

Berliner Sudantag / Sudan Day Berlin

Samstag/Saturday, 20. Juni/June 2026, 10:00-18:00 (CEST)

Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Hauptgebäude

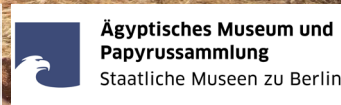
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Conservation of Sudanese Archaeological Heritage: Experiences, Realities & Perspectives

Protection work by trained members of the local pastoralist community at Musawwarat es-Sufra in 2022. Photo: Alvaro Minguito, DAI-KAAK



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Vormittag/Morning 10:00-13:00 (CEST)

10:00-10:15 Welcome addresses

Session 1: Experiences

10:15-10:45 **Jan Hamann (Restaurierung am Oberbaum, RaO)** Meroitic monuments and archaeological objects: Conservation and restoration in Sudan

10:45-11:30 **Dunja Rütt (Hirsch | Rütt & Partner Restaurierung) & Anette Schulz (Schulz Restaurierung)** Experiences from more than 20 years of conservation work in Sudan and perspectives for cooperation after the war

Break (11:30-12:00)

12:00-12:30 **Alexandra Riedel (EKV-PHR)** Conservation in the framework of archaeological field projects in Sudan: Possibilities and constraints

12:30-13:00 **Alexandra Jeberien (HTW)** Conservation and restoration as a tool for researching Sudanese cultural heritage

13:00-14:00 Lunch break

Nachmittag/Afternoon 14:00-18:00 (CEST)

Session 2: Realities

14:00-14:30 **Ikhlas Abdel Latif (NCAM)**
Post-war recovery for affected museums

14:30-15:00 **Mahmoud Suliman Bashir (NCAM)**
Realities of site protection and conservation at the 'Island of Meroe' UNESCO World Heritage Site (2023-2026)

15:00-15:30 **Thomas Scheibner, Zaroog Bakri, Pablo Ortiz, Cornelia Kleinitz & Alfatih Mohamed Ali Saeed (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)** Building community: Site protection and architectural conservation for, with and by the people of Musawwarat es-Sufra

Break (15:30-16:00)

Session 3 (Podium discussions): Perspectives
(Moderation: Angelika Lohwasser, Universität Münster)

16:00-16:45 **Theme 1: Structural frameworks** (Ikhlas Abdel Latif, NCAM; Maria C. Gatto, ISNS/SCERF; Alexandra Riedel, ICOMOS; Alexandra Jeberien, HTW)

16:45-17:30 **Theme 2: Practical considerations** (Mahmoud Suliman Bashir, NCAM; Mustafa Elsharif, NCAM; Julia Budka, LMU; Christian Perzlmeier, SMÄK; Cornelia Kleinitz, SAG e.V.)

17:30-18:00 **Wrap-up and final discussion**

Willkommen/Welcome!

Angesichts der anhaltend schwierigen Lage im Sudan möchten wir eine Plattform für den Austausch zwischen sudanesischen und deutschen Spezialisten im Rahmen des **Berliner Sudantags 2026** schaffen, der von der Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, der Sudanarchäologischen Gesellschaft zu Berlin (SAG) e.V., dem Ägyptischen Museum und Papyrussammlung, der Hochschule für Technik und Wirtschaft (HTW) sowie dem Deutschen Archäologischen Institut organisiert wird.

In view of the ongoing difficult situation in Sudan, we aim to provide a platform for exchange between Sudanese and German heritage practitioners at the **Sudan Day Berlin 2026**. The colloquium is organised by Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, the Sudan Archaeological Society Berlin (SAG) e.V., the Egyptian Museum and Papyrus Collection, the University of Applied Sciences (HTW) and the German Archaeological Institute.

Ort/Place:

Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Hauptgebäude/ Main building, Unter den Linden 6, 10117 Berlin (West Wing, Raum/Room 2091)

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Join online:

<https://hu-berlin.zoom-x.de/meeting/register/Ym5qWVTuQj-3LwOFwFNJJw>

