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## 2014- February-March Upcoming Conferences



APAA President, Zemaryalai Tarzi, Professor Emeritus of Archaeology, Strasbourg University, France will be visiting the SF Bay Area and give four lectures. He will also give a lecture in Seattle. We are looking forward to welcoming you to these special events.

## Calendar

Thursday, February 20, 2014, 5 pm

### "The Buddhist Site of Mes Aynak, Afghanistan"

Institute of East Asian Studies, 2223 Fulton Street, Berkeley, 6th floor conference room

<http://buddhiststudies.berkeley.edu/events/>

Saturday, February 22nd, 2-4pm,

### "The Buddhist Heritage of Afghanistan"

Creekside Room, Dominican University campus, San Rafael. Free and open to the public as part of the Cultural Expressions Lecture Series.

<http://www.dominican.edu/dominicannews/whats-happening-at-dominican>





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Wednesday February 26th, 2014, 4pm

### **“Bamiyan- Past, Present and Future: Perspectives on Archaeology of Afghanistan”**

The Asia Foundation, 465 California St, San Francisco

<http://asiafoundation.org/news/2014/01/bamiyan-past-present-and-future-perspectives-on-archaeology-in-afghanistan/>

Thursday February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2014, 1 - 4:30pm

### **“A Crossroad in Central Asia: Afghanistan –The Chronology of a Personal Experience in the Archaeology of Afghanistan 1967-Present”**

Other keynote speaker includes **David Stronach, Professor Emeritus of Archaeology**

San Francisco State University, College of Liberal & Creative Arts, 1600 Holloway Ave, San Francisco

<http://persian.sfsu.edu/events/2014/02/27/661>

Saturday March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2014

### **“Meditation Grotto of Tape Shotor, Hadda, Afghanistan”**

The Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies, Seattle, Washington

The Walker Ames Room, Kane Hall

<http://jsis.washington.edu/soasia/events.shtml>

