

Current State of Reserach on the Bükk Culture in Slovakia

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The aim of my presentation will be a brief outline of the current state of research on the Bükk Culture in Slovakia, based on excavations and surveys conducted in Eastern Slovakia over the past 30 years. The same 30 years have likewise passed since the last monographic treatment of the culture by J. Lichardus. Since then only few brief articles appeared, mainly by the late S. Šiška, who offered a slightly different picture of the culture and defined its eastern and western group. Of special importance were his excavations in Šarišské Michaľany, unsurpassed by any other site in the Eastern Slovakia so far. Further evidence comes from qualitatively comparable but much smaller assemblages registered so far.