropology of the Americas at the University of Bonn, in collaboration with the Regional Working Group Mesoamerica of the German Anthropological Association, cordially invites you to the 25th Mesoamerican Studies Conference from February 2nd to 4th, 2024, in Bonn.

As customary, this conference aims to provide a platform for researchers in archaeology, ethnology, ethnohistory, museum studies, Latin American studies, linguistics, epigraphy, iconography, and related disciplines to present their current work and ongoing projects focused on the Mesoamerican region. Presentations can be delivered in German, Spanish, or English. We welcome submissions from doctoral and master's candidates as well.

Furthermore, we encourage contributions that delve into two specific themes either as separate presentations or as an incorporation into the research own topic:

1. The significance of increasing digitalization in research, cultural mediation, and construction.
2. Reflections on established and newly experimented practices concerning materiality.

Please submit abstracts by December 27th, including your name, academic affiliation, title, and a 1,000-character abstract (including spaces) as a separate file attachment (docx or rtf format) to the email address: hilfskraft.altamerikanistik@uni-bonn.de.

Each presentation will have a duration of 20 minutes, followed by a 10-minute discussion period. As this conference seeks to foster essential direct academic and personal exchanges, a physical attendance format is planned, preserving the tradition that has shaped this event for over 20 years.

Additional information and the conference program will be available on the Department's website (www.iak.uni-bonn.de/aa) starting January 2nd, 2024. Please informally confirm your participation by contacting hilfskraft.altamerikanistik@uni-bonn.de.

We eagerly anticipate welcoming you to Bonn in February.

Kind regards, Antje Gunsenheimer, Nikolai Grube, Eriko Yamasaki

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Venue for the entire conference:

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