

## ORESTAO AND ITS NETWORKS

THIRD DORESTAD CONGRESS LEIDEN (NL), 12-15 JUNE 2019



## General

In June 2019 the National Museum of Antiquities in Leiden will again host the international congress on Dorestad, the Carolingian emporium in the present-day Netherlands. This is exactly ten years after the first congress, and fifty years since the famous Dorestad brooch was found. The Dorestad Congress brings together scholars to debate about this site and its counterparts in Europe, as well as the material culture, urbanisation and environment of the Early Middle Ages.

## **Programme**

The congress opens with a keynote lecture by Prof.dr. Dagfinn Skre (University of Oslo), on the beginnings of the Viking Age. Sessions are devoted to Dorestad and its landscapes, recent excavations at Carolingian and Viking sites, early-medieval wealth, early urbanism, and swords. A special session on early-medieval glass is in remembrance of Prof.dr. Ina Isings (1919-2018).

There is an open call for posters, a congress dinner and an optional excursion to

the archaeological theme park Archeon.

## **Subscription and information**

Congress fee: €150 (€100 for students). For full programme, online subscription and more information, see: www.rmo.nl/congress