



# ARISTOTLE AND THE SCIENCES / Ο ΑΡΙΣΤΟΤΕΛΗΣ ΚΑΙ ΟΙ ΕΠΙΣΤΗΜΕΣ

## International Virtual Conference

Celebrating the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the  
Interdisciplinary Centre for Aristotle Studies (DIKAM),  
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

*Honorary President* **Nikolaos Papaioannou**

Rector of Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

*President of the Organizing Committee* **Demetra Sfendoni-Mentzou**

President of DIKAM

**Monday, February 21, 2022**

at 15:00 / 13:00 GMT to 22:30 / 20:30 GMT

## PROGRAM

### 15:00-16:00 / 13:00-14:00 GMT OPENING SESSION

- ▶ **Addresses by:** Nikolaos Papaioannou, Rector of AUTH  
Luca M. Scarantino, President of the International Federation of Philosophical Societies (FISP)
- ▶ **Introduction by** Demetra Sfendoni-Mentzou, President of DIKAM
- ▶ **Video presentation of the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of DIKAM**

### 16:00-19:00 / 14:00-17:00 GMT SESSION A

16:00-16:30 / 14:00-14:30 GMT

**Prokopios Pavlopoulos**, former President of the Hellenic Republic, Emeritus Professor of the Faculty of Law, *National and Kapodistrian University of Athens - Greece*.

«Παρατηρήσεις για την επικαιρότητα της θεωρίας του Αριστοτέλους περί Επιείκειας στο πεδίο του σύγχρονου Δημόσιου Διεθνούς Δικαίου» (Remarks on the Timeliness of Aristotle's Theory of Equity in Contemporary Public International Law).

16:30-17:00 / 14:30-15:00 GMT

**Dermot Moran**, Professor of Philosophy (Metaphysics and Logic), *University College Dublin-Ireland*, Elected Member of the *Royal Irish Academy*, Professor of *Philosophy Department, Boston College, USA*. Past President of the *International Federation of Philosophical Societies (FISP)*.

**Aristotle on Animals.**

17:00-17:30 / 15:00-15:30 GMT

**Christof Rapp**, Professor for Ancient Philosophy at *Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Munich*. Academic director of the "Center for Advanced Studies" at *Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Munich-Germany*.

**Does Aristotle's Biology Unduly Rely on Philosophical Prejudices? Examples from the *Parva Natura, De Motu Animalium* and *De Generatione Animalium*.**

17:30-18:00 / 15:30-16:00 GMT

**Christos Zerefos**, Secretary-General of the *Academy of Athens*, Head of *Research Center for Atmospheric Physics & Climatology* of the *Academy of Athens*, Professor Emeritus, Faculty of Geology and Geoenvironment, *National and Kapodistrian University of Athens-Greece*.

**Τα Μετεωρολογικά του Αριστοτέλους.**

18:00-18:30 / 16:00-16:30 GMT

**Theodosios Tassios**, Professor Emeritus of the *National Technical University of Athens*, Honorary Doctor of Engineering, *Aristotle University of Thessaloniki*, Honorary President of the *Hellenic Philosophical Society-Greece*.

**Aristoteles on Mechanics and Technology.**

18:30-19:00 / 16:30-17:00 GMT

**Nikolaos Paraskevopoulos**, Professor Emeritus, School of Law, *Aristotle University of Thessaloniki-Greece*, Former Minister of Justice.

**Νόμος, Επείκεια, Επιστήμη** (Law, Equity, Science).

19:00-19:30 / 17:00-17:30 GMT **BREAK**

## 19:30-22:00 / 17:30-20:00 GMT SESSION B

19:30-20:00 / 17:30-18:00 GMT

**Richard McKirahan**, Edwin Clarence Norton Professor of Classics and Professor of Philosophy at *Pomona College* in Claremont, California-**USA**.

**Aristotle and the Invention of Science.**

20:00-20:30 / 18:00-18:30 GMT

**Jeffrey D. Sachs D**, Professor of *Columbia University*, USA, Director of the *Center for Sustainable Development*, *Columbia University*, President of the *UN Sustainable Development Solutions Network*, **USA**.

**Aristotle, Psychology, and Economic Ethics.**

20:30-21:00 / 18:30-19:00 GMT

**Pantelis Golitsis**, Assistant Professor of Ancient and Medieval Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, *Aristotle University of Thessaloniki-Greece*.

**The Metaphysics and Aristotle's appeal to astronomy.**

21:00-21:30 / 19:00-19:30 GMT

**Lambros Couloubaritsis**, Member of the *Académie royale de Belgique*, Correspondent Member of the *Academy of Athens-Greece*, Professor Emeritus of the *Université libre de Bruxelles*, **Belgium**.

**Η έννοια του λόγου στα έργα του Αριστοτέλη** (The Concept of Logos in Aristotle's Works).

21:30-22:00 / 19:30-20:00 GMT

**James Lennox**, Professor Emeritus, *Department of History and Philosophy of Science* at the *University of Pittsburgh*, USA, with secondary appointments in the *Departments of Classics and Philosophy*, *University of Pittsburgh*, **USA**.

**Aristotelian ζήτησις as Norm-governed Curiosity.**

22:00-22:30 / 20:00-20:30 GMT **CLOSING REMARKS**

## CONFERENCE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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