

Sobria Ebrietas

Transformations of Spiritual Intoxication from Philo to Medieval Christianity

DAY 1 · THURSDAY

26 November 2026

From 08:45 Registration

09:30 Welcome and organisers' information

09:45 **PHILO**
Barbora Bezverchyj
Title to be confirmed

10:15 **PHILO**
Markéta Dudziková
Beautiful intoxication in Philo of Alexandria

10:45 **PHILO**
Jiří Hoblík
Philo's Philosophical Transformation of the Biblical Concept of Spirit

11:15-11:35 **Coffee break**

11:35-12:30 **KEYNOTE LECTURE**
David Vopřada
Ambrose's Sobria ebrietas: Scripture, Christ, and the Making of Christian Spirituality

12:30-13:30 **Lunch**

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13:30	PATRISTICS Karolína Štauberová The image of intoxicated Noah in Cyprian's letter 63
14:00	PATRISTICS Magdalena Marunová Gregory of Nyssa's Sober Drunkenness and Its Aftereffects
14:30	PATRISTICS Marco Mazzarini Augustine on Sobria Ebrietas: Instruments of Comprehension and Strategies of Communication in Homiletical Textes, especially Enarrationes in Psalmos.
15:00-15:20	Coffee break
15:20	PATRISTICS Vít Hušek Metaphors of Sobriety, Wine, and Drunkenness in the Teachings of Silvanus: Alexandrian Wisdom in a Gnostic Milieu
15:50	PATRISTICS Veronika Hrušová The Fiery Wine of Knowledge. Wine Symbolism in Clement of Alexandria
16:20	PATRISTICS Matteo Monfrinotti From Paideia to Monastic Praxis: Sober Drunkenness in Clement of Alexandria and its Evagrian Codification
16:50-17:10	Coffee break
17:10-17:40	Panel discussion on the first-day papers
18:30	Conference dinner

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DAY 2 · FRIDAY

27 November 2026

09:00	Welcome and organisers' information
09:10	MEDIEVAL Robert Hórka What Kind of Wine Was Tasted at Cana of Galilee? A Reading of Sedulius's Carmen Paschale III, 1-11
09:40	MEDIEVAL Lucie Rathouzská Ordo amoris: Love to God according to Hugh of Saint Victor's De substantia dilectionis
10:10	MEDIEVAL Kliment Tomáš Mikulka Notes or Florilegium? An Early Witness to the Reception of Palamism among the Slaves
10:40-11:00	Coffee break
11:00	MEDIEVAL Tomáš Petráček The Motifs of sobria ebrietas in Selected Works of the Czech Medieval Spiritual Tradition
11:30-12:30	KEYNOTE LECTURE · ONLINE Paul Murray OP Four Degrees of Violent Love: The Visionary Genius of Richard of St Victor
12:30-13:00	Final plenary discussion and official closing
13:00-14:00	Lunch
From 14:00	Optional programme and participants' departure
Afternoon	Possible joint excursion to Chlum, the battlefield of 1866 (depending on interest)