



Please take note that the institute will be closed from Sunday 24 April until Tuesday 3 May.

Lectures
6 pm sharp

7 April
A History of the Representation of Muslims on Dutch Television
Andrea Meuzelaar

14 April
Late Old Kingdom Funerary Practices in Middle Egypt: Recent Archaeological Research at Dayr al-Barsha
Marleen De Meyer

21 April
Journey and Ways of Self Exploration and Discovering the Other
Bahaa Abdelmegid

28 April
No lecture

Check our website and Facebook page for updates on our Thursday lectures.

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Films
7.30 pm

3 April
Desert Haze

10 April
Theeb

17 April
Waste Land

24 April
No film

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Library News

The library is open on Sunday and Thursday from 9 till 3 and Monday to Wednesday from 9 till 6. Visit our library and enjoy our collection 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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Crash Course Egyptian Arabic 2016

You have spent some time studying Arabic but your conversation skills have not really taken off? Then this course is perfect for you. In four weeks' time, we will get you up to an intermediate level in communicative skills in the principal vernacular of Arabic. The course is held from 31 July until 25 August 2016. For more information, visit [our website](#).

Course: Introduction to Ancient Egypt 2016

From 16 May until 4 June 2016, NVIC organises an introductory course in Egyptology. In 6 richly illustrated lessons, the history of ancient Egypt will be brought to life, both chronologically as well as thematically. For more information, visit [our website](#).



Dutch Language Course 2016

Please note that the registration for the Dutch language course, starting on 11 April, takes place on Wednesday 6 April, from 10 am - 12 noon only. For more information, visit [our website](#).

Spring Book Fair 2016

On 29 March 2016, NVIC organised the very first edition of the Spring Book Fair. In total, about 120 book enthusiasts came and made it possible for us to donate 6945 LE to [Khatwa](#), an initiative that supports Syrian students in Egypt. Have a look at the [report](#) and [photos](#) of the event!



The Villa of Serenus in Dakhla

After years of hard work, the Roman Villa of Serenus at Amheida in the Dakhla Oasis is as good as ready to be opened (just a few final touches remain on the decorations). Have a look at the pictures on [our webpage](#) and the [Facebook page](#).



Visit of the former Minister of Antiquities to Dayr al-Barsha

On Monday 7 March 2016 the Minister of Antiquities at that time, Dr Mamdouh Eldamaty, and the governor of Minya, General Tariq Nasr, visited the site of Dayr al-Barsha, where they were guided around by Prof. Harco Willems. For more photos, visit [our website](#).



Films and Lectures

During April, when the famous khamasin winds bring along the desert sand to the city, we take you back to the desert with the topic 'Desert Month'. We selected some interesting movies and lectures and are looking forward to see you all at our events. More information and updates on our [Facebook page](#) and [our website](#).

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