



## Programme 2018/19

MBI Al Jaber Building, London Middle East Institute (LMEI), SOAS

21 Russell Square, London WC1B 5EA

Lectures start at 5.45pm

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| Thursday, 18th October 2018  | <b>Digital History: Promoting the Middle East</b><br>Jan van der Crabben, Founder and CEO of Ancient History Encyclopedia<br>& James Blake Wiener, Co-Founder and Communications Director at<br>Ancient History Encyclopedia |
| Thursday, 15th November 2018 | <b>Dragon's Blood Island: Socotra and Our Search for Dragons</b><br>Ella Al-Shamahi, National Geographic Explorer<br>(Joint MBI/BFSA/BYS Lecture)  |
| Thursday, 21st February 2019 | <b>The Periplus, South Arabia and the Far-side Ports</b><br>Carl Phillips<br>(Joint MBI/BFSA Lecture)  |
| Thursday, 18th April 2019    | <b>Endangered Cultural Heritage of Yemen</b><br>Robert Bewley, Director of EAMENA Project, University of Oxford<br>(Joint MBI/BFSA/BYS Lecture)  |
| Wednesday, 17th May 2019     | <b>A legacy of T. E. Lawrence – The University of the Desert</b><br>Mark Evans, Executive Director of Outward Bound Oman   |
| Thursday, 20th June 2019     | <b>Nine Quarters of Jerusalem</b><br>Matthew Teller, Independent Writer and Documentary-maker  |