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Thinking Through The Ages

University of Bergen, 15-16 October, 2015

THURSDAY 15 OCTOBER

10:00-10:10	Welcome
First session	*Chair: Miira Tuominen*
10:10-10:45	**Finding Meno: Stingrays and Self-knowledge in Plato's *Meno*** Ellisif Wasmuth (University of Cambridge)
10:45-11:20	**Changing One's Empirical Character: Mental Powers and Moral Cultivation in Kant** Jonas Jervell Indregard (University of Oslo)
11:20-11:55	**Conscience and Moral Self-Knowledge from Kant to Hegel** Feroz Mehmood Shah (University of Oslo)
11:55-12:45	Lunch
Second session	*Chair: Ambra Serangeli*
12:45-13:45	Keynote I: **Leibniz, Plato, Plotinus: Leibniz' Platonism Explored** Eyjólfur K. Emilsson (University of Oslo)
13:45-14:20	**Godlikeness and the ideal of contemplation in Plato's *Theaetetus*** Jens Kristian Larsen (University of Copenhagen)
14:20-14:55	**Explaining Hume's Newtonianism by A Hybrid Interpretation** Matias Slavov
14:55-15:20	Coffee break
Third session	*Chair: Feroz Mehmood Shah*
15:20-15:55	**The *Hippias Minor*: An exercise in fiction** Zacharias Andreadakis (University of Michigan)
15:55-16:30	***Doxa* in Plato's *Republic*** Vivil Valvik Haraldsen (University of Oslo)

16:30-17:05	**Manual Labor and "Mere Mechanicks": Bacon and the Deprecation of Craft Skills in Early Modern Science** Mark Thomas Young (University of Bergen)
19:00	Dinner

FRIDAY 16 OCTOBER

First session	*Chair: Eyjólfur K. Emilsson*
09:00-09:35	**The Method of Collection and Division in Plato's *Phaedrus*** Hallvard Stette (Uppsala University)
09:35-10:10	**Aristotle on Sight and the Transparent: the Blind Spot Argument** Reier Helle (Yale University)
10:10-10:45	**Galen's design argument vs. Epicurean evolution in *De Usu Partium*** Ambra Serangeli (University of Oslo)
10:45-11:05	Coffee break
Second session	*Chair: Jens Kristian Larsen*
11:05-11:40	**The nature and shortcomings of Spartan virtue** Pål Rykkja Gilbert (University of Oslo)
11:40-12:15	**Godfrey on Practical Wisdom and the Particular** Alexander Stöpfgeshoff (Uppsala University)
12:15-12:50	**Kant as the first philosopher of free will** Fredrik Nilsen (University of Tromsø)
12:50-13:30	Lunch
Third session	*Chair: Vivil Valvik Haraldsen*
13:30-14:30	Keynote II: **Justice to the Living: Caring for the World as Caring for Oneself in Ancient Philosophy** Miira Tuominen (University of Helsinki)
14:30-15:05	***Erôs*, Moderation and the Encouragement of Courage in Plato's *Charmides*** Hege Dypedokk Johnsen (University of Stockholm)