

# Archaeological Collections

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It's my pleasure to finally (and just in time as I hope) send you my little contribution for this year's jam. An online contribution this is. Please find attached to this e-mail a quick little sketch right here from the field. I am currently in southeastern Turkey working at the early Neolithic site of Göbekli Tepe, so I thought to contribute a glimpse into my 'work situation' - the kind of scene taking place before all these little finds and trinkets are collected, sorted and washed, properly described and catalogued ... and finally send to the museum to take up a nice spot in their collection (to finally make the link to this year's jam topic). The attached sketch (made with iPad and Paper & Pencil by FiftyThree) shows a frieze of ducks adorning a limestone pedestal cut out of the bedrock some 12,000 years ago over here in the dusty Anatolian steppe.