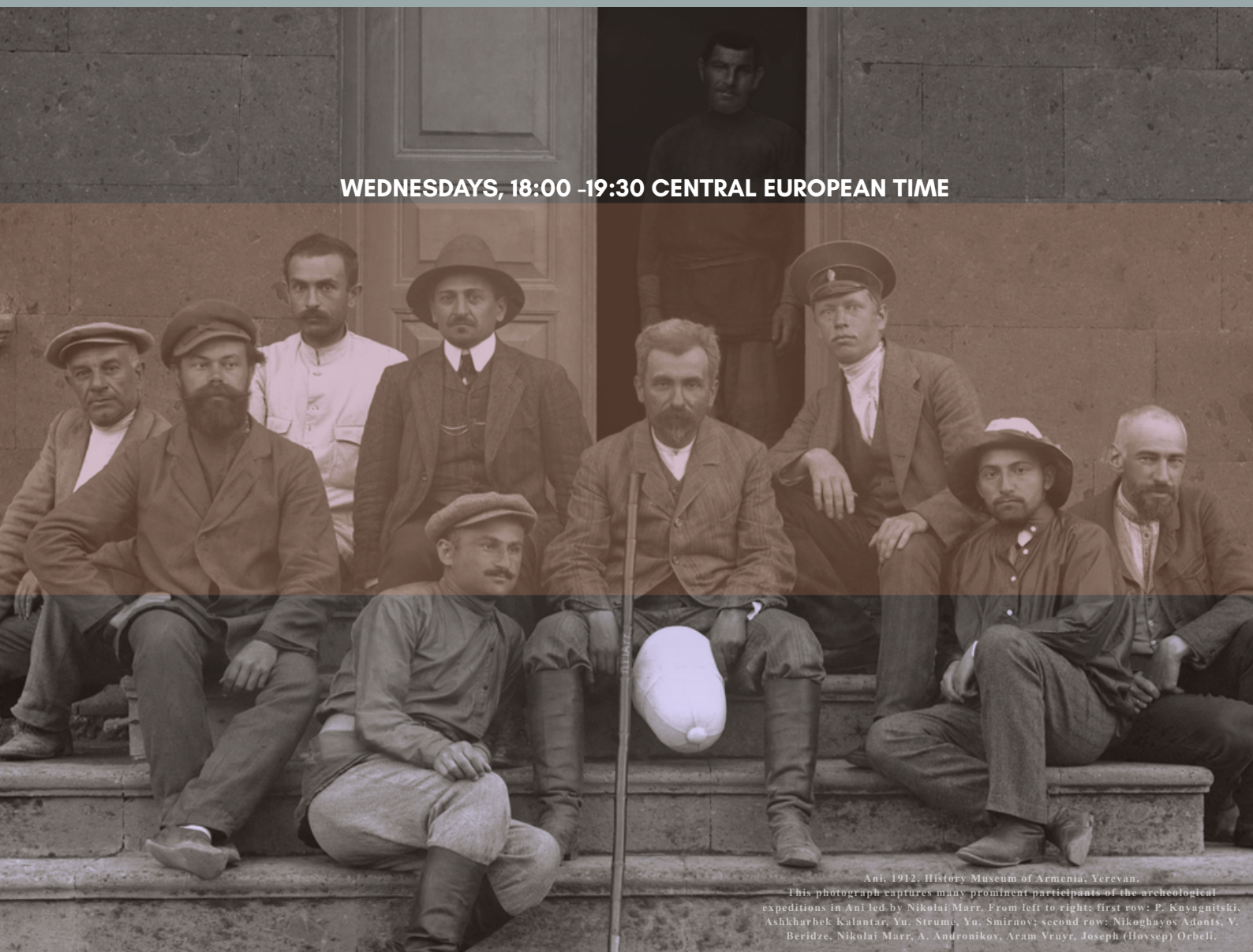


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Ani, 1912. History Museum of Armenia, Yerevan.

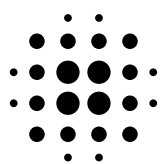
This photograph captures many prominent participants of the archeological expeditions in Ani led by Nikolai Marr. From left to right; first row: P. Knvagnitski, Ashkharbek Kalantar, Yu. Strumi, Yu. Smirnov; second row: Nikoghayos Adonts, V. Beridze, Nikolai Marr, A. Andronikov, Aram Vruyr, Joseph (Hovsep) Orbell.

**FROM 23 SEPTEMBER TO 16 DECEMBER
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07 OCTOBER	Dr Carel Bertram (San Francisco State University), Still Longing for Digranagerd
14 OCTOBER	Dr Nzhdeh Yeranyan (History Museum of Armenia), Dr Haykuhi Muradyan (Yerevan State University), and Dr Ruzanna Tsaturyan (Institute of Archaeology and Ethnography NAS RA): The Reconstruction of Hadrut City: Memory and Cultural Heritage After the 44-day Artsakh War and Forced Displacement
21 OCTOBER	Dr Nona Shahnazaryan (Institute of Archaeology and Ethnography NAS RA): Shushi – a "Ghost City": Continuity of Loss
04 NOVEMBER	Kristine Baghdasaryan (Pázmány Péter Catholic University), Contesting the lieu de mémoire: Ani, Heritage, and the Politics of Loss in the Armenian Khatabala periodical, Tiflis, 1906–1914
11 NOVEMBER	Dr Bálint Kovács (Pázmány Péter Catholic University / GWZO Leipzig): Minas Bzhkeants and Ani Armenians
18 NOVEMBER	Dr Gayane Shagoyan (Institute of Archaeology and Ethnography NAS RA): A City Lost Twice: Double Catastrophe and the Urban Identity of Leninakan – Gyumri
25 NOVEMBER	Yana Lalayan (Pázmány Péter Catholic University): What Moves Between the Lost Cities
02 DECEMBER	Dr Yulia Antonyan (Yerevan State University), A City of the Curly-Haired Boy: The Imagination and Loss of Soviet Charentsavan
09 DECEMBER	Lilit Mnatsakanyan (Pázmány Péter Catholic University / GWZO Leipzig): Losing a City That Was Never Gone: The Problem of "Loss" in the Armenian Town in Transylvania (Armenopolis)
16 DECEMBER	Prof. Peter Cowe (University of California, Los Angeles): Ani's Protean Gestalt in Spatiotemporal Transition

