

PLATES

**Conservation Mission 3
19 November – 2 December 2012**



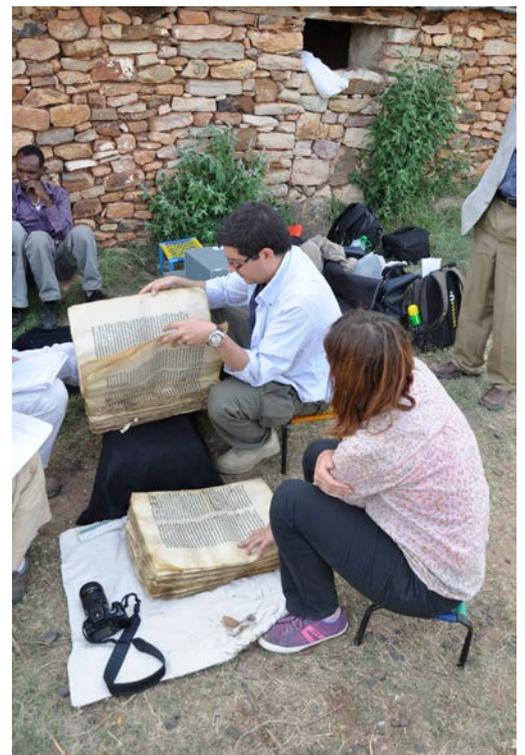
1: Condition of MS UM-18 before the conservation



2: V. Pisani, A. Brita, N. Sarris with a member of the local community of 'Ura Qirqos, discussing the strategy of conservation



3 (left): A. Brita, N. Sarris reassembling the textblock of MS UM-18



4 (right): N. Sarris, V. Pisani reassembling the textblock of MS UM-18



5: M. Di Bella, repairing leaves of MS UM-18



6: R. Proctor, T. Zammit Lupi, M. Di Bella repairing the leaves of MS UM-18



7-8: Repairing the leaves of MS UM-18



9-12: Repairing the leaves of MS UM-18



13-16: Repairing the leaves of MS UM-18



17-20: Repairing the leaves of MS UM-18





21-24: Repairing the leaves of MS UM-18





25-26: Repairing the leaves of MS UM-18



27: Yonas Taddälä with the representative of the community of 'Ura Qirqos attending the work



28: Remains of the original sewing of MS UM-18

29-32: Repairing the leaves of MS UM-18

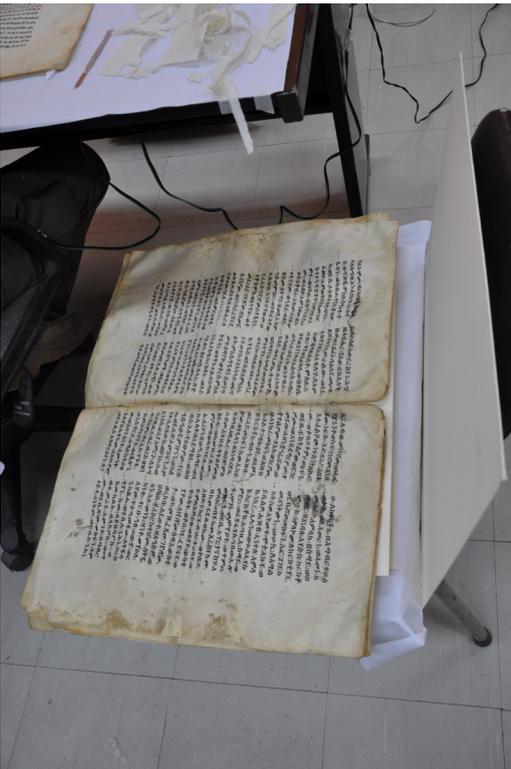




33-37: Repairing the leaves of MS UM-18



38-42: Repairing the leaves of MS UM-18





43: The provisional condition of MS UM-18 being thoroughly documented



44-45: Placing the quires of MS UM-18 in a provisional archival container, before return to 'Ura Qirqos