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**The Archaeology and Ancient History of the
Southern Caucasus: A view from Georgia**

Venerdì 24 Marzo, Aula Geymonat Malcanton-Marcorà

Ore 12.00 - 14.30

The stages of the ancient history of the Caucasus

A general overview of the different stages of development of the society in the Caucasus and Georgia from the Stone Age to the Middle Ages

Late Bronze-Early Iron Age in Georgia: recent discoveries

Review of the most important sites of the transitional period from the Bronze to the Iron Age (end of the 2nd mill. BC)

Ore 16.00 - 18.30

Argonauts' voyage: myth and reality

Western Georgia was mentioned in Greek-Latin sources as Colchis, a country rich in gold. Was this the real reason for the Argonauts' voyage in Colchis or not? An archaeological answer

Cultural priorities in Georgia: Greeks or Achaemenids

The mid-1st mill. BC in Georgia is a period of intensive communications with two different cultural worlds – Greece and Achaemenid Persia. Archaeological discoveries show the different orientations of two parts of the country – the western (Colchis) and the eastern one (Iberia)

Organizzazione a cura di

Elena Rova, Archeologia e Storia dell'Arte del Vicino Oriente antico

