# Friday, May 5

8:30 – 9:00 Registration and coffee (Music Room Terrace)

9:00 – 9:30 Welcome: **John Beardsley**, Dumbarton Oaks

Introduction: Georges Farhat, University of Toronto

#### I: Invisible Ecologies

9:30 – 11:00 **Timothy R. Pauketat**, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

What Constituted Cahokian Urbanism?

Suzanne Preston Blier, Harvard University

Walls that Speak: Landscape Factors in Early West African Urban Centers

11:00 – 11:20 Coffee (Music Room Terrace)

11:20 – 12:05 **Priyaleen Singh**, School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi

The Weave of Natural and Cultural Ecology: Ekamrakshetra—The Historic Temple Town of Bhubaneswar, India

12:05 – 2:00 Lunch (Orangery)

#### **II:** Environmental Control

2:00 – 3:30 **Hendrik Dey**, Hunter College, CUNY

Landscape Change and Ceremonial Praxis in Medieval Rome: From the Via Triumphalis to the Via Papalis

**J. B. Chevance**, Archaeology & Development Foundation, Phnom Kulen Program *The Phnom Kulen's Capital: A Singular and Early Case of Urban Planning in Ancient Cambodia* 

3:30 – 4:00 Coffee (Music Room Terrace)

## **III: City-Region**

4:00 – 5:30 **Christophe Pottier**, Ecole française d'Extrême-Orient, Paris

Uncovering Ancient Landscapes in Angkor

**Tim Murtha**, The Pennsylvania State University

Landscape and City in the Ancient Maya Lowlands: Regionalism, Settlement, and Ecology

5:30 – 7:30 Reception (Orangery)

### Saturday, May 6

# 8:30 – 9:00 Registration and coffee (Music Room Terrace)

### IV: Water Management

9:00 – 10:30 **Monica L. Smith**, University of California at Los Angeles

Monsoon Landscapes and Flexible Provisioning in the Early Historic Cities of the Indian Subcontinent

Jordan Pickett, University of Michigan

Hydraulic Landscapes of Roman and Byzantine Cities

10:30 –10:50 Coffee (Music Room Terrace)

### V: Urban Forest

10:50 –12:20 **J. Cameron Monroe**, University of California, Santa Cruz

Seeing the Forest for the Trees: Cities and Their Hinterlands in Tropical West Africa

Michael Heckenberger, University of Florida

Xingu Garden Cities: Domesticated Forests of the Southern Amazon's 'Arc of Fire'

12:20 – 2:15 Lunch (Orangery)

### VI: Urban Landscape Models

2:15 – 3:45 **Jason Ur**, Harvard University,

Space and Structure in Early Mesopotamian Cities

Alan L. Kolata, University of Chicago

The Autopoietic City: Landscape, Science, and Society in the Pre-Industrial World

3:45 – 4:15 Concluding remarks and discussion

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