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NEWSLETTER 2014/15.1

You are cordially invited to the 2014 meeting of the Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy with the **American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, Philadelphia, December 27-30.**

Chair: John Mulhern, *University of Pennsylvania*

Jeremy Reid, *University of Arizona*, "Justifying the Myth of Er"

Christopher Buckels, *University of California, Davis*, "Flux Capacities: A Causal Theory Reading of the Secret Doctrine in Plato's *Theaetetus*."

Brennan McDavid, *Princeton University*, "What's Scientific about Aristotle's Ethics?"

And to the **Society for Classical Studies Program: January 8-11, 2015, New Orleans LA**

Chair: Kirk Sanders, *University of Illinois*

Jerry Green, *University of Texas*, "Self-Love and Self-Sufficiency in the Aristotelian Ethics"

Jay Elliott, *Bard College*, "Virtue and External Goods in Aristotle."

John Thorp, *University of Western Ontario*, "Aristotle and the Physiology of Sense Organs"

To get these papers electronically, join the Society (form attached at the end of this Newsletter).

Other SAGP programs during the current academic year:

Central 2015: St. Louis MO: Feb. 18-21

Chair: Mark Wheeler, *San Diego State University*

Naomi Reshotko, *University of Denver*, "Recollection, Reference and the Paradox of Inquiry in Plato's *Meno* and *Phaedo*"

Marta Jimenez, *Emory University*, "Listening to Reason in Aristotle's Ethics: Shame and Receptivity to Ethical Arguments"

James Ambury, *King's College*, "Self-Knowledge, Constitution, and Purification: The Progression of the Soul in Late Neoplatonism"

Pacific 2015: Vancouver BC: Apr. 1-5

Chair: Mark Wheeler, *San Diego State University*

Adriel Trott, *Wabash College*, "'Not Slavery, but Salvation': Aristotle on Constitution and Government"

Anthony DeBonis, *Yale University*, "Another Stab at Inclusivism: Happiness in the *Nicomachean Ethics*"

John Thorp, *University of Western Ontario*, "Saving Aristotle's Categories"

These papers will be distributed to current members in advance of the meetings in question.

SAGP DUES

Dues for electronic receipt of the papers are \$10 per year US. Dues for hard copy receipt of papers are \$20 per year US. Make out your check to SAGP. We honor multi-year dues payments. Those who do not have a US funds checking account are especially encouraged to pay by credit card, since that avoids bank charges. A credit card form is attached at the end of this Newsletter.

SAGP Speaker Policy

The Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy sponsors sessions with the annual meetings of the Eastern, Central, and Pacific Divisions of the American Philosophical Association, and the annual meeting of the Society for Classical Studies. There is also an annual meeting with the Society for the Study of Islamic Philosophy and Science and other groups. Occasionally the SAGP meets with various other societies. Those wishing to present a paper at any meeting of the SAGP are requested to contact apreus@binghamton.edu. Membership in SAGP is required for consideration of papers by the SAGP program committees.

Submitters of papers for the meetings with the APA or SCS should make their email message the “title page” of their submission, including their name, address, academic affiliation, and the title of the paper. Include in the email message the meeting or meetings of the Society at which they would like, or be willing, to present the paper. Attach the paper, prepared for blind (anonymous) review, in “.doc”, “.docx”, or “.rtf” – NOT PDF! The paper may include “real Greek” if it is in a Unicode font. The Program Committee has decided that papers submitted by authors who have had a paper accepted by the Society for presentation at a meeting of the American Philosophical Association or the Society for Classical Studies during the past year should not be considered. **The Program Committee has requested that submissions be limited to 3000 words MAX, and suggests that submissions less than 1000 words are too short to be evaluated effectively.** Accepted papers may be revised up to a max of 5000 words for distribution. Address any questions about this process to apreus@binghamton.edu.

Deadlines:

March 1, 2015: Deadline for submission of papers for SAGP at the Eastern Division and American Philological Association, 2015/16.

June 1: Deadline for submission of abstracts for SAGP/SSIPS (October).

August 1: Deadline for submission of papers for SAGP at the Central and Pacific Divisions, February and March 2016.

These deadlines reflect the necessity for a month turnaround to the Program Committee and some time to put the program together. Submitters should expect a response about six weeks after each of the deadline dates. The members of the Program Committee are: the President (Richard McKirahan) and Secretary (A. Preus), ex officio; Deborah Modrak, Elizabeth Asmis, Fred Miller, Mark Wheeler, and Thomas M. Robinson.

Society Web Site:

We are pleased to announce that the SAGP Web Site is again functioning, thanks to our Webmaster, Chris Tennberg. The URL is <<http://www.societyancientgreekphilosophy.com/>>. He had to revamp our site because the old one was badly hacked.