

THE SITE R PANELS

In the Spring of 1990, Linda Schele distributed a letter describing a number of unprovienced Maya panels that she called the Site R panels. Although the panels are from more than one location, she followed Peter Mathews' "Site Q" with the next letter of the alphabet.

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On the following pages are the Site R Panels.
Justin Kerr



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In a letter dated June 1, 1990, Nikolai Grube writes in part, "...on a new reading for the T516 verb. This verb is clearly associated with the representation of dancing, so I think it reads *ak'ot/ak'otah* which is the Cholan word for "to dance". (Bird Jaguar of Yaxchilan is in dancing position [left figure]). "he is dancing with the snake" or "he dances the snake"



AK'OTAH TI CHAN

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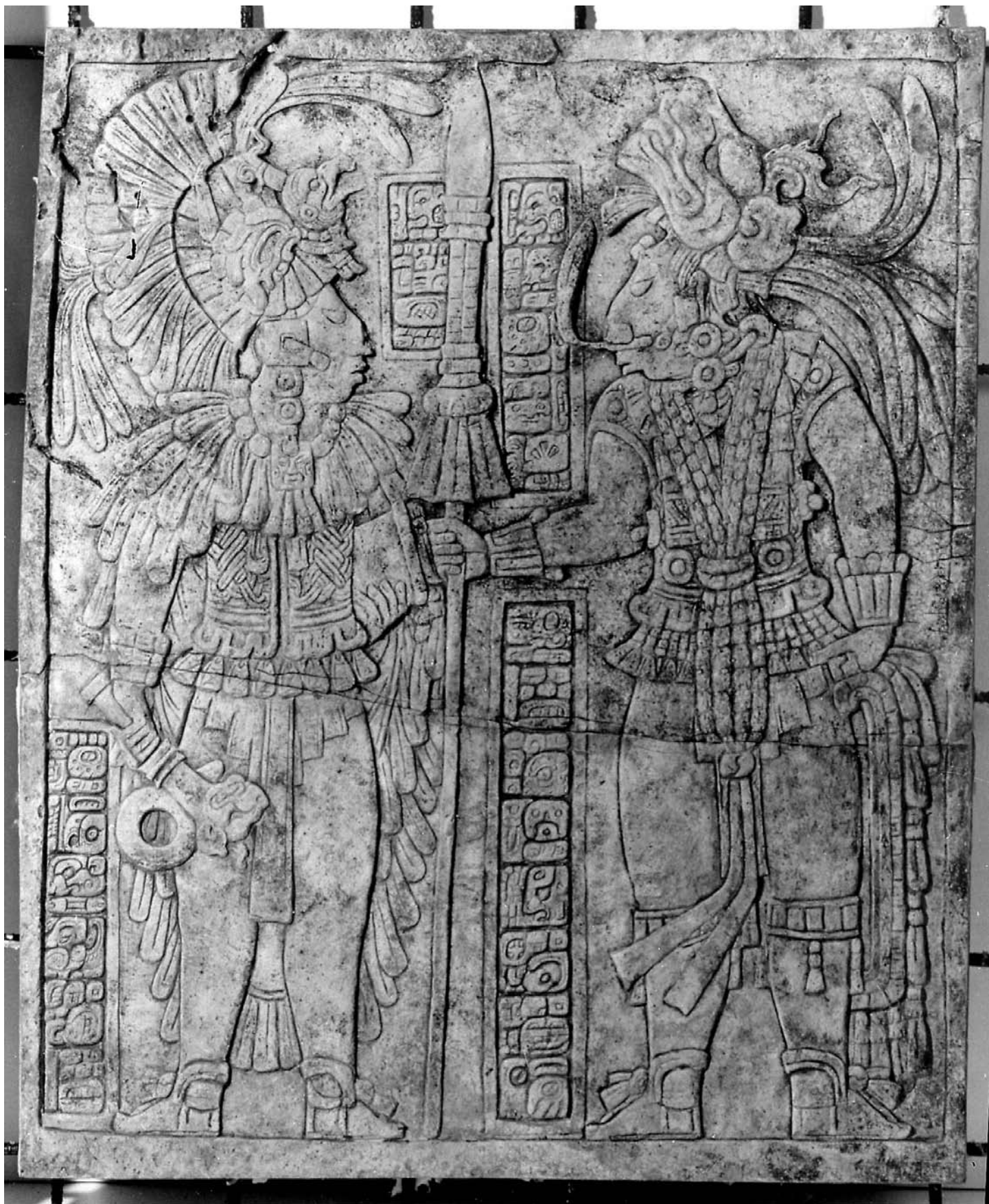


Nikolai Grube suggested the word k'oh "mask" should appear in

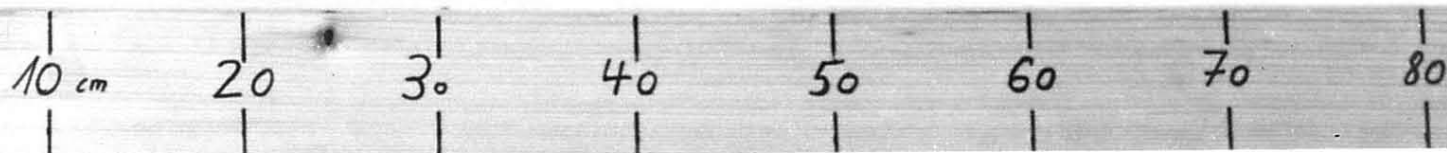
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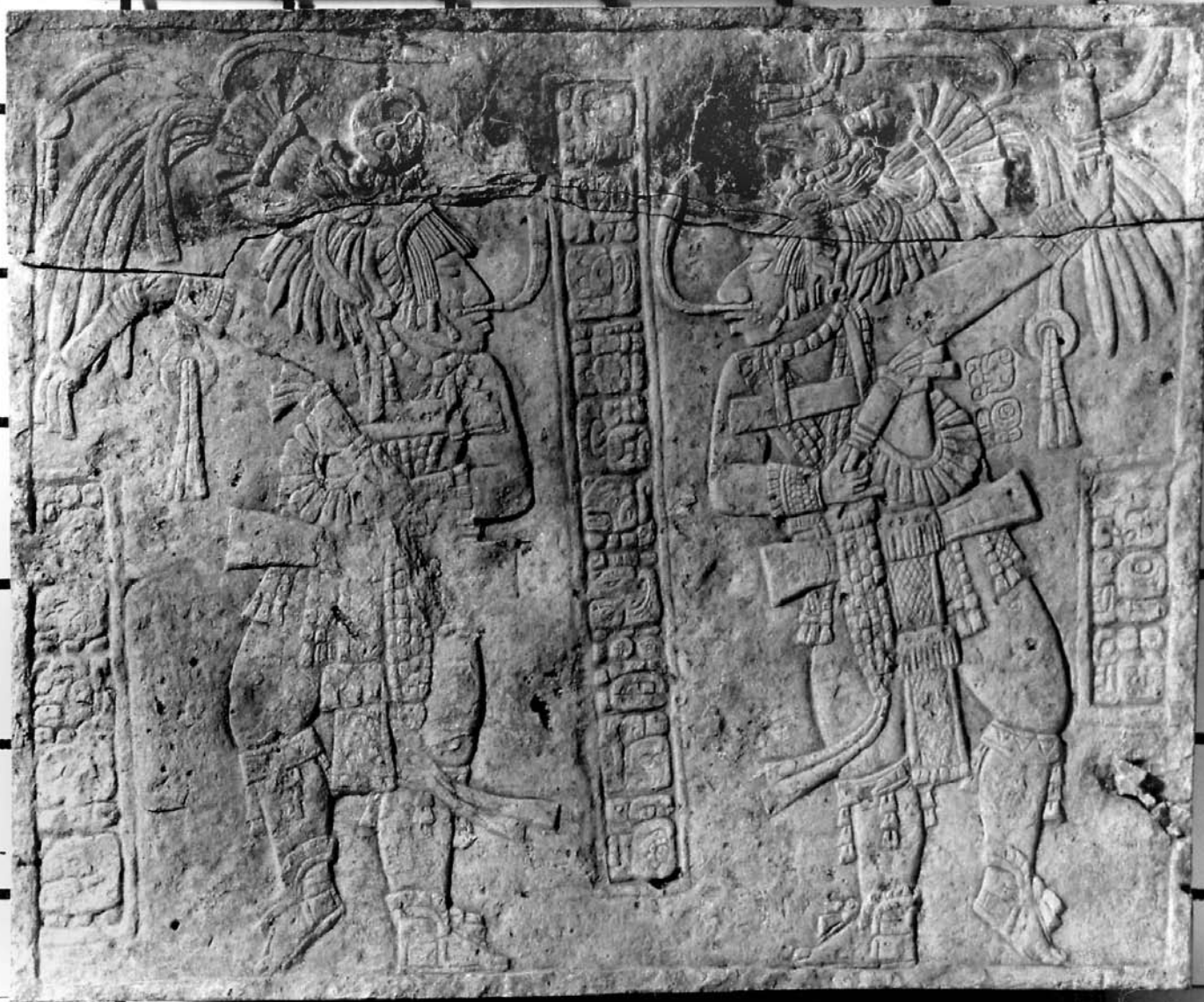


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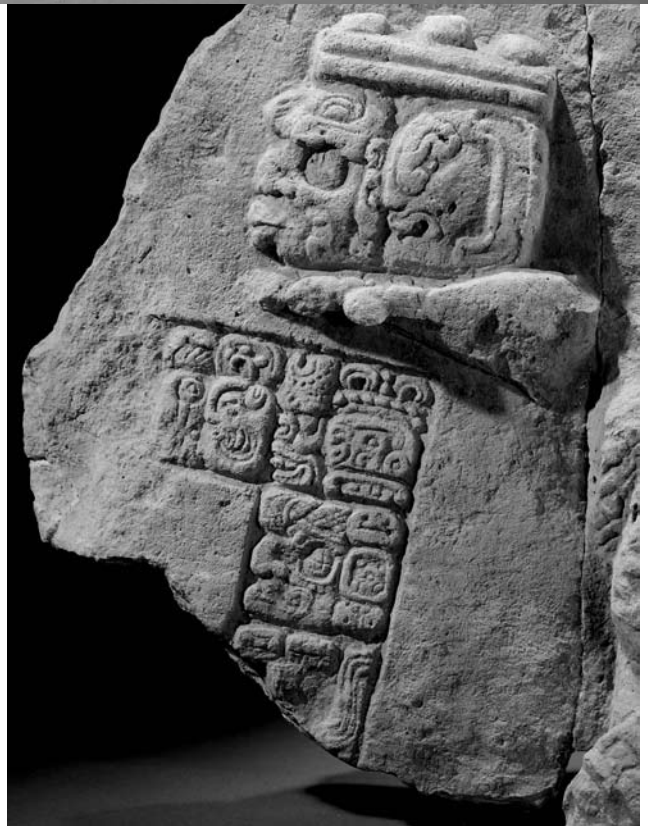
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