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Dear Colleague,

We would like to express our gratitude to your interest in the XI. International Congress of Hittitology, which will be held in Çorum between **August 31-September 06, 2020.** We are glad that plenty of scholars are willing to attend this Congress and present their papers.

We are going through a challenging period together by facing the worrying evolution of CoViD-19 virus and the current pandemic. We trust that all the measures taken by governments and health authorities will redirect the situation and we will already live in a fully normalized situation. For this reason, we will continue our preparations for the Congress.

I would like to inform you that all sessions at the Congress will be held in Hitit University, Vocational School conference halls. It is requested from the participants to send their abstracts (max. 200 words), written in Turkish or English, to <u>hititkongresi2020@gmail.com</u> no later than **May 30, 2020**.

A twenty-minute period is reserved for each speaker at the congress. Ten minutes of discussion will take place at the end of each session. Papers can be presented in English, German, French, Italian or Turkish. Tentative program will be sent to you by the end **July 15, 2020.**

We kindly remind you that the registration fee is 100. - EUR (70 EUR per accompanying person; 50 EUR per students). The registration will take place at the registration desk, in Hitit University, Vocational School on **August 30, 2020**. The dinners will be hosted by City of Çorum. Each participant will cover his/her own accommodation expenses.

At the end of the congress, there will be a trip to Ortaköy-Sapinuva on **September 05, 2020** and Boğazköy-Hattusa and Alacahöyük on **September 06, 2020**. Registration fee includes the trips.



We will keep you up to date on all the news and new actions over the congress website which will be available soon and in the mean time you can contact us from <u>hititkongresi2020@gmail.com</u>

In these difficult times, from the organizing committee, we want to send you a message of encouragement and hope. Together, we will overcome this situation.

Best Regards.

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