

# Inside out

**Gender and Ageing Agency in Urban and  
Non-urban Religious Spaces in Antiquity**

*International Workshop, Hamburg (29-30 March 2022)*



Programme

## 29 March 2022

09:50 Welcome address by **Martina Seifert** and introduction by **Francesca Fulminante** and **Giulia Pedrucci**

### Greek, Roman, and Italic Religions

#### Greece

Chair: **Martina Seifert** (University of Hamburg)

10:00 **Massimo Cultraro** (CNR Catania, Italy), *Exploring the “Age of Innocence”. An Archaeology of Children in Minoan Religion*

10:20 **David Sierra Rodríguez** (University of Granada, Spain ONLINE), *The Arrhephoria in the Acropolis of Athens: A festival made for girls?*

10:40 **Julietta Steinhauer** (UCL London, UK), *Taking centre stage: The priestess of the temple of Aphrodite Pandamos and Pontia on Cos*

#### 11:00 Coffee Break

11:20 **Christian Laes** (University of Manchester, UK), *Intriguing Epigraphy. Women and Children at the Sanctuary of Dodona*

11:40 **Laurence Totelin** (University of Cardiff, UK), *Back to extra-urban sanctuary of Brauron: Hippocrates, Artemis and girls*

#### 12:00 Discussion

∞ 12:30 Lunch break ∞

#### Italy

##### Latium Vetus and Etruria

Chair: **Mary Harlow** (University of Leicester, UK ONLINE)

14:30 **Ugo Fusco** (University of Tor Vergata, Rome, Italy ONLINE), *The presence and role of women and children in the urban sanctuaries of the Etruscan city of Veii (9<sup>th</sup>–5<sup>th</sup> century BCE)*

14:50 **Bridget Sandhoff** (University of Nebraska Omaha, US ONLINE), *Nude in the Tomb: An Examination of Female Nudity in Etruscan Burials and Funerary Gifts*

15:10 **Camilla Norman** (Sydney University, Australia ONLINE), *Female Protagonist of Rituals in Sub-urban Sanctuaries of Ancient Daunia*

#### 15:30 Coffee break

15:40 **Rachele Dubbini** (University of Ferrara, Italy ONLINE), *Becoming woman at the borders of the city: Female rites of passage at the gates of Archaic Rome*

16:00 **Maureen Carroll** (University of Sheffield, UK), *Roman mothers and children as pilgrims and participants in suburban and extra-urban sanctuaries*

16:20 **Letizia Ceccarelli** (Politecnico Milano, Italy ONLINE), *Rural and urban sanctuaries in Latium: Women offerings and self-representation in mid-republican votive deposits*

#### 16:40 Coffee break

17:00 **Lidia González Estrada** (University of Oviedo, Spain ONLINE), *Virgo, tale iter omne cave! (Prop. 4.8.6). Religious space and the snake ritual in Lanuvium*

17:20 **Paolo Carafa** (University of La Sapienza, Rome, Italy), *Children and female agency in Latin sanctuaries and ritual places*

17:40 **Olivier de Cazanove** (Université Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne, Paris, France ONLINE), *Representations of infant and children in urban and sub-urban cult places of Central Italy during the Republican Period*

#### 18:00 Discussion

∞ Dinner ∞

## 30 March 2022

### Campania, Magna Graecia, and Sicily

Chair: **Véronique Dasen** (University of Fribourg, Switzerland)

09:30 **Maria Assunta Cuozzo** (University of Molise, Italy ONLINE), *Women and infants in urban funerary sacred spaces in Campania*

09:50 **Maria Teresa D'Alessio** (University of La Sapienza, Rome, Italy), *Women and female deities in the urban and suburban sanctuaries of Pompeii*



10:10 **Giovanni Mastronuzzi** (University of Salento, Italy ONLINE), *“Worshipping women”*: Case studies from urban and suburban holy places in Southern Apulia (6<sup>th</sup>–3<sup>rd</sup> c. BCE)

10:30 **Lorenzo Guzzardi** (Director Parco Archeologico Leontinoi, Italy), *New discoveries at the urban port sanctuary of Megara Hyblaea*

10:50 **Francesca Fulminante** (University of Bristol, UK, University Roma Tre, Italy, and Universität Erfurt, Max-Weber-Kolleg, Kolleg-Forschungsgruppe: “Religion and Urbanity: Reciprocal Formations”) and **Giulia Pedrucci** (University of Verona, Italy & Gerda Henkel Stiftung, Germany), *Maternity in funerary contexts of urban and non-urban spaces in Central and Southern Italy*

11:10 **Discussion**

11:30 **Coffee break**

## Pre-Roman Europe and Roman Provinces

Chair: **Francesca Fulminante** (University of Bristol, UK, University Roma Tre, Italy, and Universität Erfurt, Max-Weber-Kolleg, Kolleg-Forschungsgruppe: “Religion and Urbanity: Reciprocal Formations”)

11:50 **Margarita Sanchez Romero** (University of Granada, Spain ONLINE) *Children and ritual. A hidden relationship in European or Spanish prehistory*

12:10 **April Pudsay** (University of Tampere, Finland) and **Ville Vuolanto** (University of Manchester, UK), *Young people’s activities and objects in cultic spaces in and around Roman Oxyrhynchos*

12:30 **Ville Vuolanto** (University of Tampere, Finland), *Children and the Sacred Spaces in Pausanias’ Periegesis*

12:50 **Discussion**

13:10 **Lunch break**

## Christianity / Late Antique

Chair: **Giulia Pedrucci** (University of Verona, Italy & Gerda Henkel Stiftung, Germany)

14:40 **Cristina Soraci** (University of Catania, Italy), *Iulia Florentina’s burial in Catania: Urban and extra-urban religious spaces in connection*

15:00 **Stavroula Constantinou** (University of Cyprus), *Female agency in religious space: Mothers and infants in early Byzantine miracle tales*

15:20 **Claudia Tavolieri** (University of Tor Vergata, Rome, Italy), *The monastery of women: the spaces of female asceticism between tensions and solitude in the Greek and Syriac versions of Palladius’ Historia Lausiaca*

15:40 **Robert Heffron** (University of Sheffield, UK), *The modest use of public space: Pagan and Christian women in Late Antique Rome*

16:00 **Katherine Miller** (University of Bristol, UK ONLINE), *Exploring age and status through mortuary practices in urban and rural Anglo-Saxon infant and child burials*

16:20 **Discussion**

16:40 **Coffee break**

17:00 Key note: **Véronique Dasen** (University of Fribourg, Switzerland) and final discussion

