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*Invitation to a Conference at the University of Bern*

# Khirbet Qeiyafa in the Shephelah

## Saturday, 6th of September 2014

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**Provisional Schedule***

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| Venue: | University of Bern, Hallerstr. 6, 2nd floor, room 205 |
| from 09.00 | Arrival: coffee & tea at the University of Bern |
| 09.30–09.45 | Prof. Dr. Silvia Schroer, University of Bern<br>*Welcome and Introduction* |
| 09.45–11.00 | Prof. Dr. Yosef Garfinkel, Hebrew University, Jerusalem<br>*The Excavations at Khirbet Qeiyafa from 2007–2013* |
| 11.00–11.45 | Prof. Dr. Aren Maeir, Bar-Ilan University, Ramat Gan<br>*Khirbet Qeiyafa – a Judahite Settlement?* |
| 11.45–12.45 | Response 1 & 2: Archaeological and Historical Aspects<br>Prof. Dr. Thomas Römer, University of Lausanne / Collège de France, Paris<br>Prof. Dr. Michael Niemann, University of Rostock |
| 12.45–14.00 | Lunch** |
| 14.00–14.30 | Plenary Discussion<br>Discussion Moderator: Thomas Römer |
| 14.30–15.15 | Prof. Dr. Silvia Schroer, University of Bern<br>*Ikonographische Funde aus Khirbet Qeiyafa* |
| 15.15–16.00 | Prof. Dr. Benjamin Sass, Tel Aviv University<br>*The Epigraphic Finds from Khirbet Qeiyafa* |
| 16.00–16.30 | Response 3: Prof. Dr. Axel Knauf, University of Bern |
| 16.30–17.15 | Panel Discussion |
| 17.15 | End of the SGOA-Conference |

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