

ELECTRONIC RESOURCES

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Oriental Institute World-Wide Web Site

New And Developing Resources

(NOTE: all Web addresses below are case-sensitive)

Several Oriental Institute units and projects either updated existing pages or became a new presence on the Institute's Web site during the past year.

ARCHAEOLOGY: Zincirli (ancient Sam'al) Project

New Alphabetic Inscription from Zincirli (ancient Sam'al) in Southeast Turkey. On July 21, 2008, the Neubauer Expedition to Zincirli, directed by Professor David Schloen of the University of Chicago and by Associate Director Amir Fink, found an inscribed basalt stela at the site of Zincirli (pronounced zin-JEER-lee) in Gaziantep province in southeastern Turkey. The remarkably well-preserved stela, 70 cm wide × 95 cm tall, was found intact in its original location.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/news/zincirli.html>

<http://ochre.lib.uchicago.edu/zincirli/index.htm>

MUSEUM: Special Exhibits

Catastrophe! The Looting and Destruction of Iraq's Past

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/museum/special/catastrophe/>

The Life of Meresamun: A Temple Singer in Ancient Egypt

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/oimp29.html>

PUBLICATIONS OFFICE: Electronic Publications

MAD 2. *Old Akkadian Writing and Grammar*, by I. J. Gelb. Originally published in 1952.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/mad/mad2.html>

OIC 5. Medinet Habu 1924–28. Part 1: *The Epigraphic Survey of the Great Temple of Medinet Habu (Seasons 1924–25 to 1927–28)*. By Harold H. Nelson. Part 2: *The Architectural Survey of the Great Temple and Palace of Medinet Habu (Season 1927–28)*. By Uvo Hölscher. Originally published in 1929.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oic/oic5.html>

OIC 7. *Medinet Habu 1928–29*. Part 1: *The Architectural Survey*. By Uvo Hölscher. Part 2: *The Language of the Historical Texts Commemorating Ramses III*. By John A. Wilson. Originally published in 1930.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oic/oic7.html>

OIC 10. Medinet Habu Reports. Part 1. *The Epigraphic Survey, 1928–31*. By Harold H. Nelson. Part 2. *The Architectural Survey, 1929/30: Third Preliminary Report*. By Uvo Hölscher. Originally published in 1931.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oic/oic10.html>

OIC 12. *The Alphabet: Its Rise and Development from the Sinai Inscriptions*. By Martin Sprengling. Originally published in 1931.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oic/oic12.html>

OIC 15. *Excavations at Ancient Thebes, 1930/31*. By Uvo Hölscher. Originally published in 1932.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oic/oic15.html>

OIC 18. *Work in Western Thebes, 1931–33*. By Harold H. Nelson and Uvo Hölscher with a chapter by Siegfried Schott. Originally published in 1934.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oic/oic18.html>

OIC 27. *The Registry of the Photographic Archives of the Epigraphic Survey, with Plates from Key Plans Showing Locations of Theban Temple Decorations (H. H. Nelson)*. The Epigraphic Survey. Originally published in 1995.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oic/oic27.html>

OIC 28. *Bir Umm Fawakhir Survey Project 1993: A Byzantine Gold-Mining Town in Egypt*. C. Meyer, L. A. Heidorn, W. E. Kaegi, and T. Wilfong. Originally published in 2000.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oic/oic28.html>

OINE 2. *Ausgrabungen von Khor-Dehmit bis Bet El-Wali*. H. Ricke. Originally published in 1967.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oine/oine2.html>

OINE 6. Excavations Between Abu Simbel and the Sudan Frontier, Part 6. *New Kingdom Remains from Cemeteries R, V, S, and W at Qustul and Cemetery K at Adindan*. B. B. Williams. Originally published in 1992.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oine/oine6.html>

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OIP 3. The Edwin Smith Surgical Papyrus 1. *Hieroglyphic Transliteration, Translation, and Commentary*. J. H. Breasted. Originally published in 1930.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip3.html>

OIP 4. The Edwin Smith Surgical Papyrus 2. *Facsimile Plates and Line for Line Hieroglyphic Transliteration*. J. H. Breasted. Originally published in 1930.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip4.html>

OIP 10. *Paleolithic Man and the Nile-Faiyum Divide: A Study of the Region during Pliocene and Pleistocene Times*. K.S. Sandford and W.J. Arkell. Originally published in 1929.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip10.html>

OIP 17. *Paleolithic Man and the Nile-Faiyum Divide in Nubia and Upper Egypt: A Study of the Region during Pliocene and Pleistocene Times*. By K. S. Sandford and W. J. Arkell. Originally published in 1933.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip17.html>

OIP 18. *Paleolithic Man and the Nile Valley in Upper and Middle Egypt: A Study of the Region during Pliocene and Pleistocene Times*. By K. S. Sandford. Prehistoric Survey of Egypt and Western Asia 3. Originally published in 1934.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip18.html>

OIP 34. The Egyptian Coffin Texts 1. *Texts of Spells 1–75*. By Adriaan de Buck. Originally published in 1935.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip34.html>

OIP 41. The Excavation of Medinet Habu 2. *The Temples of the Eighteenth Dynasty*. By Uvo Hölscher. Originally published in 1939.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip41.html>

OIP 46. *Paleolithic Man and the Nile Valley in Lower Egypt with Some Notes upon a Part of the Red Sea Littoral: A Study of the Regions during Pliocene and Pleistocene Times*. By K. S. Sandford and W. J. Arkell. Prehistoric Survey of Egypt and Western Asia 4. Originally published in 1939.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip46.html>

OIP 49. The Egyptian Coffin Texts 2. *Texts of Spells 76–163*. By Adriaan de Buck. Originally published in 1929.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip49.html>

OIP 54. The Excavation of Medinet Habu 3. *The Mortuary Temple of Ramses III, Part 1*. By Uvo Hölscher. Originally published in 1941.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip54.html>

OIP 64. The Egyptian Coffin Texts 3. *Texts of Spells 164–267*. By Adriaan de Buck. Originally published in 1947.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip64.html>

OIP 66. The Excavation of Medinet Habu 5. *Post-Ramessid Remains*. By Uvo Hölscher. Originally published in 1954.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip66.html>

OIP 67. The Egyptian Coffin Texts 4. *Texts of Spells 268–354*. By Adriaan de Buck. Originally published in 1951.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip67.html>

OIP 71. *Coptic Ostraca from Medinet Habu*. By Elizabeth Stefanski and Miriam Lichtheim. Originally published in 1952.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip71.html>

OIP 73. The Egyptian Coffin Texts 5. *Texts of Spells 355–471*. By Adriaan de Buck. Originally published in 1954.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip73.html>

OIP 80. *Demotic Ostraca from Medinet Habu*. By Miriam Lichtheim. Originally published in 1957.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip80.html>

OIP 81. The Egyptian Coffin Texts 6. *Texts of Spells 472–787*. By Adriaan de Buck. Originally published in 1956.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip81.html>

OIP 82. *The Egyptian Book of the Dead: Documents in the Oriental Institute Museum at the University of Chicago*. Edited by Thomas George Allen. Originally published in 1960.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip82.html>

OIP 86. *The Tomb of Tjanefer at Thebes*. By Keith C. Seele. Originally published in 1959.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip86.html>

OIP 87. The Egyptian Coffin Texts 7. *Texts of Spells 787–1185*. By Adriaan de Buck. Originally published in 1961.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip87.html>

OIP 94. Medinet Habu 8. *The Eastern High Gate with Translations of Texts*. The Epigraphic Survey. Originally published in 1970.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip94.html>

OIP 106. The Great Hypostyle Hall at Karnak 1. Part 1: *The Wall Reliefs*. By Harold H. Nelson. Edited by William J. Murnane. Originally published in 1981.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip106.html>

OIP 113. *The Oriental Institute Hawara Papyri: Demotic and Greek Texts from an Egyptian Family Archive in the Fayum (Fourth to Third Century B.C.)*. G. R. Hughes and R. Jasnow. Originally published in 1997.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip113.html>

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OIP 130. Chogha Mish 2. *The Development of a Prehistoric Regional Center in Lowland Susiana, Southwestern Iran: Final Report on the Last Six Seasons of Excavations, 1972–1978*. Abbas Alizadeh. 2008.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip130.html>

OIP 132. The Egyptian Coffin Texts 8. *Middle Kingdom Copies of Pyramid Texts*. James P. Allen. 2006.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip132.html>

OIP 134. The Archaeology and Geography of Ancient Transcaucasian Societies 1. *The Foundations of Research and Regional Survey in the Tsaghkahovit Plain, Armenia*. Adam T. Smith, Ruben S. Badalyan, Pavel Avetisyan. With contributions by Alan Greene and Leah Minc. 2009.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip134.html>

OIP 135. Kerkenes Special Studies 1. *Sculpture and Inscriptions from the Monumental Entrance to the Palatial Complex at Kerkenes Dağ, Turkey*. Catherine M. Draycott and Geoffrey D. Summers, with contribution by Claude Brixhe and Turkish summary translated by G. Bike Yazicioglu. 2008.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/oip/oip135.html>

OIS 5. *Nomads, Tribes, and the State in the Ancient Near East: Cross-disciplinary Perspectives*. Edited by Jeffrey Szuchman. 2009.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/ois/ois5.html>

SAOC 1. *Notes on Egyptian Marriage Chiefly in the Ptolemaic Period*. William F. Edgerton. Originally published in 1931.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc1.html>

SAOC 8. *The Thutmosid Succession*. William F. Edgerton. Originally published in 1933.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc8.html>

SAOC 12. *Historical Records of Ramses III: The Texts in Medinet Habu*, volumes 1 and 2. Translated with Explanatory Notes. William F. Edgerton and John A. Wilson. Originally published in 1936.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc12.html>

SAOC 16. *The Monasteries of the Fayyum*. Nabia Abbott. Originally published in 1937.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc16.html>

SAOC 19. *The Coregency of Ramses II with Seti I and the Date of the Great Hypostyle Hall at Karnak*. Keith C. Seele. Originally published in 1940.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc19.html>

SAOC 26. *The Calendars of Ancient Egypt*. Richard A. Parker. Originally published in 1950.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc26.html>

SAOC 27. *Occurrences of Pyramid Texts with Cross Indexes of These and Other Egyptian Mortuary Texts*. Thomas George Allen. Originally published in 1950.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc27.html>

- SAOC 28. *Saite Demotic Land Leases*. George Robert Hughes. Originally published in 1952.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc28.html>
- SAOC 30. *Wall Scenes from the Mortuary Chapel of the Mayor Paser at Medinet Habu*. By Siegfried Schott. Translated By Elizabeth B. Hauser. Originally published in 1957.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc30.html>
- SAOC 33. *Late Ramesside Letters*. Edward F. Wente. Originally published in 1967.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc33.html>
- SAOC 34. *A Study of the Ba Concept in Ancient Egyptian Texts*. Louis V. Zabkar. Originally published in 1968.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc34.html>
- SAOC 35. *Studies in Honor of John A. Wilson*. E. B. Hauser, ed. Originally published in 1969.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc35.html>
- SAOC 37. *The Book of the Dead or Going Forth by Day: Ideas of the Ancient Egyptians Concerning the Hereafter as Expressed in Their Own Terms*. Translated by Thomas George Allen. Originally published in 1974.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc37.html>
- SAOC 39. *Studies in Honor of George R. Hughes, January 12, 1977*. J. H. Johnson and E. F. Wente, eds. Originally published in 1976.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc39.html>
- SAOC 40. *Ancient Egyptian Coregencies*. William J. Murnane. Originally published in 1977.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc40.html>
- SAOC 47. *Essays in Ancient Civilization Presented to Helene J. Kantor*. A. Leonard, Jr., and B. B. Williams, eds. Originally published in 1989.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc47.html>
- SAOC 48. *Egyptian Phyles in the Old Kingdom: The Evolution of a System of Social Organization*. By Ann Macy Roth. Originally published in 1991.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc48.html>
- SAOC 52. *A Late Period Hieratic Wisdom Text (P. Brooklyn 47.218.135)*. R. Jasnow. Originally published in 1992.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc52.html>
- SAOC 55. *For His Ka: Essays Offered in Memory of Klaus Baer*. D. P. Silverman, ed. Originally published in 1994.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc55.html>
- SAOC 56. *Portrait Mummies from Roman Egypt (I–IV Centuries A.D.) with a Catalog of Portrait Mummies in Egyptian Museums*. Lorelei H. Corcoran. Originally published in 1995.
<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc56.html>

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SAOC 57. *The Presentation of Maat: Ritual and Legitimacy in Ancient Egypt*. Emily Teeter. Originally published in 1997.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc57.html>

SAOC 58. *Gold of Praise: Studies on Ancient Egypt in Honor of Edward F. Wente*. E. Teeter and J. A. Larson, eds.. Originally published in 2000.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/saoc/saoc58.html>

Ancient Egyptian Paintings Selected, Copied, and Described 3: Descriptive Text. Nina M. Davies with the Editorial Assistance of Alan H. Gardiner. Originally published in 1936.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/paintings3.html>

Ancient Textiles from Nubia: Meroitic, X-Group, and Christian Fabrics from Ballana and Qustul. Christa C. Mayer Thurman and Bruce Williams. Originally published in 1979.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/textiles.html>

Early Hydraulic Civilization in Egypt: A Study in Cultural Ecology. Karl W. Butzer. Originally published in 1976.

http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/early_hydraulic.html

Egyptology at the Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago. The Oriental Institute. Originally published in 1983.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/egyptology.html>

Kingship and the Gods: A Study of Ancient Near Eastern Religion as the Integration of Society and Nature. Henri Frankfort. Originally published in 1948.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/kingship.html>

Letters from Egypt and Iraq, 1954. Margaret Bell Cameron. Originally published in 2001.

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Most Ancient Egypt. William C. Hayes. Originally published in 1965.

http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/most_ancient.html

Quseir al-Qadim 1978: Preliminary Report. Donald S. Whitcomb and Janet H. Johnson. Originally published in 1979.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/quseir.html>

Quseir al-Qadim 1980: Preliminary Report. Donald S. Whitcomb and Janet H. Johnson. Originally published in 1982.

http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/quseir_1980.html

Signs and Wonders upon Pharaoh: A History of American Egyptology. John A. Wilson. Originally published in 1964.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/signs.html>

The Burden of Egypt: An Interpretation of Ancient Egyptian Culture. John A. Wilson. Originally published in 1951.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/culture.html>

The Culture of Egypt. By John A. Wilson. Originally published in 1956.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/burden.html>

United with Eternity: A Concise Guide to the Monuments of Medinet Habu. William J. Murnane. Originally published in 1980.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/united.html>

When Egypt Ruled the East. By George Steindorff and Keith C. Seele, Revised by Keith C. Seele. Originally published as second edition in 1957.

http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/catalog/misc/when_egypt.html

PUBLICATIONS OFFICE: Oriental Institute Annual Reports

2003–2004

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/ar/03-04/>

2004–2005

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/ar/04-05/>

2005–2006

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/ar/05-06/>

2006–2007

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/ar/06-07/>

2007–2008

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/pubs/ar/07-08/>

RESEARCH ARCHIVES: Research Archives Catalog Online

The Oriental Institute's on-line catalogue of the Research Archives has significantly increased the retrospective cataloging of material from before 1990. The total number of records stands at 322,000+.

<http://oilib.uchicago.edu>

Oriental Institute Research Archives Acquisitions Lists

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/AcquisitionsList-May2009.pdf>

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/AcquisitionsList-April2009.pdf>

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/AcquisitionsList-March2009.pdf>

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/AcquisitionsList-February2009.pdf>

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/AcquisitionsList-January2009.pdf>

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/AcquisitionsList-December2008.pdf>

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/AcquisitionsList-November2008.pdf>

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/AcquisitionsList-October2008.pdf>

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/AcquisitionsList-September2008.pdf>

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/AcquisitionsList-August2008.pdf>

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/AcquisitionsList-July2008.pdf>

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Archaeological Texts and Contexts on the Red Sea: The Sheikh's House at Quseir al-Qadim: A Dissertation Presented to The Department of Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations by Katherine Strange Burke. The Department of Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations, The University of Chicago, June 2007.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/library/dissertation/strangeburke.html>

SYMPOSIA

Science and Superstition: Interpretation of Signs in the Ancient World

March 6–7, 2009.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/symposia/2009.html>

INDIVIDUAL SCHOLARSHIP: John Brinkman

Mesopotamian Directory 2009

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/MesDir.pdf>

INDIVIDUAL SCHOLARSHIP: Norman Golb

Guide to the Current New York Exhibition of the Dead Sea Scrolls

http://oi.uchicago.edu/pdf/dds_new_york_exhibit_2008.html

On the Jerusalem Origin of the Dead Sea Scrolls

http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/is/jerusalem_origin_diss.html

INDIVIDUAL SCHOLARSHIP: Seth Richardson

A database of Late Old Babylonian personal names derived from cuneiform texts chiefly dating to the reigns of the last three kings of the First Dynasty of Babylon, 1683–1595 B.C.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/projects/lobpni>

INDIVIDUAL SCHOLARSHIP: Foy Scalf and Jacqueline Jay

The Oriental Institute Museum houses a large collection of nearly 900 Demotic ostraca, pottery sherds upon which ancient scribes recorded a wide variety of text types. The vast majority of the corpus concerns economic matters and consists of receipts, contracts, memos, and lists, but there is a small selection of other genres such as votive and astrological texts. The O.I.D.O.O database was developed as both a scholarly research tool and a means for the publication of the unpublished Oriental Institute Demotic ostraca.

<http://oi.uchicago.edu/research/projects/oidoo/>

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Although Charles Jones is no longer in charge of the Oriental Institute's Research Archives, he still actively maintains several vital electronic resources for ancient Near Eastern studies just as he had done during his tenure in Chicago. Thank you, Chuck, for your continuing service to the field, and our faculty, staff, and students.

ABZU: Guide to Resources for the Study of the Ancient Near East Available on the Internet

<http://www.etana.org/abzu>

ETANA: Electronic Tools and Ancient Near Eastern Archives: Core Texts

A substantial selection of digitized titles from the collections of the Research Archives has been added to the ETANA Core Texts this year.

<http://www.etana.org/coretexts.shtml>

IRAQCRISIS

A moderated list for communicating substantive information on cultural property damaged, destroyed, or lost from libraries and museums in Iraq during and after the war in April 2003, and on the worldwide response to the crisis. A component of the Oriental Institute's response to the cultural heritage crisis in the aftermath of the war in Iraq, this list provides a moderated forum for the distribution of information.

<https://listhost.uchicago.edu/mailman/listinfo/iraqcrisis>
