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A City Gate, Palatial Complex and Sculpted Icons at Kerkenes, an Iron Age Capital in Central Turkey

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Thursday, November 9th, 7:30 pm Mencoff Hall (The Cabinet), 68 Waterman St.

Kerkenes is an Iron Age Capital located in the highlands of central Turkey. The short life of this city makes it ideal for remote sensing, which has revealed an entire urban plan in remarkable detail. GIS studies are beginning to explain some aspects of the urban dynamics, while excavation is revealing monumental architecture embellished with unexpected iconography.

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