



Lecture Links

+ **13 September: Rudolf de Jong:** Bedouin Dialects of the Sinai Desert

+ **20 September: M. Seyppelen F. Visser:** Less is More

+ **27 september: Dr Geoffrey Tassie:** The process of Neolithisation in Egypt

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Opening hours **from 9 September**

Sunday & Thursday: 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Monday - Wednesday: 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Friday: 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Saturday: Closed

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News September 2012

Lecture season starts Thursday 13 September

The first lecture of the season will be by Dr Rudolf de Jong on Bedouin Dialects of the Sinai Desert. Through the ages, the northern Sinai Desert has served as the natural land bridge between Asia and Africa. With the spread of Islam from the 7th century, speakers of Arabic came from the Arabian Peninsula and crossed into non-Arabic speaking regions like Egypt and farther west into North Africa. [>>Read more](#)

Cleveringa lecture: "The Transformation of Children and Family in Children's Literature" Tuesday 13 November 2012

Every year in November, the Netherlands-Flemish Institute in Cairo organizes a Cleveringa lecture, in remembrance of the Leiden professor Rudolph Cleveringa. Traditionally, we invite a professor from Leiden University for this occasion. This year, we have invited Prof. Helma van Lierop, an authority in the field of Children's literature. [>>Read more](#)

Registration for the Dutch Courses 26 September

The courses will start on Monday October 1st. This October we will offer Beginners (Level 1), Level 2, Level 3 and Level 4. Registration (and entrance exam) for all levels Wednesday, 26 September 2012, from 10.00 a.m. - 12.00 noon only. [>>Read more](#)

Library in September

During the month of September we will display a variety of new arrivals at the institute. We would like to welcome you all to our library to enjoy our books about literature, travel, linguistics, Roman religions, Egyptology and much more! For more information about our collection you can use our online catalogue: www.nvic.org.eg

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Cycling conference and Cycling Tour – Thursday 18 and Friday 19 October 2012

The Netherlands-Flemish Institute in Cairo is pleased to announce the Cycling Conference on Thursday 18 October 2012, organized in cooperation with the Netherlands Embassy and The Green Arm from Egyptian NGO Nahdet al-Mahrousa. The Netherlands is known worldwide as a pioneer in developing an elaborate cycling policy and infrastructure in order to lessen traffic within cities. [>>Read more](#)

