

The new project 2016

The new project north of the Danube began on January 2, 2016, with the financial support of the Bavarian state. It is to be understood as a continuation of regional field research of the old project. It relates to the rectangle of Donauwörth-Neuburg-Eichstätt- Monheim. The latest technological methods are used. This includes the location of the sites by the new analysis-system „Bayern-Atlas“, which detects the GPS coordinates with the boundaries of the search area and the findings, as well as the photographic recording of the in-situ-places with GPS. My archaeological company „paleoplan“ works with doctorate archaeologists who carry out the chronology of the sites, paid by grants of the state. Center of the new research is the analysis of the so called „Grey Zone“, which appears to be older than Neanderthal.

The focus of the analysis deals with the gray zone that probably detected the time of Homo heidelbergensis, for which there is no evidence in southern Germany. In 2 years the project should be completed. Attached is a detailed study of the spatial distribution, movement and living of all human activities for 500 000 years on the area of 4 counties. In this way, various open issues and questions will be answered, which can not be clarified by geographically limited excavations.