

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS:

4th Central European Graduate Conference in Ancient Philosophy

14–16 June 2024, Humboldt University Berlin

The 4th Central European Graduate Conference in Ancient Philosophy, hosted by the Humboldt University Berlin, continues a series of earlier conferences that took place at different universities of the CENTRAL-Network (<https://www.central-network.eu/who-we-are/>). Our goal is to bring together graduate students based in central Europe working on ancient Greco-Roman philosophy or its reception in the Arabic tradition. Participants will get the opportunity to present their work and to receive a response from an early-career or senior researcher working on similar topics. In addition, two keynote speakers will present and discuss their current research:

Prof. Mary Krizan (Bilkent University, Turkey)

Dr Vojtěch Hladký (Charles University, Prague)

We invite PhD students and early-career researchers (within two years of completion of their degree) from a variety of disciplines—Philosophy, Classics, Arabic studies, History of Science—to submit philosophically-oriented abstracts on any topic in the field of ancient Greco-Roman philosophy or its reception in the Arabic tradition. Applicants from all countries are welcome, but funding might be limited to students from the CENTRAL-Network universities (Charles University Prague, Humboldt University Berlin, ELTE Budapest, University of Vienna, University of Warsaw).

Abstracts should be 500-1000 words in length, with the central thesis presented in the first paragraph. Please submit your abstract in a PDF **prepared for anonymous review**, and include the following information in the accompanying email:

your full name
institution
year of study.

Abstracts should be submitted by 20 March 2024 to centralphil2024@gmail.com

Selection will be primarily based on the quality of the abstracts while taking diversity factors into account. We especially welcome applications from members of currently underrepresented groups in the above-mentioned disciplines. Applicants who identify as such are welcome (but should not feel obliged) to include this information in their email. Successful applicants will be notified by 10 April 2024. They will be kindly asked to submit the full paper four weeks prior to the conference (by 17 May) and prepare a 30-minute presentation.

According to current planning, financial support for accommodation and travel expenses will be available.

The organisers:

Zhixi Wang (Humboldt University Berlin), Daniel Hoyer (Humboldt University Berlin), Jiří Tríska (Charles University Prague), Severin Gotz (University of Vienna)