# The Role of Women in Work and Society

## Wednesday, November 5 (4th-3rd millennia)

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| 10h00-10h15 | B. Lion and C. Michel  
*Welcome and Introduction*                                         |
| 10h15-10h45 | F. Joannès  
*Historiography on Studies Dedicated to Women and Economy in the REFEMA context* |
| 10h45-11h15 | Keynote speech I  
J. S. Cooper  
*The Job of Sex: The Social and Economic Role of Prostitutes in Ancient Mesopotamia* |
| 11h15-11h30 | Coffee break                                                          |
| 11h30-12h00 | Catherine Breniquet  
*Weaving, Potting and Churning: Women at Work during the Uruk Period. Evidences from the Cylinder Seals* |
| 12h00-12h30 | Camille Lecompte  
*The Representation of Women in Lexical Texts*                        |
| 12h30-14h00 | Lunch                                                                 |
| 14h00-14h30 | Fumi Karahashi  
*Women and Land in the Presargonic Lagash E2-M12 Corpus*              |
| 14h30-15h00 | Maria-Giovanna Biga  
*Women at Work at the Ebla Court (a Syrian Court of 3rd Millennium BC.)* |
| 15h00-15h30 | Massimo Maiocchi  
*Women and Production in Sargonic Adab*                                |
| 15h30-16h00 | Coffee break                                                          |
| 16h00-16h30 | Bertrand Lafont  
*Women at Work and Women in the Economy during the Neo-Sumerian Period* |
| 16h30-17h00 | Agnès Garcia-Ventura  
*Weaving Textiles, Weaving Lives: Engendering Ur III Textile Work Force* |
| 17h00-17h45 | General discussion on the 4th and 3rd millennia                        |
Thursday, November 6 (2nd millennium)

9h30-10h00 Adelheid Otto
Women at Work during the 3rd and 2nd Millennia According to Depictions in the Minor Arts of Mesopotamia

10h00-10h30 Cécile Michel
Gender and Work in the Old Assyrian Private Archives

10h30-11h00 Nele Ziegler
The Data from Mari on the Economic Activities of Women (18th century BC)

11h00-11h15 Coffee break

11h15-11h45 Ichiro Nakata
Economic Activities of nadītum Women of Šamaš as Reflected in the Field Sales Contracts Published in MHET II/1-6

11h45-12h15 Katrien de Graef
Cherchez la femme! The Economic Role of nadītum Priestesses in Old Babylonian Sippar

12h15-14h00 Lunch

14h00-14h30 Sophie Démare-Lafont
Women at Work in Mesopotamia: the Legal Point of View

14h30-15h00 Matteo Vigo
Sources for the Study of the Role of Women in the Hittite Administration

15h00-15h30 Brigitte Lion
Work, Gender and Society at Nuzi

15h30-16h00 Coffee break

16h00-16h30 Josué Justel
The Involvement of Women in the Economic Agreements: The Case of the Syrian Late Bronze Age Archives

16h30-17h00 Masamichi Yamada
On the kubuddā ’u in the Emar Texts

17h00-17h45 General discussion on the 2nd millennium

20h00 Conference dinner for contributors
Friday, November 7 (1st millennium)

9h30-10h00 Eiko Matsushima  
*Women in Elamite Royal Inscriptions*

10h00-10h30 Virginie Muller  
*Women and their Activities According to Cuneiform Divinatory Corpus*

10h30-10h45 Coffee break

10h45-11h15 Louise Quillien  
*Invisible workers: the role of women in textile production during the 1st millennium BC Mesopotamia*

11h15-11h45 Yoko Watai  
*A Prosopographic Data-Base of Women in the Neo-Babylonian Sources*

11h45-12h15 Laura Cousin  
*Beauty Experts in the Documentation of the 1st Millennium BC: the Female Perfume-Makers*

12h15-14h00 Lunch

14h00-14h30 Julien Monerie  
*Prebend-Owning Women and Temple Economy in Hellenistic Uruk*

14h30-15h00 Violaine Sébillotte  
*Women, Gender and the Economic History of the Ancient Greek World*

15h00-15h30 Coffee break

15h30-16h00 Keynote speech II  
Saana Svärd Teppo  
*Women’s Work and Female Administrators in the Neo-Assyrian Palaces*

16h00-17h00 General discussion on the 1st millennium and final discussion