**London Ancient Science Conference 2019.**

**Programme.**

**Monday 11th February.**

09:30 – 11:00  
Mark Geller - What did Babylonians know about drugs?  
Lennart Lemhaus - Performing medical expertise – recipes, therapies and “epistemic genres” in Talmudic texts

11:30 – 13:00  
Ronit Yoeli-Tlalim - Lost Knowledge as a form of legitimation of medical knowledge: views from the Hebrew Book of Asaf  
Francesca Minen - Getting under the skin. Therapeutical practices in Mesopotamian dermatology.

14:00 - 15:30  
Aditi Chaturvedi – Hippocratic Harmony  
Max Bergamo – Heraclitus’ Theory of the Great Year: Babylonian Influence or Stoic Reinterpretation?  
Elena Cagnoli Fiecconi - Aristotle on human nature, self-improvement and self-annihilation

16:00 – 17:00  
Fabio Guidetti - How did Eratosthenes calculate the obliquity of the ecliptic?  
Olivier Defaux - Copying a text to hand down a picture: Ptolemy’s challenge to the history of cartography

17:00 – 18:00  
Symposium session – Babylonian Science, Hebrew Science, Greek Science, Ancient Science

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Tuesday 12th February.

09:30 – 10:30
Takashi Oki - The Necessitarian Argument in Metaphysics E3
Michael Augustin - Aristotle on the Impossibility of the Void

11:00 – 12:00

13:00 – 14:30
Silvia Fazzo - Toward a reappraisal of Diogenes of Apollonia
Vishnya Knezhevich - Some Further Issues Concerning Philolaus’ Concept Of Number
Claire Hall - What’s at stake in determining whether the Eudoxan model was theoretical or practical?

15:00 – 16:30
Gaston Basile - The prose treatise and the record of early Greek science
William Wians – Xenophanes the Sophist?

17:00 – 18:30
Sarah Feldman - Do We Use Our Ears to Listen to the Logos? Empiricism as Method and Metaphor in Heraclitus
Chiara Ferella - The Material Dimension Of Psychological Agents: Empedocles’ Bodily Mind And Transmigrating Soul
Agne Alijauskaite - The Quantum Construction of the World-Picture in the Ancient Greek Thought

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Wednesday 13th February.

09:00 – 10:30
Carlotta Montagna - Stoicism in power: Nero and his reflective enigmas
Selene I.S. Brumana – Physical and metaphysical aspects of ‘cohesion’ according to Aristotelianism and Stoicism
Ricardo Salles – Stoic theories of everlasting recurrence

11:00 – 12:00
Andrew Gregory – Early Greek Philosophies of Nature

13:00 – 14:30
Teresa Padilla - Anaximander’s Bio-Cosmological Model
Sean Costello - Disambiguating Anaxagoras’s notions of ψυχή and νοῦς, and their relation to σπέρματα, in Fragments B4a and B12

15:00 – 16:30
Ludmilla Dustalova - Ancient Architecture, the Material Manifestation of Ancient Geometry
Dirk Couprie - Reports on Anonymous Presocratic Flat Earth Cosmologists
Radim Kocandrle - The Conception of Space Under the Earth in Archaic Ionian Cosmologies

17:00 - 18:30
Caterina Pello – Pythagorean Embryology: The Case of Philolaus
Jon Griffiths – A new reconstruction of Epicurus’ cosmology
Tom MacKenzie – Homer, Empedocles and iD.
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Thursday 14th February.

09:00 – 10:30

Fei-Ting Chen - Aristotle on Place: a Non-Global Interpretation
Janine Guhler - Pushing boundaries (in science) with Aristotle.
Daniel Vazquez - The Platonic Origin Of Aristotle’s Four Causes

11:00 – 12:00

Michael Boylan – Workshop – Three Senses of Nature in Context

13:00 – 14:30

Michael Meeusen - A Glass of Wine a Day... Medical Experts and Expertise in Plutarch’s Table Talk
Michael Coxhead - Mere knowledge and scientific knowledge in Aristotle’s Posterior Analytics
Jeremy Byrd - Proclus on Arithmetic

15:00 – 16:30

Michalis Tegos - The Science of Free Men’ – Dialectic in the Sophist
Benjamin Wilck - Euclid’s Definitions: A Typology
Ondrej Krasa – Necessity in Plato's Timaeus

17:00 – 18:30

Mary Krizan - Aristotle’s Philosophical Concept of an Element
Carlo Da Via – Hippocrates and Sunesis

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Friday 15th February.

09:00 – 10:30
Sophia Connell - Nous in Aristotle’s Biology
Anna Schriefl - The persistence of Aristotelian matter and the generation of animals
Mor Segev - Aristotle on Human Longevity, Intelligence and Flourishing

11:00 – 12:00
Michael Boylan – Three Senses of Nature in Early Greek Medicine

13:00 – 14:30
Catalina Popescu - The Womb inside the Male Member- A Lucianic Twist
Allegra Corradi - Secularising the Sacred Disease Aristotle and Galen in Niccolò Leonico Tomeo’s Medical Philosophy
Elsa Simonetti - The Ancient Science of Dream Interpretation

15:00 – 16:30
Francesco Fiorucci - From Wonder to War: Some Observations on Ancient Mechanics
Attila Nemeth - Epicureans on teleology and freedom
Mashura Vazirova - Plato’s View To The Nature Of Things

17:00 - 18:30
Khusenova Dilbar - Dialectics As A Philosophical Concept Of Development
Viktor Ilievski - Plato on the Origin of Species: Poor Science, Refined Philosophy
Miriam Byrd - Hypotheses in Republic 510c2-d3

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