

# Plato's Epic Entanglements

## Workshop

Ritson Room, Department of Classics and Ancient History  
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**Friday, June 23rd**

10:00-10:30 Welcome

## **PLATO, EPIC AND HOMER PANEL**

10:30-11:00 Anthony **Hooper** (Wollongong) – Online: ‘Epic Kleos as a Model for Immortality at *Symposium* 208c ff.’

11:00-11:30 Franco **Trivigno** (Oslo) – Online: ‘The Role of Homer in the Argument of *Republic* 10’

11:30-12:00 Pierre **Destrée** (Louvain): ‘Plato on How not to Banish Homer’

12:00-14:00 Lunch

## **PLATO AND HOMER PANEL**

14:00-14:30 Maria **Pavlou** (Cyprus) – Online: ‘Entangled between the *Odyssey* and the *Iliad*; Allusions to Homer at the Opening of the *Protagoras*’

14:30-15:00 Marta **Antola** (Durham): ‘Socrates’ Inner Perspective on ‘Eros’: Socrates’ ‘Erotics’ through Odyssean citations’

15:00-15:30 Tea Break

15:30-16:00 Sonja **Tanner** (Colorado): ‘The Enemy Within: (Homeric) Ventriloquism, Performance, and Plato’s *Theaetetus*’

16:00-17:00 Poster session

17:00-18:00 Reception

19:00 Dinner



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**Saturday, June 24th**

## **PLATO'S EPIC ENTANGLEMENTS PANEL**

10:00-10:30 Giulia **Bernardini** (Durham): 'Engaging with the Homeric Text  
from Comedy to Dialogues: Parody of Epic and Para-epic'

10:30-11:00 Elena Sofia **Capra** (Rome): 'No Time to Die. Masters of Flight  
from Homer to Herodotus in Plato's *Laches*'

11:00-11:30 Tea Break

11:30-12:00 Naoko **Yamagata** (London): 'Homer in Plato: A Socratic Problem'

12:00-14:30 Lunch Break

14:30-15:30

## **ROUND TABLE**

Chiara **Blanco** (Edinburgh); Andrea **Capra** (Durham); Roberto **Di Tuccio** (Durham);  
George A. **Gazis** (Durham); Andrea **Giannotti** (Durham);  
Fritz-Gregor **Herrmann** (Swansea); Thornton **Lockwood** (Hamden/Cambridge);  
Maria Cristina **Mennuti** (Durham); Sarah **Miles** (Durham); Elizabeth **Pender** (Leeds);  
Marco **Picciafuochi** (Rome/Durham); Maddalena **Ruini** (Durham)

15:30-15:45 Concluding Statements