

Call for Papers

International and interdisciplinary Conference

38th Meeting of the Interdisciplinary Working Group “Ancient Medicine”

Date: June 30–July 1, 2018

Place: Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz (Institute for History, Theory and Ethics of Medicine of the University Medical Center Mainz, Am Pulverturm 13, basement (lecture hall U1125))

Deadline: February 21, 2018

Organizer: Tanja Pommerening (IAK Alte Medizin)

Since 1981, the Interdisciplinary Working Group "Ancient Medicine" meets once a year at the Johannes Gutenberg University in Mainz. It is an international forum for the mutual exchange of ongoing projects dealing with early medical knowledge of different cultures, their transmission and reception.

Aim of the Workshop is to bring together recent research from the field of Ancient Medicine and to increase their visibility. The Working Group connects all fields of the premodern world with a focus on the Greco-Roman Antiquity together with the temporally and spatially neighbouring cultures of ancient Egypt and the ancient Near East as well as their reception until modern times.

At this year's workshop, we will not have a main topic, but we are pleased to receive offers of papers on all subjects within the scope of Ancient Medicine.

Papers are to be limited to 20 minutes, with 10 minutes for discussion. A panel with a series of papers on a special topic, lasting 90 minutes, would also be welcome.

Please send your offer of papers or panels to Nadine Gräßler (graessle@uni-mainz.de) until **February 21, 2018** including an abstract (c. 300 words) which clearly describes your research question and outcomes.

For postgraduate students and young researchers, there is a possibility to claim travel expenses following the successful acceptance of your paper (subject to the available budget).

The final program will be released in April.

You will find further information also on our homepage: <https://www.iak-alte-medizin.uni-mainz.de/>.