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EDUCATION

2007-2011: Doctorate (PhD) in Antiquity Studies (Ancient Anatolian Civilization) - Doctoral School in Humanities, Faculty of Letters and Philosophy, University of Trieste (Italy).

2003-2006: Post-graduate school degree (Specialization School: equivalent to Ph.D. in Italy) in Eastern Archaeology (Prehistory and Proto-history of the Near and Middle East) - Faculty of Letters and Philosophy, Sapienza University of Rome (Italy). Grade: 70/70 with honours.

1996-2002: BA/MA degree in Humanities (Near Eastern Archaeology) - Faculty of Letters and Philosophy, University of Florence (Italy). Grade: 110/110 with honours.

ACADEMIC CAREER

2020-to present: Researcher at the Istituto di Scienze del Patrimonio Culturale (ISPC), Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche (CNR, Rome – Italy).

2017-2020: Research fellow at the Institut für Altorientalistik, Freie Universität Berlin (Germany). Deutschen Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG) granted project “Beyond the Crisis”.

2016: Department of Antiquities, Sapienza University of Rome (Italy). Team member, National Geographic Society granted project “Collapse of transformation?”.

2015: Research fellow at the Institut für Altorientalistik, Freie Universität Berlin (Germany). Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst (DAAD) granted project “The gates of Arslantepe – Malizi”.

2014: Research fellow at the Institut für Altorientalistik, Freie Universität Berlin (Germany). Fritz Thyssen Foundation granted project “The survival of Hittite culture into the Iron Age”.

2012-2013: Senior research fellow at the Research Center for Anatolian Civilizations (RCAC), Koç University İstanbul (Turkey). Granted project “Lighting up the Dark Age”.

2008-2011: The Shelby White-Leon Levy Program for Archaeological Publication, University of Harvard, Cambridge, MA (USA). Research fellow granted project “Arslantepe – Late Bronze Age”.

GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

2019: Deutschen Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG) grant to support the organization of the international conference “Broadening Horizons 6” (Berlin, Germany).

2012: Temporary collaboration with the Chair of Prehistory and Proto-history of the Near and Middle East, Department of Antiquities, Sapienza University of Rome (Italy).

2008: Post-graduate prize awarded by Regione Toscana, Florence (Italy).

2007: Temporary collaboration with the Chair of Prehistory and Proto-history of the Near and Middle East, Department of Antiquities, Sapienza University of Rome (Italy).

2002: MA dissertation prize awarded by Banca Nazionale delle Comunicazioni (Italy).

1998-2000: BA/MA scholarship awarded by University of Florence (Italy).

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

2005-to present: “Archaeological Expedition in Eastern Anatolia” (Arslantepe/Malatya, Turkey), by Sapienza University of Rome (Italy). In charge of the study of the Late Bronze and the Iron Ages materials.

2013-2017: “Hittite Historical Atlas Project”, by Istanbul University (Turkey). In charge of the research areas of the provinces of Malatya and Elazığ.

2008-2013: “Excavations at Yumuktepe” (Mersin, Turkey), by University of Salento, Lecce (Italy). In charge of the study of the materials coming from the Late Bronze Age levels.

1999-2008: “Archaeological Expedition at Tell Barri” (Hassake, Syria), by University of Florence and University of Naples ‘Federico II’ (Italy). In charge of the study of the Middle Bronze Age levels.

PUBLICATIONS (*PEER-REVIEW PROCESS) *h-index (Google Scholar): 5 / total citation: 66*

MONOGRAPHS:

1. Manuelli F. (2013): *Arslantepe - Late Bronze Age. Hittite influence and local tradition in an Eastern Anatolian community (Arslantepe Series vol. IX)*, Sapienza Università di Roma, Rome, 477 pp.

BOOK CHAPTERS AND JOURNAL ARTICLES:

2. Frangipane M., Balossi Restelli F., Di Nocera G.M., Erdal Y.E., Manuelli F., Mori L. (2019): “Recent Late Chalcolithic and Iron Age Discoveries at Arslantepe: the 2017-2018 Campaigns”, in Steadman S.R., McMahon G. (eds.), *The Archaeology of Anatolia, Volume III: Recent Discoveries (2017-2018)*, Cambridge Scholars Publishing, Cambridge: 15-32.

3. Manuelli F. (2019): “Carving the memory, altering the past. PUGNUS-mili and the earlier Iron Age rulers at Arslantepe/Malizi (South-Eastern Turkey)”, in Lafer R., Dolenz H., Luik M. (eds.), *Antiquitates variae. Festschrift für Karl Strobel zum 65. Geburtstag*, VML Verlag, Rahden/Westf, 227-241.

4. Manuelli F. (2019): “From the Margin of the Hittite State to the Capital of the Kingdom of Medid: The Late Bronze Age and Iron Age Developments at Arslantepe”, in Durak N., Frangipane M. (eds.), *1st International Arslantepe Archaeology Symposium, 4-6 October 2018 Malatya*, İnönü Üniversitesi Matbaası, Malatya, 157-171.

5. Manuelli F. (2018)*: “Drifting Southward? Tracing Aspects of Cultural Continuity and Change in the Late 2nd Millennium BC Syro-Anatolian Region”, in *Studia Eblaitica* 4:139-186.

6. **Manuelli F.**, Pittman H. (2018)*: “A Flame and Frond Ivory Plaque from the Neo-Hittite Excavations at Arslantepe/Melid. Regionalisms and Communities in Iron Age Anatolia”, in *Origini* XLI: 139-169.
7. Frangipane M., Di Filippo F., **Manuelli F.**, Mori L. (2018): “Collapse or transformation? Regeneration and innovation at the turn of the 1st millennium BC at Arslantepe, Turkey”, in *Antiquity Project Gallery* 362: 1-7 (IF=1.15).
8. Ahrens A., **Manuelli F.** (2017)*: “Observations on John Garstang’s Excavations at Kazanlı Höyük (Cilicia) in 1937”, in *Altorientalische Forschungen* 44/2: 187-200 (IF=0.13).
9. Frangipane M., **Manuelli F.**, Vignola C. (2017): “Arslantepe, Malatya: Recent discoveries in the 2015 and 2016 seasons”, in Steadman S.R., McMahon G. (eds.), *The Archaeology of Anatolia Volume II: Recent Discoveries (2015-2016)*, Cambridge Scholars Publishing, Cambridge, 67-93.
10. **Manuelli F.** (2017): “Ḫatti and the East. A reassessment of the archaeological evidence from the Upper Euphrates Region: places, spaces and artifacts”, in Alparslan M. (ed.), *Places and Spaces in Hittite Anatolia I: Hatti and the East, Proceeding of an International Workshop on Hittite Historical Geography in Istanbul, 25th-26th October 2013*, Türk Eskiçağ Bilimleri Enstitüsü Yayınları, İstanbul, 137-158.
11. **Manuelli F.**, Mori L. (2016)*: “The King at the Gate. Monumental fortifications and the rise of local elites at Arslantepe at the end of the 2nd Millennium BCE”, in *Origini* XXXIX, 209-242.
12. **Manuelli F.** (2016)*: “What remains when contact breaks off? Survival of knowledge and techniques in material culture of the peripheral regions of the Hittite Empire after its dissolution”, in Foietta E., Ferrandi C., Somma L., Bruno J., Quirico E., Mortarini M., Giusto F. (eds.), *Cultural & Material Contacts in the Ancient Near East. Proceeding of the International Workshop, 1-2 December 1-2, 2014 Torino*, Apice Libri, Turin, 26-35.
13. Buccolieri A., Bozzetti G., Serra A., Manno D., Caneva I., **Manuelli F.** (2015)*: “A Comparative Study of Pottery from Mersin-Yumuktepe and Arslantepe, Turkey”, in *Archaeological Discovery* 2015/3, 15-25 (IF=1.15).
14. **Manuelli F.** (2013)*: “Pottery as an indicator of interregional changing relations in the upper Euphrates valley. The case of the Late Bronze-Iron Age assemblages from Arslantepe/Malatya”, in Yener A. (ed.), *Across the Border: Late Bronze-Iron Age Relations between Syria and Anatolia. Proceedings of a Symposium held at the Research Center of Anatolian Studies, Koç University, Istanbul, May 31-June 1 2010 (Ancient Near Eastern Studies Supplement 42)*, Peeters, Leuven-Paris-Walpole, 373-391 (IF=0.10).
15. Buccolieri A., Bozzetti G., Serra A., Manno D., Filippo E., Caneva I., **Manuelli F.** (2013): “Indagini archeometriche su reperti ceramici provenienti dal sito di Mersin-Yumuktepe (Turchia Meridionale) e Arslantepe (Turchia Orientale)”, in A.A.V.V., *La chimica nella società sostenibile. Atti del XVI Congresso Nazionale di Chimica dell’Ambiente e dei Beni Culturali. Rimini, 2-5 Giugno 2013*, Società Chimica Italiana, Rimini, 275.
16. **Manuelli F.** (2012)*: “A view from the East. Arslantepe and the Central Anatolian world during the Late Bronze and Iron Ages: interactions and local development”, in Frangipane M. (ed.), *Fifty Years of Excavations and Researches at Arslantepe – Malatya (Turkey), Proceeding of the conference held at Rome, 5th-8th December 2011 (Origini 34)*, Gangemi, Rome, 361-374.
17. **Manuelli F.** (2012): “From the Early to the Middle Iron Age: development of the pottery inventories from the new excavations at Arslantepe”, in Matthews R., Curtis J. (eds.), *Proceeding of the 7th International Congress on the Archaeology of the Ancient Near East. London, 12-16 April 2010, the British Museum and UCL, London, Vol. 1*, Harrassowitz, Wiesbaden, 447-460.
18. **Manuelli F.** (2012): “Gli Hittiti e *Malitiya*. Riflessioni e confronti sul materiale ceramico del periodo hittita imperiale di Arslantepe”, in Mazzoni S. (ed.), *Studi di Archeologia del Vicino Oriente. Scritti degli allievi fiorentini per Paolo Emilio Pecorella*, Firenze University Press, Florence, 163-184.
19. **Manuelli F.** (2011): “Le Età del Bronzo Tardo e del Ferro ad Arslantepe. Una panoramica sulla sequenza ceramica attraverso le più recenti attività di ricerca sul sito”, in Mazzoni S., Pecchioli

Daddi F., Torri G., D'Agostino A. (eds.), *Ricerche italiane in Anatolia. Risultati delle attività sul campo per le età del Bronzo e del Ferro, Proceeding of the conference Florence, 23 April 2010*, Herder, Rome, 15-30.

20. Manuelli F. (2011): "Malatya-Melid between the Late Bronze and the Iron Age. Continuity and Change at Arslantepe during the 2nd and 1st Millennium BC: Preliminary Observations on the Pottery Assemblages", in Strobel K. (ed.), *Empires after the Empire. Anatolia, Syria and Assyria after Šuppiluliuma II (ca. 1200 – 800/700 B. C). Interdisciplinary Workshop Klagenfurt, 4. – 6. 12. 2008 (Eothen 17)*, LoGisma, Florence, 61-85.

21. Manuelli F. (2010): "The Late Bronze Age", in Caneva I., Köroğlu G. (eds.), *Yumuktepe: A Journey through nine thousand Years*, Yayınları, Istanbul, 57-64.

22. Manuelli F. (2010): "Foreign influences and local tradition in the Iron Age pottery production from Arslantepe. Evidence from the new excavations of the Neo-Hittite levels", in *Mesopotamia XLV*, 71-84.

23. Manuelli F. (2010): "Malatya-Melid: a new look at the twenty century's archaeological researches. Some remarks on the Late Bronze Age pottery assemblages from Arslantepe," in Matthiae P., Pinnock F., Nigro L., Marchetti N. (eds.), *Proceeding of the 6th International Congress on the Archaeology of the Ancient Near East. May, 5th-10th 2008, "Sapienza" – Università di Roma, Vol. III*, Harrassowitz, Wiesbaden, 399-409.

24. Manuelli F. (2009): "Local Imitations and Foreign Imported Goods. Some Problems and New Questions on Red Lustrous Wheel-Made Ware in the Light of the New Excavations of the Southern Step Trench at Yumuktepe/Mersin", in *Altorientalische Forschungen 36/2*, 251-267 (IF=0.14).

25. Manuelli F. (2009): "Assyria and the Provinces. Survival of local architectural features and imposition of new patterns in the peripheral regions of the Empire", in *Mesopotamia XLIV*, 113-128.

26. Baccelli G., Manuelli F. (2008): "Middle Bronze Khabur Ware from Tell Barri/Kahat", in Cordoba J.M., Molist M., Pérez M.A., Rubio I., Martínez S. (eds.), *5ICAANE. 5th International Congress on the Archaeology of the Ancient Near East. Madrid 3-8 April 2006, Vol. I*, UAM, Madrid, 187-206.

27. Baccelli G., Manuelli F. (2008): "Osservazioni preliminari sulla ceramica della Media Età del Bronzo di Tell Barri", in Pierobon Benoit R. (ed.), *Tell Barri - Storia di un insediamento antico tra oriente e occidente, Atti della Conferenza tenuta a Napoli il 24-25/11/2005 (La Parola del Passato 63)*, Macchiaroli, Naples, 234-244.

28. Manuelli F. (2004): "La principale suite di rappresentanza degli edifici amministrativi provinciali neoassiri: osservazioni sulla disposizione e la permeabilità degli ambienti", in *Orient-Express 2004/2*, 49-52.

29. Manuelli F. (2003): "Un bacino in terracotta dal palazzo neoassiro di Tell Barri/Kahat. Funzionalità e cronologia di una produzione di complessa interpretazione", in *Orient-Express 2003/3*, 67-69.

POPULAR PRESS AND WEB PUBLICATIONS:

30. Frangipane M., Manuelli F. (2019): "Arslantepe. Dernières découvertes dans une cité néo-hittite", in *Dossiers d'Archéologie 36*, 40-43.

31. Manuelli F. (2012): "Assurbanipal", published on the journal <http://www.archart.it/> (<http://www.archart.it/assurbanipal.html>).

32. Manuelli F. (2012): "Ninive", published on the journal <http://www.archart.it/> (<http://www.archart.it/ninive.html>).

SUBMITTED MANUSCRIPTS:

33. Manuelli F. (in press)*: "The Dawn and Demise of Imperial Impact – Tell Atchana vs. Arslantepe in the Framework of the Hittite Expansion and Dissolution", submitted to: Yener A., Ingman T. (eds.), *Alalakh and its Neighbors: Proceedings of the 15th Anniversary Symposium at the New Hatay Archaeology Museum, June 10-12, 2015*, Leuven-Paris-Walpole.

- 34. Manuelli F.** (in press): “Regional dimension and external influences in the Late Bronze Age II pottery horizon at Arslantepe”, submitted to: Mazzoni S., Pucci M., Venturi F. (eds.), *Ceramic Identities at the Frontiers of the Empires. The Regional Dimension of Pottery Production in Late Bronze Age Northern Syria and Anatolia, Proceeding of the Workshop held in Florence, 14-17 January 2015*, Pisa.
- 35. Manuelli F.** (in press): “Contextualizing Crisis? Some Thoughts on the End of the Bronze Age in the Euphrates Region”, submitted to a forthcoming Festschrift.
- 36. Manuelli F.** (in press)*: “The Regeneration of the Late Bronze Age Traditions and the Formation of the Kingdom of Malizi”, submitted to: Sonne A., van Exel V. (eds.), *Formation, Organization and Development of the Iron Age Societies*, Vienna.
- 37. Manuelli F., Laurito R., Fragnoli P.** (in press)*: “Interweaving the Threads. Changes and Continuity in Textile Production at Arslantepe (SE Anatolia) at the Turn of the 1st Millennium BC”, submitted to: d’Alfonso L., Calini I., Hawley R., Masetti-Rouault M.G. (eds.), *Between the Age of Diplomacy and the First Great Empire in Ancient West Asia (1200-900 BC): Moving Beyond the Paradigm of Collapse and Regeneration. Publication of the proceedings of the conference held in Paris, April 16-17, 2019*, New York.
- 38. Laurito R., Manuelli F.** (in press): “A Spools Enigma. The Iron Age Case at Arslantepe (Malatya, South-Eastern Turkey)”, submitted to: Medina González A., Ruiz de Haro I. (eds.), *VII Purpureae Vestes, Proceedings of the Conference held in Granada 2-4 October 2019*, Granada.
- 39. Manuelli F., Orsi V.** (in press): “La ceramica del Bronzo Medio I”, submitted to: Pecorella P.E., Pierobon-Benoit R. (eds.), *Tell Barri/Kahat 3*, Florence.
- 40. Baccelli G., Manuelli F.** (in press): “La ceramica del periodo amorreo”, submitted to: Pecorella P.E., Pierobon-Benoit R. (eds.), *Tell Barri/Kahat 3*, Florence.

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

ORGANIZATION OF CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS:

1. Coppini C., Cyrus G., Golestaneh H., Hess C.W., Kallas N., **Manuelli F.**, Palermo R. (2019): “Broadening Horizons 6. Bridging the Gap: Disciplines, Times and Spaces in Dialogue”, conference organized at Freie Universität Berlin, 24-28 June 2019 (134 participants).
2. Balossi Restelli F., Mori L., Ricci A., Dönmez S., Öztürk M., Tuna A., **Manuelli F.**, Ulaş B., Vinciguerra G., Açıl O., Kiranşan C., Şişman Ç., Kazancı M., Haliloğlu G., Sarigül I., Özdaş K., Erol S., Şahin H., Kaya C. (2018): “1st International Arslantepe Archaeology Symposium”, conference organized at İnönü University Malatya, 4-6 October 2018 (51 participants).
3. **Manuelli F.**, Mielke D.P. (2018): “Painted pottery traditions at the margins of the Hittite State”, workshop organized at the 11th ICAANE, Munich 4 April 2018 (13 participants).
4. Abdullaev K., Farney G., **Manuelli F.**, Summers G. (2013): “Kingdoms and Empires in transition”, symposium organized at RCAC Istanbul, 1 March 2013 (5 participants).

PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS (*INVITED LECTURES):

5. Laurito R., **Manuelli F.** (2019): “A spools enigma. The Iron Age case at Arslantepe (Malatya, South-Eastern Turkey)”, poster presented at the conference *VII Purpureae Vestes*, Granada 2-4 October 2019.
6. Kallas N., **Manuelli F.** (2019): “Closing Session”, talk presented at the conference *Broadening Horizons 6. Bridging the Gap: Disciplines, Times and Spaces in Dialogue*, Berlin 24-28 June 2019.
7. **Manuelli F.** (2019)*: “The figurative repertoire of the Iron Age citadel at Arslantepe: recent researches and results”, lecture presented at the workshop *Sculpture et Art Monumental de l’Empire Hittite et de ses Héritiers Néo-Hittites et Aramées*, Paris 17 May 2019.
8. **Manuelli F.** (2019)*: “What continues? What changed? Material evidence and historical remarks on the Late Bronze-Iron Age transition in the Upper Euphrates region”, lecture presented at the

- conference *Between the Age of Diplomacy and the First Great Empire in Ancient West Asia (1200-900 BC): Moving Beyond the Paradigm of Collapse and Regeneration*, Paris 18-19 April 2019.
- 9. Manuelli F.** (2019)*: "Coping with the Crisis. The Beginning of the Iron Age at Arslantepe and in its Territory", lecture presented at the conference *Anatolia Between the 13th and the 12th Century BCE*, Turin 21-22 January 2019.
- 10. Manuelli F.** (2018): "From the margin of the Hittite State to the capital of the Kingdom of Melid: The Late Bronze and Iron Age developments at Arslantepe", lecture presented at the symposium *I. International Arslantepe Archaeology Symposium*, Malatya 4-6 October 2018.
- 11. Manuelli F., Mielke D.P.** (2018): "Pottery traditions in Late Bronze Age Anatolia: an introduction", lecture presented at the workshop *Painted pottery traditions at the margins of the Hittite State* (11th ICAANE), Munich 4 April 2018.
- 12. Manuelli F.** (2018): "Just a matter of style? Late Bronze Age painted pottery traditions in the Upper Euphrates Region: origins and significance", lecture presented at the workshop *Painted pottery traditions at the margins of the Hittite State* (11th ICAANE), Munich 4 April 2018.
- 13. Manuelli F.** (2017): "Drifting southward. Tracing transformations of the extra-regional contacts in the Upper Euphrates area at the late-2nd Millennium BCE", lecture presented at the conference *Broadening Horizons 5*, Udine 5-8 June 2017.
- 14. Manuelli F.** (2016)*: "The regeneration of the Late Bronze Age tradition and the formation of the Kingdom of Malizi", lecture presented at the workshop *Formation, Organization and Development of Iron Age Societies: a comparative view* (10th ICAANE), Vienna 29 April 2016.
- 15. Manuelli F., Mori L.** (2015): "The king at the gate: monumental fortifications and the rise of local elites at Arslantepe at the end of the 2nd millennium BCE", lecture presented at the conference *Text and Image. 61. Rencontre Assyriologique Internationale*, Geneva-Bern 22-26 June.
- 16. Manuelli F.** (2015)*: "The dawn and demise of imperial impact – models of interaction between Late Bronze Age powers and their peripheral territories: Tell Atchana and Arslantepe, a comparative analysis", lecture presented at the workshop *Alalakh and its Neighbors*, Hatay 10-12 June 2015.
- 17. Manuelli F.** (2015)*: "Regional dimension and external influences in the Late Bronze Age II pottery horizon at Arslantepe", lecture presented at the workshop *Ceramic Identities at the Frontiers of the Empires. The Regional Dimension of Pottery Production in Late Bronze Age Northern Syria and Anatolia*, Florence 14-17 January 2015.
- 18. Manuelli F.** (2014)*: "What remains when contact breaks off? Survival of knowledge and techniques in material culture from the peripheral regions of the Hittite Empire after its dissolution: some case-studies", lecture presented at the workshop *Cultural and Material Contact in the Ancient Near East*, Turin 1-2 December 2014.
- 19. Manuelli F.** (2013)*: "Hatti and the Euphrates. An Assessment of the Archaeological Data: Places, Spaces and Artifacts as evidence of connection", lecture presented at the workshop *Places and Spaces in Hittite Anatolia I: Hatti and the East*, Istanbul 25-26 October 2013.
- 20. Buccolieri A., Bozzetti G., Serra A., Manno D., Filippo E., Caneva I., Manuelli F.** (2013): "Indagini archeometriche su reperti ceramici provenienti dal sito di Mersin-Yumuktepe (Turchia Meridionale) e Arslantepe (Turchia Orientale)", lecture presented at the conference *XIV Congresso Nazionale di Chimica dell'Ambiente e dei Beni Culturali. La chimica nella società sostenibile*, Rimini, 2-5 Giugno.
- 21. Manuelli F.** (2013): "Hittites at the Euphrates Border. Empire-Building and Local Resistance in a Frontier Area: Archaeological Evidence of Cultural Relations and Integration Processes", lecture presented at the symposium *Kingdom and Empire in Transition*, RCAC Istanbul, 1 March 2013.
- 22. Manuelli F.** (2011)*: "A view from the East: Arslantepe and the Central Anatolian world in the Hittite and Neo-Hittite periods as seen from pottery sequence", lecture presented at the conference

Fifty Years of Excavations and Researches at Arslantepe – Malatya (Turkey), Rome, 5-8 December 2011.

23. Manuelli F. (2010)*: “Pottery as an indicator of interregional changing relations in the upper Euphrates valley. The case of the Late Bronze-Iron Age assemblages from Arslantepe/Malatya”, lecture presented at the conference *Across the Border: Late Bronze-Iron Age relations between Syria and Anatolia*, Istanbul 31May-1 June 2010.

24. Manuelli F. (2010)*: “La produzione ceramica ad Arslantepe tra la Tarda Età del Bronzo e l’Età del Ferro”, lecture presented at the workshop *Ricerche italiane in Anatolia: risultati delle attività sul campo per le età del Bronzo e del Ferro*, Firenze 23 April 2010.

25. Manuelli F. (2010): “Iron Age ceramic movements and usages at Arslantepe. Local traditions and foreign influences in the pottery production from the new excavations on the Neo-Hittite levels”, lecture presented at the conference *7th International Congress on the Archaeology of the Ancient Near East*, London 12-16 April.

26. Manuelli F. (2008)*: “Malatya – Melid between the Late Bronze and the Iron Age. Continuity and Change at Arslantepe during the 2nd and 1st Millennium BC: Preliminary Observations on the Pottery Assemblages”, lecture presented at the workshop: *Empires after the Empire. Anatolia, Syria and Assyria after Šuppiliuma II (ca. 1200 – 800/700 B. C.)*, Klagenfurt 4-6 December 2008.

27. Manuelli F. (2008): “Malatya-Melid: a new look at the twenty century’s archaeological researches. Some remarks on the Late Bronze Age pottery assemblages from Arslantepe”, lecture presented at the conference *6th International Congress on the Archaeology of the Ancient Near East*, Rome 5-10 May.

28. Baccelli G., Manuelli F. (2006): “Middle Bronze Khabur Ware from Tell Barri/Kahat”, lecture presented at the *5th International Congress on the Archaeology of the Ancient Near East*, Madrid 3-8 April 2005.

29. Baccelli G., Manuelli F. (2005)*: “Tell Barri: la ceramica del Bronzo Medio”, lecture presented at the workshop *Tell Barri, Storia di un insediamento antico tra oriente e occidente*, Napoli 24-25 November 2005.

30. Manuelli F. (2004): “Assyria and the Provinces. Survival of local architectural features and imposition of new patterns in the peripheral regions of the Empire”, poster presented at the conference *4th International Congress on the Archaeology of the Ancient Near East*, Berlin 28 March-3 April.

SEMINARS AND LECTURES AT UNIVERSITIES

1. Manuelli F. (2019): “Monuments and territoriality in Iron Age Anatolia. The case of Malatya and Elbistan plains”, lecture presented at the *Altorientalistisches Forschungskolloquium*, Freie Universität Berlin, 12 December 2019.

2. Manuelli F. (2017): “Images and worlds carved on stone. The ideological and celebrative apparatus of the Iron Age citadel at Arslantepe”, lecture presented at the seminar of the *Lehrstuhl für Altorientalistik*, Würzburg University, 6 July 2017.

3. Manuelli F. (2017): “Beyond the crisis – Continuity, transformation and innovation in the development of the Anatolian societies at the turn of the 1st Millennium BCE: A case study in the Upper Euphrates region”, lecture presented at the *Institut für Vorderasiatische Archäologie Forschungstag 2017*, Freie Universität Berlin, 12 May 2017.

4. Manuelli F. (2013): “Archaeological Ceramics”, lecture presented at the course *Archaeological Method and Theory*, Archaeology Laboratory, Koç University Istanbul, 30 April 2013.

5. Manuelli F. (2012): “Transformation processes in the Upper Euphrates region at the turn of the 1st Millennium BC”, lecture presented at the seminar *RCAC fellows*, Research Center for Anatolian Civilization, Koç University Istanbul, 14 November 2012.

6. Manuelli F. (2007): “Il corpus ceramico della Tarda Età del Bronzo di Arslantepe – Malatya. Descrizione dei contesti di rinvenimento e definizione delle principali classi di produzione”, lecture

presented at the seminar *School of Doctorate in Humanity Science*, Faculty of Letters and Philosophy, University of Trieste, 12 December 2007.

7. Manuelli F. (2007): “Le società dell’Anatolia Orientale durante la Tarda Età del Bronzo (1650 – 1200 a.C.). L’influenza ittita ad Arslantepe – Malatya e nell’Alta Valle dell’Eufrate turco attraverso l’analisi della produzione ceramica”, lecture presented at the seminar *School of Doctorate in Humanity Science*, Faculty of Letters and Philosophy, University of Trieste, 14 June 2007.

8. Manuelli F. (2001): “Lo scavo dell’Area A,” lecture presented at the seminar *La Campagna di scavo del 2001 a Tell Barri (Kahat)*, Faculty of Letters and Philosophy, University of Florence, 21 December 2001.

9. Manuelli F. (2000): “Lo scavo dell’Area A”, lecture presented at the seminar *La Campagna di scavo del 2000 a Tell Barri (Kahat)*, Faculty of Letters and Philosophy, University of Florence, 21 December 2000.

SERVICES AT UNIVERSITY AND ACADEMIC WORLD

THESIS SUPERVISED:

1. Bozzetti G. (2012): *Indagini archeometriche su reperti ceramici provenienti da differenti contesti archeologici* (MA thesis, Università del Salento-Lecce / Archaeology / July 2012), external advisor.

2. Mishmastnehi M. (2018): *Technical and archaeological studies of Persian Windmills and their millstones in Eastern Iran* (PhD thesis, FU Berlin / Near Eastern Archaeology / June 2018), committee member.

3. Portuese L. (2019): *The audience of the Neo-Assyrian ideology. Studies in the access to the Royal Palaces of Ashurnasirpal II and Sargon II according to archaeological, visual and textual sources* (PhD thesis, FU Berlin / Near Eastern Archaeology / February 2019), committee member.

4. D’Anna M.B. (2019): *The Ceramic of Arslantepe VIA and its Significance in Food Related Practices* (PhD thesis, FU Berlin / Near Eastern Archaeology / July 2019), committee member.

EDITORIAL WORK:

1. Articles Peer Reviewer for the publisher Transcript Verlag (2018).

2. Articles Peer Reviewer for the journal *Studi Micenei ed Egeo-Anatolici* (2019).

3. Articles Peer Reviewer for the journal *West & East* (2019).

4. Articles Peer Reviewer for the journal *Studia Eblaitica* (2019).

5. Articles Peer Reviewer for the publisher ArchaeoPress (2018-2019).

MOST RELEVANT SCIENTIFIC EXPERIENCES IN NON-ACADEMIC SECTORS

ARCHAEOLOGICAL EXCAVATIONS AND RESTORATIONS:

2004-to present: Excavations at Arslantepe (Malatya, Turkey) with the “Arslantepe Expedition”, Sapienza University of Rome (Italy). As field supervisor: excavations and documentation.

2002-2007: Restoration activity and pottery cataloguing with “Laboratorio di Restauro del Museo Civico Archeologico del Comune di Peccioli” (Pisa, Italy) on the ceramic material coming from the site of Ortaglia (Pisa, Italy).

2006: Excavations at Sesto Fiorentino (Florence, Italy) with the “Museo e Istituto Fiorentino di Preistoria”. As archaeologist: excavations and graphic documentation.

2001-2002: Excavations at Sesto Fiorentino (Florence, Italy) with “Cooperativa Archeologia”. As archaeologist: excavations and graphic documentation.

1999-2004: Excavations at Tell Barri (Hassake, Syria) with the “Archaeological Expedition at Tell Barri”, University of Florence and University of Naples ‘Federico II’. As field supervisor: excavations and graphic documentation.

MUSEUM AND EXHIBIT:

2008: Guide at the National Archaeological Museum of Florence with “Soprintendenza per i Beni Archeologici della Toscana” (Florence, Italy).

2008: Guide at the National Archaeological Museum of Florence with “Museo e Istituto Fiorentino di Preistoria” (Florence, Italy).

2005: Collaboration in installing the exhibition *Il vino in Etruria* (opening 09/07/2005) with “Laboratorio di Restauro del Museo Civico Archeologico del Comune di Peccioli” (Pisa, Italia).

2005: Collaboration in installing the exhibition *La scrittura Etrusca un mistero svelato, le iscrizioni di Volterra e del territorio* (opening 09/04/2005) with “Laboratorio di Restauro del Museo Civico Archeologico del Comune di Peccioli” (Pisa, Italia).

2004: Collaboration in installing the permanent exhibition of *Museo Civico Archeologico* (opening 07/05/2004) with “Laboratorio di Restauro del Museo Civico Archeologico del Comune di Peccioli” (Pisa, Italia).

2003: Collaboration in installing the exhibition *Peccioli e gli Etruschi* (opening 28/06/2003) with “Laboratorio di Restauro del Museo Civico Archeologico del Comune di Peccioli” (Pisa, Italia).

TEACHING:

2007-2008: Lessons about archaeological excavations procedures to children of the primary and the secondary schools with “Museo e Istituto Fiorentino di Preistoria” (Florence, Italy).

2007-2008: Lessons about Prehistoric, Mesopotamian and Egyptian archaeology to children of the primary and the secondary schools with “Museo e Istituto Fiorentino di Preistoria” (Florence, Italy).

LANGUAGE AND IT SKILLS

Italian: Native speaker.

English: C2 level (onSET certification / BULATS certification).

German: B1 level.

Turkish: Lower-intermediate level.

French: Basic competences.

Arabic: Colloquial.

Software: Microsoft Office Package (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access, Publisher, Visio); Adobe Photoshop CS; Adobe Illustrator CC; Adobe InDesign CC; FileMaker Pro; PostgreSQL; Pegaso; OxCal 4.1, Calib 6.0.1.