Thursday, June 12
9.30 Welcome
10.00 Introduction
Hynek Bartoš
(Charles University, Prague) and
Colin G. King
(Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)
10.30 Gábor Betegh
(Central European University, Budapest)
Fire, heat and motive force in
early Greek philosophy and
medicine
11.40 Coffee break
12.00 Shaul Tor
(King’s College London)
Parmenides: hot metempsychosis
and the physiology of divination
13.10 Lunch
14.30 Simon Trépanier
(University of Edinburgh)
Empedocles on fire and the
transmigrating soul
15.40 Break
16.00 Antonia Kakavelaki
(University of Athens)
Diogenes of Apollonia,
Hippocratic thought, and
Aristotelian pneuma
17.10 Coffee break
17.30 Richard King
(Universität Bern)
The Hippocratic On Nutrition
Friday, June 13
9.00 James Lennox
(University of Pittsburgh)
Why animals must keep their
cool: Aristotle on the need for
respiration (and other forms
of cooling)
10.10 Coffee break
10.30 Tiberiu Popa
(Baxter University)
Aristotle on the powers
of thermic equilibrium
11.40 Break
12.00 Jessica Gelber
(Syracuse University)
Heat and cold as nature's tools
13.10 Lunch
14.30 Patricio Fernandez /
Jorge Mittelmann
(Universidad de los Andes, Chile)
ἡ κίνησις τῆς τέχνης:
Crafts and souls as principles of change
15.40 Coffee break
16.00 Klaus Corcilius
(University of Berkeley)
Basic animal action and
internal heat
Saturday, June 14
9.00 Malcolm Wilson
(University of Oregon)
The mediating role of the
Meteorologica between celestial
and terrestrial life
10.10 Coffee break
10.30 Karel Thein
(Charles University, Prague)
On the “nature” in connate
pneuma and the first body
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11.40 Break
12.00 Robert Roreitner
(Charles University, Prague)
Perceptual pneuma in
Aristotle: What happens
between the individual senses
and the central organ?
13.10 Lunch
14.30 Patrick J. Macfarlane
(Providence College)
The pathological role
of pneuma in Aristotle
15.40 Coffee break
16.00 Pavel Gregorić
(University of Zagreb)
The pneumatic theory
of De spiritu
17.10 Break
17.30 Orly Lewis
(Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)
Heat in De spiritu: Embryology
and physiology