



Lecture Links

28 November: A visual field report from Gebel el Sisiia
Maria Nilsson, Adrienn Almásy & John Ward

5 December: Dentistry and Dental Diseases in Ancient Egypt
Hassan Saber

12 December: What Gertrude Bell did for Islamic Archaeology
Rosalind Wade Haddon

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Library News

The library is open from Sunday till Thursday from 9-3. Visit our library and enjoy our newest readings in a quiet environment. We have a great collection on Ancient Egypt, Arabic dialects, linguistics and literature. Free Wi-Fi (ask the librarian) and consulting computers are available.

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News December 2013

Enrolment Spring Semesters Arabic Studies

In the spring, the institute organizes two semesters for students of Arabic at the Dutch and Flemish universities: the traditional BA semester and the MA program that was planned for the fall but had to be moved to the Spring because of the unrest in the past couple of months. [Read more>>](#)

Dutch Language Courses

The Institute offers Dutch language courses for foreigners on a regular basis. These courses aim to provide students with language skills in Dutch, which they can use in everyday life. [Read more>>](#)

NVIC Cinema December



The film program for December is a mix of Flemish and Arabic films. [Read more>>](#)

Cleveringa Lecture

The Cleveringa Lecture by Professor Maurits Berger from the University of Leiden was a great success. [Read more>>](#)

Workshop 'Arabic and its Dialects: dialect in days of revolution'

Around the time of the Cleveringa Lecture, the Institute always organizes a workshop on an interesting topic. This year we had the pleasure of receiving three speakers who spoke on Egyptian dialect and its role in the revolution. [Read more>>](#)

New Librarian

Our librarian Rasha Khalil, who has been at the helm of our library for over two years, is leaving Egypt. We found a new librarian in Tine Lavent, a former student of the Institute. [Read more>>](#)

In memoriam Harold M Hays (1965-2013)

It is with profound sadness that we have learned of the passing of our colleague and friend, Dr Harold M Hays. Harold passed away on Wednesday 20 November in his sleep, as a result of heart failure. [Read more>>](#)

