

**Session VI: Poetry and Education**

*Chair: Ingela Nilsson*

**14:30–15:15 Baukje van den Berg**

*Tzetzes as Poet and the Carmina Iliaca as Didactic Poetry*

*Respondent: Emmanuel Bourbouhakis*

**15:15–16:00 Floris Bernard**

*The Didactic Poetry of Niketas of Herakleia and the Use of Verse in Byzantine Teaching Practice*

*Respondent: Nikos Zagklas*

**16:00–16:30 COFFEE / TEA**

**16:30 General discussion and concluding remarks**

**Baukje van den Berg, Andreas Rhoby, Nikos Zagklas**

**17:00 WINE RECEPTION**

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# BYZANTINE POETRY IN THE 'LONG' TWELFTH CENTURY (1081-1204)

## PERCEPTIONS, MOTIVATIONS, AND FUNCTIONS



## PROGRAMME

### WEDNESDAY, 13 JUNE

- 18:00 **Welcome**  
**Claudia Rapp, Andreas Rhoby**
- Introduction**  
**Nikos Zagklas**
- 18:30 **Keynote lecture**  
*Chair: Andreas Rhoby*
- Panagiotis Agapitos**  
*Το των λόγων κρατος: Rhetorical Culture and Literary Production in the Komnenian Era*
- 19:30 RECEPTION

### THURSDAY, 14 JUNE

- Session I: Between Poetry and Prose**  
*Chair: Claudia Rapp*
- 09:30–10:15 **Emmanuel C. Bourbouhakis**  
*Μιμείσθαι θέλων τὸν ποιητὴν: Prose Composition and the Study of Ancient Poetry in the Twelfth Century*  
  
*Respondent: Baukje van den Berg*
- 10:15–11:00 **Julián Bértola**  
*An Unedited Cycle of Byzantine Verse Scholia on Herodotus in the Light of Twelfth-Century Verse Scholia on Ancient Historians*  
  
*Respondent: Andrea Cuomo*
- 11:00–11:30 COFFEE / TEA

### Session II: Quellenforschung and Context

*Chair: Emilie van Opstall*

- 11:30–12:15 **Konstantinos Chryssogelos**  
*Quellenforschung, Milieu, and Editorial Problems of Constantine Manasses' "Astrological Poem"*  
  
*Respondent: Paul Magdalino*
- 12:15–13:00 **Rachele Ricceri**  
*David, Poet and King: Some Evidence from Theodoros Prodromos' Poetry*  
  
*Respondent: Ilias Nesseris*
- 13:00–15:00 LUNCH BREAK
- Session III: Poetry and Performance**  
*Chair: Margaret Mullett*
- 15:00–15:45 **Markéta Kulhánková**  
*Ptochoprodomos between Orality and Literacy*  
  
*Respondent: Ingela Nilsson*
- 15:45–16:30 **Paul Magdalino**  
*Poetry and Theatre in Twelfth-Century Constantinople*  
  
*Respondent: Przemysław Marciniak*
- 16:30–17:00 COFFEE / TEA
- 17:00 **Keynote lecture**  
*Chair: Danuta Shanzer*
- Peter Orth**  
*"Scribendi novitate vetus iuvenescere carta gaudet." Latin Poetry in the Twelfth Century: Ancient Models and New Forms*
- 19:00 DINNER FOR SPEAKERS AND INVITED GUESTS

### FRIDAY, 15 JUNE

- Session IV: Poetry, Art, and Patronage**  
*Chair: Nikos Zagklas*
- 09:30–10:15 **Brad Hostetler**  
*Ekphrastic Epigrams on Reliquaries in the Twelfth Century*  
  
*Respondent: Andreas Rhoby*
- 10:15–11:00 **Nektarios Zarras**  
*The Poetry of Patronage: Constructing the Image of the Patron from Dedicatory Epigrams in Churches of the Komnenian Period in Greece*  
  
*Respondent: Brad Hostetler*
- 11:00–11:30 COFFEE / TEA
- Session V: Poetry and its Models**  
*Chair: Przemysław Marciniak*
- 11:30–12:15 **Giulia Gerbi**  
*Εἰς τὰ ρόδα. Reflections on a Neglected Poem by Nikolas Kallikles (Carm. 29 Romano)*  
  
*Respondent: Emilie van Opstall*
- 12:15–13:00 **Ugo Mondini**  
*The Learned Bishop and the Unicorn (Mi. Chon. Carm. 5 Lampros)*  
  
*Respondent: Floris Bernard*
- 13:00–14:30 LUNCH BREAK