

PUBLICATIONS OFFICE

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The full-time staff of the Publications Office remains Thomas G. Urban and Leslie Schramer. Sabahat Adil, Aliya Bagewadi, and Felicia Whitcomb, after a very productive year, moved on to other pursuits. We are very fortunate to welcome new staff members Rebecca Cain, Plamena Pehlivanova, and Natalie Whiting.

The Publications Office continues to assist the Membership and Development Offices with the publication of *News & Notes*, *Annual Report*, and miscellaneous postcards, brochures, and posters. While the print publication of this year's Annual Report is once again in black and white, we will post a color PDF version online. View the report at the Oriental Institute Web site: <http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/ar/>. Also, we very much enjoyed working with this year's post-doctoral scholar Laura Culbertson.

Sales

The David Brown Book Company and Oxbow Books, Ltd., U.K., continue to represent the Institute for its book distribution. Although a limited number of titles are available for in-house sales in the Suq shop, please note that all external orders for Institute publications should be addressed to: The David Brown Book Company, P.O. Box 511, Oakville, CT 06779; Telephone Toll Free: 1-800-791-9354; Fax: 1-860-945-9468; E-mail: david.brown.bk.co@snet.net; Web site: www.oxbowbooks.com.

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Electronic Publications

As part of the Oriental Institute's Electronic Initiative, all new titles are simultaneously issued in print and as Adobe Acrobat PDF (Portable Document Format) files delivered through the Internet. Older titles are scanned, saved as .tif and .pdf files, with the latter being posted online, as time and funds permit. This year the Oriental Institute was very fortunate to expend the generous support from Misty and Lewis Gruber that has allowed the remaining titles of every Egyptological title published by the Institute — 124 books — since its inception to be scanned and distributed on the Internet at no cost to the end user; please see the Electronic Resources report (above) for a complete list of titles distributed through the Internet.

The scanning of the older titles has been done by Northern MicroGraphics (NMT Corporation, <http://normicro.com>), located in La Crosse, Wisconsin.

The Electronic Initiative has already proved to be very successful. The posted pdfs are available wherever the Internet reaches, and our older titles, as well as new titles, are especially appreciated in countries that do not have our books on their library shelves.

An additional benefit to the scanning and uploading of all titles to the Internet is that we can very easily have out-of-print titles reprinted and once again made available in print. We were very fortunate during last year to begin working with the HF Group (North Manchester, Indiana), which is able to reprint our older, over-sized titles (such as Erich Schmidt's *Persepolis 2* [OIP 69]).

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Volumes Printed in Print and Online

1. *The Assyrian Dictionary of the Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago*, Volume 6, Letter 𐎶. 1956. Digital reprint. CAD H
2. *Beyond the Ubaid: Transformation and Integration in the Late Prehistoric Societies of the Middle East*. Edited by Robert A. Carter and Graham Philip. SAOC 63
3. *Divination and Interpretation of Signs in the Ancient World*. Edited by Amar Annus. OIS 6
4. *Lost Nubia*. John A. Larson. Digital reprint. 2006. OIMP 24
5. *Medinet Habu*, Volume IX: *The Eighteenth Dynasty Temple, Part 1: The Inner Sanctuaries*. The Epigraphic Survey. OIP 136
6. *Persepolis II: Contents of the Treasury and Other Discoveries*. Erich F. Schmidt. 1957. Digital reprint. OIP 69
7. *Pioneer to the Past: The Story of James Henry Breasted, Archaeologist, Told by His Son Charles Breasted*. Charles Breasted. Reprint of the Charles Scribner's Sons 1943 Edition with New Foreword and Photographs. Miscellaneous Publication
8. *Pioneers to the Past: American Archaeologists in the Middle East, 1919–1920*. Edited by Geoff Emberling. OIMP 30
9. *Sacred Space and Sacred Function in Ancient Thebes*. Edited by Peter F. Dorman and Betsy M. Bryan. Digital reprint. SAOC 61

Volumes Distributed Online

1. *The Demotic Dictionary of the Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago*, Letter W. Edited by Janet H. Johnson. CDD W
2. *The Demotic Dictionary of the Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago*, Letter 𐎶. Edited by Janet H. Johnson. CDD H2
3. *The Demotic Dictionary of the Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago*, Letter Š. Edited by Janet H. Johnson. CDD Sh
4. *Egypt through the Stereoscope: A Journey through the Land of the Pharaohs*. By James Henry Breasted. Re-issue. Miscellaneous Publication
5. *Letters from James Henry Breasted to His Family, August 1919–July 1920*. Edited by John A. Larson. OIDA 1
- 6–37. Thirty-two issues of *News & Notes*, Nos. 172–204, from Winter 2002 to Winter 2010
- 38–100. Sixty-three older Egyptological titles, scanned, prepared, and uploaded to the Internet with the generous support of Misty and Lewis Gruber. See Electronic Resources (separate report)

Volumes in Preparation

1. *Ancient Israel: Cultural Crossroads of the Ancient Near East*. Gabrielle Novacek. OIMP 31
2. *Ankara Arkeoloji Müzesinde bulunan Boğazköy Tabletleri, Volume 2: Boğazköy Tablets in the Archaeological Museum of Ankara*. ABoT 2. Rukiye Ozdoğan and Oğuz Soysal. AS 28
3. *The Assyrian Dictionary of the Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago, Volume U/W*. CAD U/W
4. *Baked Clay Figurines and Votive Beds from Medinet Habu*. Emily Teeter. OIP 133
5. *Bismaya: Recovering the Lost City of Adab*. Karen L. Wilson. OIP 137
6. *European Cartographers and the Ottoman World, 1500–1750: Maps from the Collection of O. J. Sopranos*. By Ian Manners. Digital reprint. OIMP 27
7. *Grammatical Case in the Languages of the Middle East and Europe* (Acts of the International Colloquium: Variations, Concurrence et Evolution des Cas dans divers Domaines Linguistiques, Paris, April 2–4, 2007). Edited by Michèle Fruyt, Dennis Pardee, and Michel Mazoyer. SAOC 64
8. *Hamoukar, Volume 1: Urbanism and Cultural Landscapes in Northeastern Syria: The Tell Hamoukar Survey, 1999–2001*. Jason A. Ur. OIP 138
9. *The Monumental Complex of King Ahmose at Abydos, Volume 1: The Pyramid Temple of Ahmose and Its Environs: Architecture and Decoration*. Stephen P. Harvey. OIP 139
10. *The 1996–1997 Survey Seasons at Bir Umm Fawakhir*. Carol A. Meyer. OIC 30
11. *Perspectives on Ptolemaic Thebes*. Edited by Peter F. Dorman and Betsy M. Bryan. SAOC 65
12. *Pesher Nahum: Texts and Studies in Jewish History and Literature from Antiquity through the Middle Ages Presented to Norman Golb*. Edited by Joel L. Kraemer and Michael G. Wechsler, with Fred Donner, Joshua Holo, and Dennis Pardee. SAOC 66