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IN THE GRECO-ROMAN WORLD**

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The Antikythera Mechanism,
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PROGRAM

August 4, Thursday

ARRIVALS AND REGISTRATION

13.30–16.00

Lunch

OPENING SESSION

16.00–16.30

On the Scope and Nature of the Project.
Some Preliminaries to the Summer Session

Round Table Discussion

16.30–18.00

HUMANITIES: MISSION, THE GOALS,
AND THE METHODS (1)

Presentation:

ANDREY TIKHONOV, The Knowledge: Plato today

August 5, Friday

Lecture and Discussion

11.00–14.00

Leonid Zhmud

GREEK MEDICINE OF THE CLASSICAL PERIOD – I

Alcmaeon, Empedocles, Hippo, Diogenes of Apollonia

14.00–16.00

Lunch

Round Table Discussion

16.00–18.15

HUMANITIES: MISSION, THE GOALS,
AND THE METHODS (2)

Chairperson: Eugene Afonasin

Presentations:

ZOYA BARZAKH, Language and characterization
in Sophoclean tragedy

ELIZAVETA SPESHILOVA, On the concept of play in Antiquity

August 6, Saturday

Lecture and Discussion

11.00–14.00

Leonid Zhmud

GREEK MEDICINE OF THE CLASSICAL PERIOD – II

The Hippocratic Corpus and the formation of Greek rational and
empirical medicine

14.00–16.00

Lunch

Round Table Discussion

16.00–18.15

TEACHING AT UNIVERSITY:

THE METHODS AND THE MEANS OF EDUCATION

Chairperson: Arina Bragova

Presentation by the participants:

VLADIMIR DIEV, Philosophy curriculum at Novosibirsk University:
recent policy changes

ALEXEY KAMENSKIKH, A new BA specialization in Arts and Human
sciences: practical concerns

ARINA BRAGOVA, On classical languages in linguistic universities

ALEXEY MUSORIN, Latin and the Slavistics

August 7, Sunday

Lecture and Discussion

11.00–14.00

Leonid Zhmud

GREEK MEDICINE OF THE CLASSICAL PERIOD – III

The Hippocratic treatise «On Ancient medicine»: Rational dietetics
and its history

14.00–16.00

Lunch

Lecture and Discussion

16.00–18.15

Sergey Avanesov

ANTHROPOLOGY OF THE PRESOCRATICS.

THE CASE OF ANAXIMANDER

August 8, Monday

Reading class

11.00–14.00

Leonid Zhmud

GREEK MEDICINE OF THE CLASSICAL PERIOD – IV

A debt of Greek philosophy to Greek medicine. The Presocratics,
Plato, Aristotle

14.00–16.00

Lunch

Presentations by the participants

16.00–18.15

Dmitry Scheglov

LATITUDE MEASURING IN ANCIENT GEOGRAPHY

Anna Afonasina

THE CONCEPT OF HARMONY IN EARLY GREEK SCIENCE

19.00

Reception (LESNAYA SKAZKA Restaurant)

August 9, Tuesday

PRACTICAL MATTERS

A VISIT TO THE SIBERIAN SCIENTIFIC CENTRE,
NOVOSIBIRSK STATE UNIVERSITY, AND
ETHNOGRAPHIC AND/OR RAILWAY MUSEUM

August 10, Wednesday

Lecture and Discussion

11.00–14.00

Marc Lachièze Rey (Paris)

THE INFLUENCE OF THE GREEK TRADITION
ON THE PAST AND PRESENT COSMOLOGY
AND THEORETICAL PHYSICS – I

14.00–16.00

Lunch

Lecture and Discussion

16.00–18.15

Andrei Rodin

THEORETICAL FOUNDATIONS OF
ANCIENT MATHEMATICS – I

August 11, Thursday

Reading class

11.00–14.00

Marc Lachièze Rey (Paris)

THE INFLUENCE OF THE GREEK TRADITION
ON THE PAST AND PRESENT COSMOLOGY
AND THEORETICAL PHYSICS –II

14.00–16.00

Lunch

Lecture and Discussion

16.00–18.15

Andrei Shetnikov

ANCIENT MUSICAL THEORY – I

August 12, Friday

Lecture and Discussion

11.00–14.00

Timofei Myakin

SAPPHO AND ANCIENT CULT SOCIETIES

14.00–16.00

Lunch

Lecture and Discussion

16.00–18.15

Andrei Rodin

THEORETICAL FOUNDATIONS OF

ANCIENT MATHEMATICS – II

August 13, Saturday

Reading class

11.00–14.00

Nika Travnikova

PHILOSOPHY TEXTS.
A PSYCHOLOGICAL ANALYSIS

14.00–16.00

Lunch

Lecture and Discussion

16.00–18.15

Andrei Shetnikov

ANCIENT MUSICAL THEORY – II

August 14, Sunday

Reading class

11.00–14.00

Eugene Afonasin

STRANGE SCIENCE:
SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS AND POPULAR BELIEFS

14.00–16.00

Lunch

16.00–18.00

Presentation

OLGA KIRILLOVA, Ancient thanatology:
Some textological and cinematographic observations

CONCLUDING DISCUSSION

August 15, Monday

VISITS TO THE UNIVERSITY,
ETHNOGRAPHIC AND/OR RAILWAY MUSEUM
AND DEPARTURES