Ancient Philosophy Society
20th Annual Independent Meeting

10th – 12th June 2021

All times are Eastern Daylight Time • All sessions will take place via Zoom
Thursday 10 June

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Meeting ID: 819 0351 4006  Pass Code: Thales

Panel 1
11 AM - 1 PM

Circles of Stoicism
Chair: Tim DeGriselles (University of Toledo)

a. Robin Weiss (American University in Cairo)
   “No Human Being is a Stranger: The Stoics and the So-Called ‘Community of Reason’”

b. Basil Evangelidis (FernUniversität Hagen, Germany)
   “Lucretius on the swerve and free-action”

c. Ralph Wedgewood (University of Southern California)
   “Hierocles’ Concentric Circles”

Panel 2
1:15 - 3:15 PM

The Pythagorean Tradition
Chair: Daniel W. Graham (Brigham Young University)

a. Ginger Guin (Fordham University)
   “Irigaray’s Elemental and the Forgetting of Physis in Empedocles”

b. Leon Wash (University of Chicago)
   “Aristotle’s Metaphorical Empedocles”

c. Justin Humphreys (Villanova University)
   “Aristotle and the Italians”

Panel 3
3:30 - 5:30 PM

Injustice and the Self in the Gorgias and Protagoras
Chair: Kevin Cales (Southern Illinois University Carbondale)

a. Jeremy Bell (Emory University)
   “Order and Egoism in Plato’s Gorgias”

b. Adriel M. Trott (Wabash College)
   “The Art of Measure, Hedonism and Akrasia in Plato’s Protagoras”

c. Mary Townsend (St. John’s University)
   “Plato’s Gorgias and Protagoras on the Injustices of Women”

5:45 - 6:45 PM
APS Social Hour
Friday 11 June

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Panel 4
11 AM - 1 PM
Politics and Shame
Chair: Emanuela Bianchi (New York University)
a. Pieta Päälysaaho (University of Jyväskylä)  
"On Alcibiades' Shame"
b. Elena Bartolini (University of Milano-Bicocca)  
"Imagination, Freedom, and the Political Context:  
On φαντασία and λόγος in Aristotle"
c. Marina Marren (University of Nevada, Reno)  
"State Violence and Weaving: Implications of  
Aristophanes’ Lysistrata for Plato’s Statesman"

Panel 5
1:15 - 3:15 PM
Energeia and Kinesis
Chair: Matthew Clemons (SUNY Stony Brook)
a. Humberto José González Núñez (Villanova University)  
"Toward a Unitary Interpretation of Metaphysics Θ:  
Reading Θ 10 in Light of Aristotle’s Discussion of Being  
as Potency and Activity"
b. Mark Sentesy (Pennsylvania State University)  
"Aristotle’s Kinetic Concept of Anamnesis"
c. Brian Marrin (Universidad de los Andes)  
"So Endless an End: Ergon and Energeia in Aristotle"

Panel 6
3:30 - 5:30 PM
Desire and Difference in Plato
Chair: Anne-Marie Schultz (Baylor University)
a. Lydia Winn (Boston College)  
"Double-Blindness of the Soul: On the ‘Mixed Nature’  
of the Ascent to the Good"
b. Stephen Mendelsohn (Boston College)  
"Blinded by Desire: Self-Deception and the Possibility  
of the True Lie in Plato’s Republic"
c. Michael Wiitala (Cleveland State University)  
"The Parts of Difference in Plato’s Sophist"

5:45 - 6:45 PM
APS Social Hour
Saturday 12 June

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Panel 7
11 AM - 1 PM

**Silence and the Remainder**
Chair: Ryan Harte (Utah Valley University)
a. Tuhin Bhattarcharjee (New York University)

b. Sean Driscoll (Brigham Young University)
   “Cratylus’ Silence about Linguistic Correctness”

c. Claudia Baracchi (University of Milano-Bicocca)
   “Biography, Autobiography, and the Fugitive”

Panel 8
1:15 - 3:15 PM

**Life and Contradiction in Aristotle**
Chair: Aurora Yu (University of North Carolina)
a. Pascal Massie (Miami University of Ohio)
   “Contradiction, Being, and Meaning in Aristotle’s Metaphysics Gamma”

b. Cameron F. Coates (DePaul University)
   “The Unity of Aristotle’s Concept of Life”

c. Philip Sutherland (Marquette University)
   “Aristotle and Consciousness”

Panel 9
3:30 - 5:30 PM

**Aristotle and Puzzling Bodies**
Chair: Marta Jimenez (Emory University)
a. Velvet Yates (University of Florida)
   “The Link Between Body Heat and Courage in Aristotle”

b. Van Tu (Bowdoin College)
   “Aristotle on Women’s Deliberative Capacity as Akuron: A Puzzle about Coming-to-Be”

c. Martha Woodruff (Middlebury College)
   “Aristotle’s Remembrance of Xenia in Poetics and Hermeneutics”

5:45 - 6:45 PM

**APS Social Hour**