

Approaches to ancient Greek and Latin im/politeness

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Monday 26th

14.00: Registration and refreshments

14.45: Welcome address

15.00-16.30: THE LINGUISTIC EXPRESSION OF IM/POLITENESS (1)

15.00-15.30: **M. Lloyd (University College Dublin)** "The hortative aorist."

15.30-16.00: **C. Denizot (Université Paris Ouest Nanterre)** "How to be polite without saying 'please' in Ancient Greek."

16.00-16.30: **Ch. Fedriani (Università degli Studi di Genova)** "The pragmatic development of *si (tibi/vobis) placet* and cognate forms between politeness and impoliteness."

16.30-17.00: *Discussion*

17.00-17.30: Coffee break

17.30-19.30: THE LINGUISTIC EXPRESSION OF IM/POLITENESS (2)

17.30-18.00: **F. Mencacci (Università di Siena)** "Text as interaction. *Ut mihi videtur* as a verbal hedge in Latin literary texts."

18.00-18.30: **P. Molinelli (Università di Bergamo)** "The origin of T/V distinction in Latin: from socio-affective to formal-reverential meanings."

18.30-19.00: **L. van Gils (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam) & R. Risselada (Universiteit van Amsterdam)** "*Honoris causa nominatus*: form and functions of third party politeness."

19.00-19.30: *Discussion*

Tuesday 27th

9.30-11.30: IM/POLITENESS IN DIALOGUE (1)

9.30-10.00: **G. Sorrentino (Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg)** "An integrated pragmatic approach to conversational openings in Menander's comedy."

10.00-10.30: **Ł. Berger (Adam Mickiewicz University Poznań)** "Turn management in Roman comedy dialogue"

10.30-11.00: **E. van Emde Boas (Oxford University)** "Conversation analysis and impoliteness in Greek drama."

11.00-11.30: *Discussion*

"Contrasting the Politeness Systems of ancient Greece and Rome."

11.30-12.00: Coffee break

12.00-13.30: IM/POLITENESS IN DIALOGUE (2)

12.00-12.30: **S. Roesch (Université François-Rabelais, Tours)** "Counter-strategies to impoliteness in Latin comedy."

12.30-13.00: **F. Iurescia (Universität Zürich)** "Impoliteness in non-literary genres: the *Colloquium Harleianum*."

13.00-13.20: *Discussion*

13.20-14.30: Lunch

14.30-16.00: THE METALANGUAGE OF IM/POLITENESS

14.30-15.00: **F. Mari (Polis Institute Jerusalem)** "The Athenians' ἀκολασία as impoliteness. A look to Pseudo-Xenophon, *Constitution of the Athenians*, I 10 from the point of view of ancient Greek politeness."

15.00-15.30: **C. Guardamagna (University of Liverpool)** "Latin *urbanitas*: identity, humour and im/politeness."

15.30-15.50: *Discussion*

15.50-16.20: Coffee break

16.20-18.20: METAPRAGMATICS & POLITENESS SYSTEMS

16.20-16.50: **J. Hall (University of Otago)** "Cicero *De Officiis* 1.132-136 and the art of polite conversation."

16.50-17.20: **L. Unceta Gómez (Universidad Autónoma de Madrid)** "Being polite the Roman way. Metapragmatic comments in the comedies of Plautus and Terence (and their implications for a theory of Latin politeness)."

17.20-17.50: **P. Barrios-Lech (University of Massachusetts Boston)** "Contrasting the Politeness Systems of ancient

17.50-18.20: *Discussion*

18.20: Closing remarks

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