

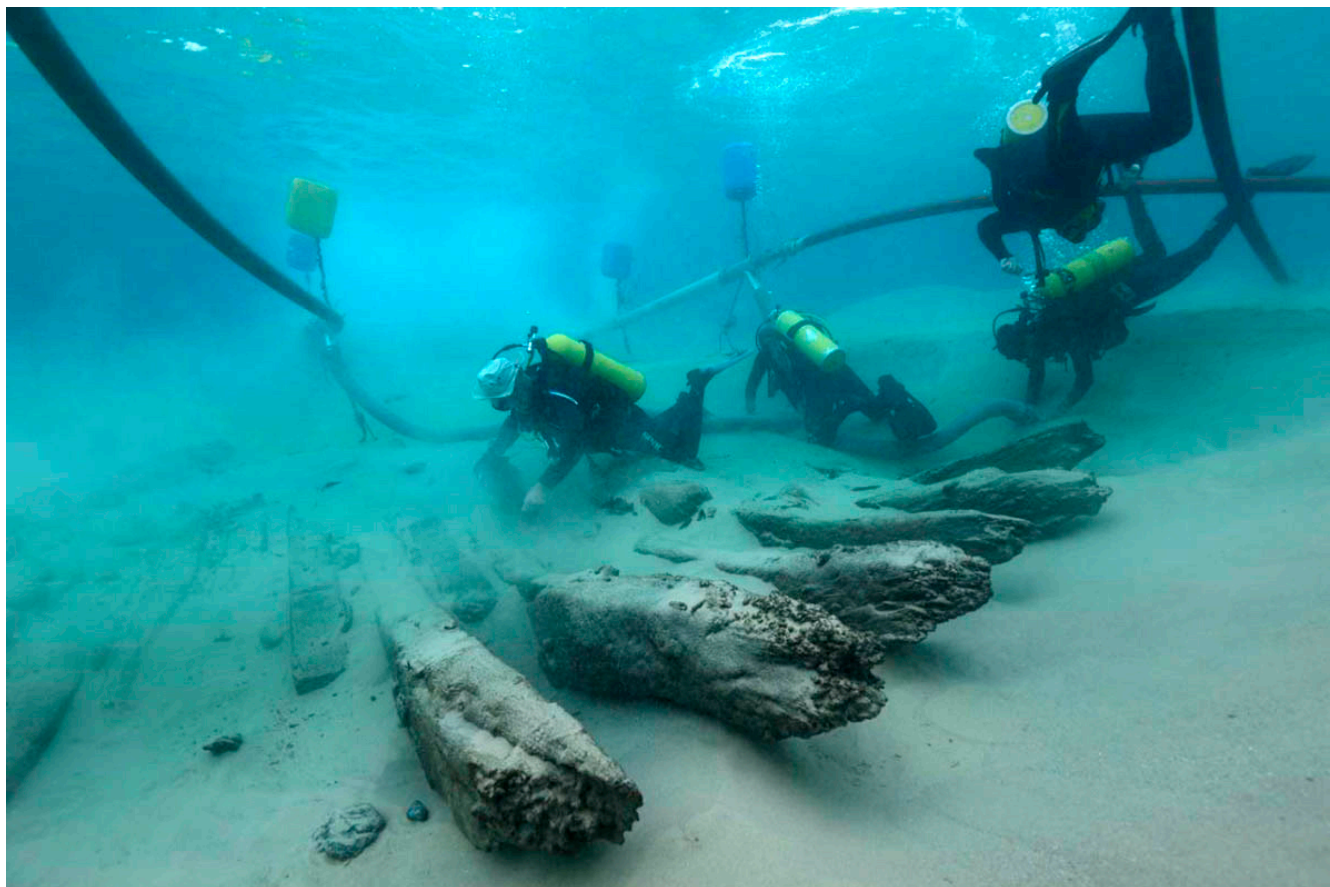
**Gastvortrag**  
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**Large Roman ships in the Eastern Mediterranean**

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Underwater excavations, carried out in the past decades, have provided many data about small ships in the Western Mediterranean. However, large ships are not so well evidenced. Moreover, only a few Roman shipwrecks have been excavated in the Eastern Mediterranean. This makes the recent excavation of the Caesarea shipwreck, lying along the Israeli coast, all the more interesting, as she obviously belonged to a large ship. Did the Eastern Mediterranean also experience large ships? What sources may evidence their existence? How large were these ships? What cargo did they convey? Which road did they follow?



Caption: The Caesarea shipwreck while excavated in 2017  
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