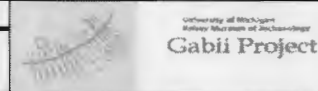
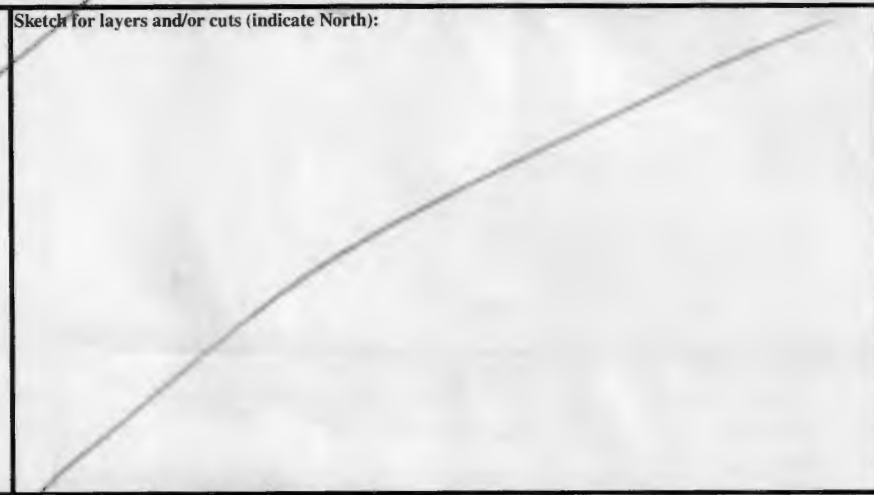


SITE GPR	YEAR 2013	AREA F	SECTOR S	ELEVATION Min: 60.3672 Max: 60.5783	STRATIGRAPHICAL UNIT 5492 <input type="checkbox"/> Natural <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anthropic	
				In cross-section? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No In elevation drawing? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Photos: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No #: 349-52 Photo Model: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No #:		
DEFINITION Western continuation of wall 5308 with step cut for 5491			Covered by <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SU: 5491		Fills <input type="checkbox"/> SU:	Filled by <input type="checkbox"/> SU:
HOW IS LAYER DISTINGUISHED? <input type="checkbox"/> Color <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Composition <input type="checkbox"/> Compaction			FORMATION PROCESS <input type="checkbox"/> Accumulation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Construction <input type="checkbox"/> Cutting <input type="checkbox"/> Erosion <input type="checkbox"/> Collapse <input type="checkbox"/> Intentional deposition			
INCLUSIONS For each inclusion specify frequency: (f)requent, (m)edium, (r)are			SOIL/MATRIX			
<b>Anthropic</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Pottery <input type="checkbox"/> Nails <input type="checkbox"/> Tiles <input type="checkbox"/> Marble <input type="checkbox"/> Amphorae <input type="checkbox"/> Quarried debris <input type="checkbox"/> Dolia <input type="checkbox"/> Slag <input type="checkbox"/> Brick <input type="checkbox"/> Mosaic tile(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Basalt slabs <input type="checkbox"/> Mortar <input type="checkbox"/> Opus signinum <input type="checkbox"/> Coins <input type="checkbox"/> Painted plaster <input type="checkbox"/> Metal (specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Burnt Adobe <input type="checkbox"/> Collapse debris <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Glass			<b>Geological</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Tufo (specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Travertine <input type="checkbox"/> Other Limestone <input type="checkbox"/> Basalt <input type="checkbox"/> Clay <input type="checkbox"/> Sand <input type="checkbox"/> Silt <input type="checkbox"/> Pebbles (range) <input type="checkbox"/> Gravel (range)		<b>Organic</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Charcoal <input type="checkbox"/> Ash <input type="checkbox"/> Animal bones <input type="checkbox"/> Human bones <input type="checkbox"/> Animal teeth <input type="checkbox"/> Human teeth <input type="checkbox"/> Shells <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	
			clay ___% silt ___% sand ___% <input type="checkbox"/> Granular <input type="checkbox"/> Layered <input type="checkbox"/> Cohesive <b>Compaction</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Hard <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Brown <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compact <input type="checkbox"/> Gray <input type="checkbox"/> Light Brown <input type="checkbox"/> Friable <input type="checkbox"/> Light Gray <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Loose <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow <input type="checkbox"/> Red <input type="checkbox"/> Soft <input type="checkbox"/> Light Yellow <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)			
UNIT LIMITS (also indicate on overlay)						
Northern Limit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Not Original <input type="checkbox"/> Excavation Limit			Depth: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Not Original			
Southern Limit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Not Original <input type="checkbox"/> Excavation Limit						
Western Limit <input type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Not Original <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excavation Limit						
Eastern Limit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Not Original <input type="checkbox"/> Excavation Limit						
STRATIGRAPHICAL SEQUENCE						
Is equal to: 5308, 5373			Is bound to (only for masonry):			
Is abutted by:			Abuts:			
Is covered by: 5491, 5492			Covers: 5133			
Is cut by:			Cuts:			
Is filled by:			Fills:			
OBSERVATIONS Tufo block with apparently intentional rectangular cut in which blocks 5491 fit nearly perfectly. Seems to cut directly into bedrock, continues to west under wall 5308.						
DESCRIPTION						
Position within sector: Western edge of sector, on northern edge of Room 6						
Shape: Rectangular						
For layers complete this section:						
Surface (slope direction; visible inclusions):						
Observations about inclusions (Clusters? Deposition slope):						
Observations about thickness (Increases? Decreases?):						
Nature of the interface with layer below: <input type="checkbox"/> sharp <input type="checkbox"/> diffuse <input type="checkbox"/> commingled <input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)						
For cuts complete this section:			Sketch for layers and/or cuts (indicate North):			
Cut edges: <input type="checkbox"/> rounded <input type="checkbox"/> straight						
Cut sides: <input type="checkbox"/> straight <input type="checkbox"/> concave <input type="checkbox"/> convex <input type="checkbox"/> sloping						
Cut bottom: <input type="checkbox"/> flat <input type="checkbox"/> concave <input type="checkbox"/> irregular						
How is cut top edge? <input type="checkbox"/> sharp <input type="checkbox"/> rounded						
How is cut bottom edge? <input type="checkbox"/> sharp <input type="checkbox"/> rounded						
Observations:						

For structural remains complete this section

Alignment: **East - West**

Building Technique:  Adobe/Mud-brick  Ashlar (blocks)  irregular (unworked) stone  Concrete  Other (specify)

Binding Agent:  None  Clay  Mortar (if so, specify composition, color, compaction)

Concrete inclusions:

Material  Tufo  Basalt  Travertine  Tiles  Other (specify)

Size  Small (range) \_\_\_\_\_  Medium (range) \_\_\_\_\_  Large (range) \_\_\_\_\_ Representative size: e.g. 2 x 1 x 2 cmz

Wall Facing:

Opus quadratum  Opus incertum  Opus reticulatum  Petit appareil  Opus testaceum  Opus mixtum  Opus vittatum  Other (specify)

Complete this section for foundations  Faced foundation  Wooden shuttering  No shuttering

floor/revetment type

Floor type:  Beaten Earth  Opus signinum  Opus scutulatum  Opus Sectile  Mosaic  Opus spicatum  Other (specify)

Wall finishing  Stucco  Opus signinum  Plaster  Painted Plaster  Other (specify)

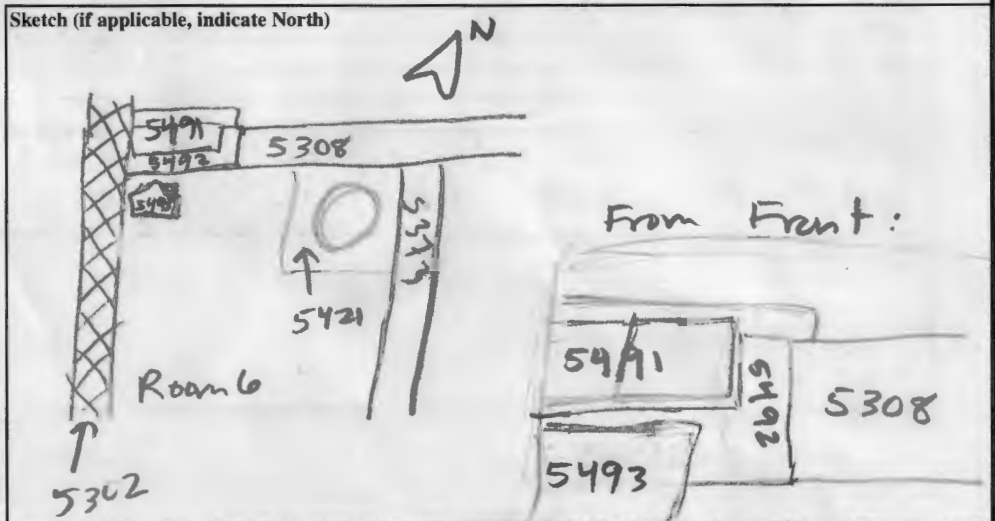
Approx. length, width, height of structural remains:

**96 cm x 42 cm x 42 cm**

Description:

**Western extension of wall 5308 is cut in a regular manner, in a rectangular shape, so as to accommodate step/threshold 5491.**

Sketch (if applicable, indicate North)



**INTERPRETATION**

THE CONTINUATION OF WALL 5308 AS THE NORTHERN LIMIT OF ROOM 6, CLEARLY IN PHASE WITH THE REST OF THE ASHLAR CONSTRUCTION OF THE COMPLEX ON THIS MIDDLE TERRACE. THE RECTANGULAR CUTOUT OF THIS BLOCK - MADE TO ACCOMMODATE STEP 5491 - SEEMS TO BE ORIGINAL. TOGETHER WITH THE STEP, THIS SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN AN IMPORTANT POINT OF TRANSITION IN MOVEMENT FROM THE CENTRAL COURTYARD, INTO ROOM 6, AND THEN TOWARDS THE STAIRCASE AND THE UPPER TERRACE TO THE NORTH. EXCAVATIONS TO THE WEST OF WALL 5302 (IN 2014?) MAY FACILITATE A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF THE IMPORTANCE OF THIS SPACE WITHIN THE COMPLEX AS A WHOLE.

SOIL SAMPLING:  Yes  No

Total volume of layer (buckets):

Sample quantity (buckets):

Sample fraction (%):

NON SOIL SAMPLES:  Yes  No

If yes, specify (e.g. charcoal, mortar etc.):

Sample quantity (buckets):

Sample fraction (%):

Size:

SIEVING:  Yes  No

Total volume of layer (buckets):

Sample quantity (buckets):

Sample fraction (%):

**STRATIGRAPHICAL RELIABILITY**

Good  Fair  Poor

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