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Scientific Cosmopolitanism in the University Culture of Early Modern Padua

12th-14th October 2022

Organizers:

Day One - October 12th 2022 University of Padua, Palazzo Bo, Sala

Archivio Antico 13.30-14.00 Introduction to Conference

Marta Nezzo (Padua), Institutional greetings and introduction to the conference

Vincenzo Milanesi (Padua), A "European" History of the University of Padua

14.00-15.30 SESSION 1. Padua: University and its History **Dennj Solera** (Bologna), *Padua* and its University: the Institutional Framework from the Middle Ages to Knowledge the Early Modern Age

Angela Axworthy (Berlin),

Sacrobosco's De sphaera and the teaching of astronomy and cosmology at the university of Padua from the fifteenth to the early sixteenth century

17.30 Guided tour of historical Palazzo Bo and its Anatomical Theatre

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9.30-11.00 Session 4. Specialist **Knowledge circulation**

Matteo Fornasier (Venice), Botanic gardens and academic culture at the University of Padua

Pietro Daniel Omodeo (Venice), The German Nation and crosscultural exchange at the University of Padua

11.00-11.30 **Coffee break**

11.30-13.00 SESSION 5. A Tangled Web: Padua and Britain Vittoria Feola (Padua), Natio

Matteo Cosci,

David Malcolm McOmish Pietro Daniel Omodeo



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Matteo Cosci (Venice),

Gaudeaumus igitur: Collegiate and local studentship in early modern Padua

15.30-16.00 **Coffee break**

16.00-17.15 SESSION 2. Padua: A Cosmopolis of Tradition and Innovation

Michel Engel (Hamburg), Jewish Contribution to the Translation and Circulation of Averroes' Commentaries on Natural Philosophy in and around the University of Padua (15th-16th Centuries)

9.30-13:00 SESSION 3. The Nationes, the East, and Specialist

Francesco Scalora (Padua),

Greek students at the University of Padua: cross-cultural interactions and evolving identities in the early modern age

Marie-Louise Leonard (Venice),

Establishment of Medical Culture in 17th century Edinburgh

Gabor Almasi (Innsbruck), Central and Eastern Europeans at Padua: a comparative view with a focus on medicine

* optional excursion to the Jewish Ghetto

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Anglica and spy networks in early modern Europe.

David McOmish (Venice), Natio Scota, Government Agents, and Networks of Scientific Knowledge Exchange in King James' Britain

Lunch

15.30-17.00 SESSION 6. Patavina Paduan Medical Knowledge and, the auctoritas: Practical Instruction and cultural appropriation Tavra Lanuza Navarro (Venice). From the Professors' mouth: the student experience of astronomical culture at the University of Padua

Stefano Gulizia (Milan), The export of learned Paduan sociability in Northern Europe: From the cabinet of curiosities in Enkhuizen to the Platonic 'deambulatio' in the Vettori-Caselius exchange