9:00  
*Work of the Theban Mapping Project*
Dr. Kent Weeks, Theban Tombs Project

10:00  
*An Early Tourist Encounters the Theban Tombs: Mary MacDonald, 1859*
Mark Trumpour, In Search of Ancient Egypt in Canada

10:15  
"The Speculation of Civilised Cupidity, Virtuosi, and Antiquarians": Early Nineteenth Century Excavations at Thebes
Prof. John Gee, Brigham Young University

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*The Genesis of the New Kingdom Royal Necropoleis of Thebes*
Prof. Aidan Dodson, University of Bristol

**BREAK**

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*In the Footsteps of Theodore Davis in the Valley of the Kings*
Dr. Donald P. Ryan, Pacific Lutheran University

2:00  
*In the shadow of the Royals: the gated community necropolis of Deir el-Medina*
Dr. Cedric Gobeil, Museo delle Antichità Egizie di Torino

3:00  
*Monumental tomb building at Thebes in the first millennium BC: the rediscovery of a late heyday*
Dr. Julia Budka, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München