

Mummy Adventures Since the Road Show

Presented by: Friends of the Office of State Archaeology

Saturday, March 21, 2020 at 3:00 pm

(Snow Date: Sunday, March 22, 2020)

2:00 p.m. FOSA Annual Meeting



Farmington High School Auditorium
10 Monteith Drive, Farmington, CT

Guest Speakers:

Dr. Ronald G. Beckett (at left)
Professor Emeritus
Department of Biomedical Sciences
Quinnipiac University

Dr. Gerald Conlogue (at right)
Professor Emeritus
Department of Diagnostic Imaging
Quinnipiac University

This presentation considers several grant-supported research projects Drs. Beckett and Conlogue have conducted on mummies from around the world since their 2010 talk to FOSA, including: a paleoimaging and bioarchaeological analysis of 60 mummies from the burial chambers of the mother church of Saint Nicholas of Bari, Gangi, Sicily, many of which presented with over-modeling of the face with partial or complete wax masks; analysis of 40 pre-Inca mummies of the Maranga Culture in Quito, Ecuador; and a special presentation of the Scientific Study of the Smoked Body Mummification Method and Ritual of Papua New Guinea's Anga Mummies – a struggle to keep the mummification tradition alive.

Directions to Farmington High School

From I-84 East or West:

- 1) Take Exit 39, proceed west on Route 4/Farmington Avenue for 3.9 miles, crossing Route 10 at about 1.5 miles.
- 2) Approximately 2.4 miles past Route 10, turn right on Monteith Drive.
- 3) Drive past Town Hall at right, to Farmington High School at top of hill. Follow signs to parking and auditorium.

From Route 4 East

Drive 1.25 miles east of Route 177, turn left on Monteith Drive.

Follow step 3 directions above.

General Admission - \$10.00

Non-Farmington Students with ID - \$5.00

FOSA, ASC, CSMNH, Farmington students & faculty admitted free with ID

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<http://www.fosa-ct.org/> or on Facebook at Office of State Archaeology, Connecticut