

## Passau - Symposium Information

## Description

This year, the Passau section of the symposium series will explore how social memory theory can contribute to the study of particular texts. After a first roundtable with experts on both memory theory and ancient texts, three workshops will be dedicated to reading samples of ancient bioi with different sets of questions, exploring and comparing context, structure, motifs and pragmatics of the texts. The goal is to go beyond mere structural comparisons and alleged "parallels" and discuss both reading techniques and results of historical-critical, rhethorical and memory approaches.

## Venue

Department of Catholic Theology: Seminar room 43 Auditorium 2

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Monday, May 15: Workshop Reading Bioi together I\*

10:00 11:30 Reading together: Roundtable for generating methodology and research questions

Plenary session with experts and students, moderation: Prof. Dr. Christian Handschuh (Passau) Experts:

- Dr. David Cielontko (ETF Prague)
- Prof. Dr. Christian Handschuh (Passau)
- Prof. Dr. Thomas R. Hatina (HTF Prague/Vancouver)
- Prof Dr. Sandra Huebenthal (Passau)
- PD. Dr. Torsten Jantsch (LMÚ Munich)
- Dr. Jiří Lukeš (HTF Prague)
- PD Dr. Stephan Witetschek (LMU Munich)

11:45 13:00 Working space: Putting together reading plans

Groups work on reading plans

13:00 14:30 Lunch break

14:30 16:20 Reading Philostratus' Life of Apollonius

Plenary session, moderation: PD. Dr. Torsten Jantsch (LMU Munich)

<sup>\*</sup>all sessions take place in KT SR 43, except for the two morning sessions on Tuesday, which will take place in H2.



Tuesday, May 16: Workshop Reading Bioi together II\*

Reading Lukian's Life of Demonax

Plenary session, moderation: Dr. David Cielontko (ETF Prague)

Reading Mark's Gospel

12:30

Groups work on reading plans, moderation: Prof. Dr. Sandra Huebenthal (Universität Passau)

12:30

Lunch break

14:30

Closing discussion

16:30

Plenary session, moderation: Prof. Dr. Christian Handschuh (Universität Passau)