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Medicine and Philosophy III: Contagion and Fascination

6-7 December 2021: Zoom Workshop

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Programme

In this ZOOM workshop the speakers are not going to read their papers. Instead, we will distribute the papers two weeks in advance. The workshop will be the place and time to ask, discuss, give feedback and exchange ideas. This means that papers will be discussed in the assigned blocks of time, but not necessarily in the proposed order.

6 December, 9 am - 12 pm

- **Alessandro Palazzo** (Trento): Analysis of the Vocabulary of Contagion in Medieval Thought
- **Anna Gili** (Padua): Translating the Concept of Contagion: from the Kitāb al-Malakī to the Pantegni and the Liber Regalis
- **Marilena Panarelli** (Università del Salento): Herbae quae habent effectos divinos: medieval pharmacology beyond medicine
- **Marienza Benedetto** (Bari): A divine punishment? Leprosy in the juridical and philosophical investigations of Moses Maimonides

6 December, 2 - 5 pm

- **Evelina Miteva** (Lecce/Cluj/Cologne): Educating a Melancholic: Social Influences in the Formation of a Natural Disposition
- **Vlad Ilie** (Cluj): Is melancholy contagious? Interplays between the medieval notions of melancholy and lovesickness
- **Mario Loconsole** (Cluj): Stones and seals in Albert's De mineralibus. How minerals can influence human body and mind.
- **Alessandro De Pascalis** (Salerno): Intellectual contagions between immaterial entities: some late medieval theories on angels communicating with each other

7 December, 9 am - 1 pm

- **Craig Martin** (Venice): Doctor Aristotle: the Problemata, Contagion, and the forging of Aristotelian Medicine in the Renaissance
- **Alfredo Culleton** (Unisinos, Brazil): The loving sorcery (hechiceria) in the Andes of the 17th century
- **Lavinia Grijac** (Cluj): Contagion and contamination: a Benedictine perception of liberal arts
- **Martin Lenz** (Groningen): How do minds affect one another? Hume on sympathetic contagion

The workshop is open to everyone interested in the topic. Please contact the organizers to get the ZOOM link and the texts to be read in advance.



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