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Snake Column, Istanbul: https://
commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Snake_column_
Hippodrome_Constantinople_2007.jpg

Khipus, Machu Picchu Museum, Cusco: https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Quipo_in_the_Museo_Machu_Picchu,_Casa_Concha,_Cusco.jpg







Post-Conquest Materiality:
Objects in the Histories of
the Ottoman and Spanish
Expansions

Workshop, 12th - 13th May 2023

This workshop is the second of a series of workshops					
exploring the similarities, differences, and connec-					
tions between the Ottoman and Spanish histories of					
expansion in the early modern period as well as their					
lasting memories until today. It brings together schol-					
ars of the Ottoman Empire, colonial Latin America, and					
Western Europe to discuss how the Ottoman and					
Spanish conquests changed the meaning and use of					
objects of previous civilizations and how, in turn, these					
objects shaped post-conquest societies and cultures.					

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Astrid Windus (Siegen)
Traveling Saints and Objects on the
Move: Reflections on the Relationship
between Devotion and Mobility in the
Andes

12:30–14:00 Lunch

Forgotten Objects

14:00–15:30 Polina Ivanova (Giessen)

When Bayezid Pasha Met St. Nicholas: Reconsidering Post-conquest Amasya through the Prism of Armenian

Memory Literature

Filiz Tütüncü Çağlar (Berlin) Whose Pasts, Which Antiquities: Archaeology as a Tool of Identity-Making in the Late Ottoman Period

Friday May 12th 2023

13:00	Welcome
13:30-14:00	Introduction
14:00–15:30	Objects in Situ Suna Çağaptay (Istanbul) The Lost and the Living Thessaloniki: Unearthing the Resilient Layers of Ottomanization
	Aslı Niyazioğlu (Oxford) Old Talismans for a New City? Antiquities of the 16th-Century Istanbul
15:30–16:00	Coffee break

Saturday May 13th 2023

19:30

Museum

Dinner

	Traveling Objects
9:00-10:30	Armin Bergmeier (Leipzig)
	Cultural Heritage after 1453: The
	Tempio Malatestiano in Rimini and the
	Davutpaşa Medresesi in Istanbul
	Nicholas Melvani (Mainz)
	From Istanbul to Central Europe:
	Byzantine Books between Three
	Empires
10:30–11:00	Coffee break
11:00–12:30	Thomas Weller (Mainz)
	Material Disencounters: Emperor
	Charles V and Cortés' Booty

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15:30–16:00	Coffee	break
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16:00–17:30 Richard L. Burger / Lucy C. Salazar (Yale)

Reinventing Machu Picchu: The Strange Journey of an Inca Royal Estate in 20th century Cusco

Lucrezia Milillo (St. Andrews)
How Long is a Piece of String? On the
Missing Pieces of the Khipu Puzzle

17:00–18:00 Final Discussion