



THE WILLIAM LEO
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**The William Leo Hansberry
Research Symposium**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2023

11 am - 4 pm ET

DIGITAL PROGRAM



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SESSION 1

11 am - 11:45 am ET

Ms. Gail Hansberry

Justin Dunnivant

Debora Heard

HANSBERRY REMEMBERED

Remembering My Father: William Leo Hansberry

William Leo Hansberry's Archaeological Work

In the Footsteps of Hansberry: The Importance of William Leo Hansberry to Northeast African Archaeology

SESSION 2

11:45 am - 12:30 pm ET

Helina Woldekiros

Shayla Monroe

Annissa Malvoisin

EAST / WEST CONNECTIONS

The Aksumites of Ethiopia and Eritrea

Saharan Resilience: Reconstructing Ancient Pastoralist Mobility in "Western Nubia"

At the Edge of the Sahara: Decorative Style between Egypt, Nubia, and West African Regions

SESSION 3

12:30 pm - 1 pm ET

Jasmine Smith

Mario Beatty

NILE VALLEY AESTHETICS

Tracing Discourses of Creativity in Private Tomb Decoration

Reflections on the Importance of the Artistic Refiguring of Akhenaten's Torso, the Aten, and the Akhet

1:15 pm - 1:30 pm ET

BREAK

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SESSION 4

1:30 pm - 2:15 pm ET

Josef Ben Levi

Solange Ashby

Mohamed Ali

SESSION 5

2:15 pm - 3 pm ET

Salim Faraji

Kevin Burrell

Yonatan Binyam

SESSION 6

3 pm - 3:45 pm ET

Iman Nagy

Rosetta Cash

Sydney Pickens

NUBIAN STUDIES

*The Description of Nubians
in the Ahmose Inscription*

*The "Feast of Entry":
Gold in Nubian Practice and Power at Philae*

*Communication and Management in the Region
of Ancient Meroë*

RELIGION

*Ritual Power in Early and Medieval Nubian
Christianity: Ancestral Rites and Healing Baths*

*Africans in Transition:
Cushites, Meluhhaites, and Ethiopians*

*Receptions of Josephus in Medieval Ethiopic
Literature*

TEACHING NUBIA PAST & PRESENT

Coloniality in Northeast African Archaeology

My Journey to Nobiin, A Language of Nubia

*Teaching Ancient Nubia:
Integrating Kush in the K-12 Curriculum*

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