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# Migrations in Iron Age Western Anatolia



**MIGMAG**

Migration and the Making of the  
Ancient Greek World

**Workshop, 16<sup>th</sup> September 2022, 9.00am – 17.00pm**

A one-day workshop reconsidering migrations in Iron Age western Anatolia, structured as a series of formal debates and open discussion.

Greek migrations – Ionian, Aeolian, and Dorian – into Anatolia at the beginning of the Early Iron Age have been a topic of immense interest to scholars since the 19<sup>th</sup> century. For over a hundred years, excavation and survey projects in western Anatolia have provided archaeological data that inform various aspects of this phenomenon. There is a global community of us still interested in this subject, and this workshop provides an opportunity to discuss questions related to mobility during the Iron Age in an argument-driven yet informal setting.

In a structured debate, this workshop aims to scrutinise the ways in which our notions about migrations have been constructed. A panel of invited participants will debate arguments in favour and against the paradigm of the 'Ionian migration' and of the concept of 'Greek identity' of the early first millennium BCE western Anatolian communities, followed by open discussion with the audience. While the focus is on the Early Iron Age and Archaic Ionia, we invite insights on parallel processes from the neighbouring regions of Caria, Lydia, Aeolis, Troad, and Phrygia for a more robust assessment of the question whether Ionia experienced different historical processes (i.e., migrations) than its Anatolian neighbours.

## Programme:

09.00 – 9.15am	Arrival and coffee
09.15 – 9.30am	Introduction
09.30 – 11.00am	Debate and discussion
11.00 – 11.15am	Coffee break
11.15am – 12.30pm	Tour of the Archäologische Sammlung and presentation of EIA pottery in its collection by Hadwiga Schörner
12.30 – 01.30pm	Lunch
01.30 – 03.00pm	Debate and discussion
03.00 – 03.15pm	Coffee break
03.15 – 04.30pm	Kolophon and Ephesos: presentations on IKA and OEAW field projects by Verena Gassner and Martin Steskal
04.30 – 05.00pm	Final discussion
05.00 – 06.00pm	Wine reception



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