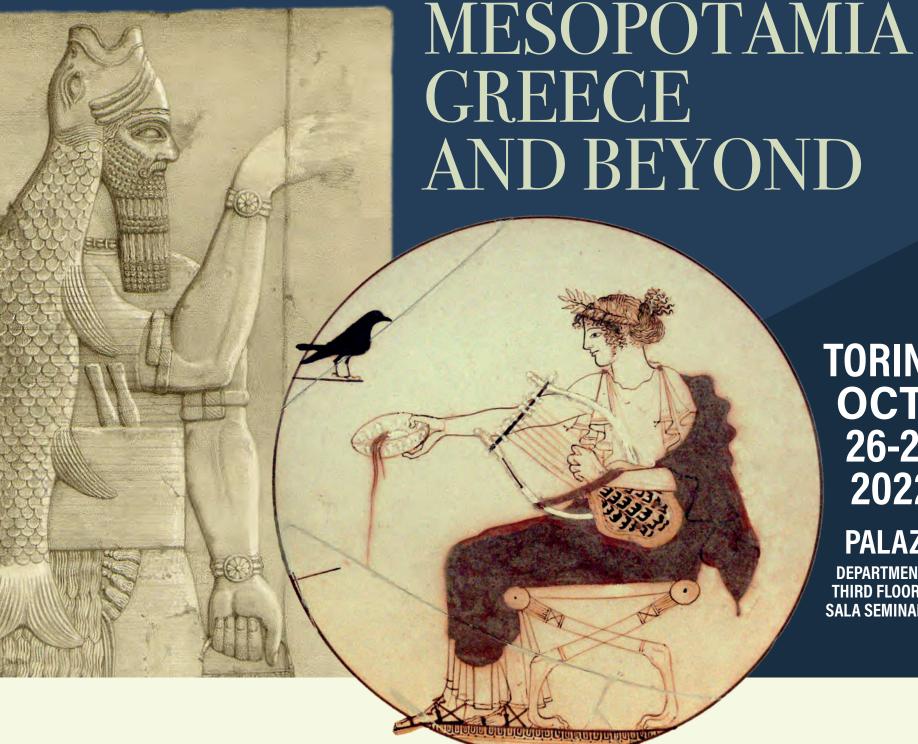




# WISDOMBETWEEN EAST AND WEST:



TORINO OCTOBER 26-27 2022

PALAZZO NUOVO

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORICAL STUDIES
THIRD FLOOR
SALA SEMINARI

## DAY 1

9:30 - 10:15 Greetings and Introduction

### Wisdom and Knowledge

10:15 - 10:45 - Giorgio Buccellati - UCLA An Epistemological Perspective on the Mesopotamian Wisdom Tradition

**10:45 - 11:15 - Francesca Rochberg** – UC Berkeley Cuneiform Knowledge and Natural Knowledge

11:15 - 11:45 - Coffee break

11:45 - 12:30 - Maurizio Viano - University of Torino Francesco Sironi - University of Milan

Truth and Falsehood in Mesopotamia and Greece: Similarities and Differences

**12:30 - 13:00 - Johannes Haubold** - Princeton University *Translating Wisdom:* 

The Case of Chaldean Philosophy

13:00 - 14:30 - Lunch break

### **Literature and Wisdom Traditions**

14:30 - 15:00 - André Lardinois

Radboud University Nijmegen

Ancient Greece and the Near East: How to Assess Literary Parallels?

**15:00 - 15:30 - Yoram Cohen** - Tel Aviv University Limits of Transmission: Babylonian Wisdom Literature in Non-cuneiform Sources

**15:30 - 16:00 - Simonetta Ponchia** - University of Verona Dialogues in Narrative: From Epic to Argumentation in First Millennium Mesopotamian Literature

16:00 - 16:15 - Coffee break

16:15 - 17:00 - Sebastian Fink - University of Innsbruck Jakub Kuciak - Jagiellonian University of Krakow Kings between East and West: Of Role Models and Warning Examples

17:00 - 17:30 - Hervé Gonzalez - Collège de France Biblical Historiography as Wisdom Literature? The Use of the Royal Past for Illustrating Moral Teachings in the Books of Samuel and Kings

17:30 - 18:30 - Discussion

# DAY 2

### **Science and Practitioners**

9:30 - 10:00 - Mark Geller - University College London
The Profiles of Babylonian and Greek Medicine

10:00 - 10:30 - Nicola Reggiani - University of Parma
The Rational Roots of Medical Science between
Greece and Egypt

10:30 - 11:00 - Massimiliano Ornaghi

University of Torino

Wiseman and Poet in Ancient Greece: What Kind of Overlapping?

11:00 - 11:30 - Coffee break

11:30 - 12:00 - Stéphanie Anthonioz

CNRS UMR 8167 « Orient et Méditerranée » King, Sage, Scribe and Priest:

Seleucid Uruk and Jerusalem in Perspective

**12:00 - 12:30 - Stefano de Martino** - University of Torino The Tradition of Dance in the Hittite Culture: Choreography and Setting

12:30 - 13:00 - Laura Gianvittorio – University of Vienna Transmitting Embodied Knowledge in Ancient Greece: The Case of Dance

13:00 - 14:30 - Lunch break

### **Folk Wisdom and Didactic Literature**

**14:30 - 15:00 - Niek Veldhuis** - UC Berkeley *Proverbs as Wisdom Texts* 

**15:00 - 15:30 - Andrea Ercolani** - CNR Proverbs and Gnomai: Reflections on Hesiodic Material

**15:30 - 16:00 - Bruno Currie** - University of Oxford Hesiod's Works and Days and the Hebrew Bible's Book of Proverbs

16:00 - 16:15 - Coffee Break

16:15 - 16:45 - Bernardo Ballesteros Petrella University of Oxford

Gnomai and Proverbs in Homer and Gilgamesh

16:45 - 17:15 - Jana Matuszak - University of Tübingen Law and Morality in Collections of Sumerian "Wisdom Texts"

17:15 - 18:15 - Discussion

