

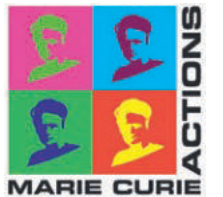
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## Scientific Cosmopolitanism in the University Culture of Early Modern Padua

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### Day One - October 12<sup>th</sup> 2022

University of Padua, Palazzo Bo, Sala Archivio Antico

13.30-14.00 **Introduction to Conference**

**Marta Nezzo** (Padua), *Institutional greetings and introduction to the conference*

**Vincenzo Milanese** (Padua), *A "European" History of the University of Padua*

14.00-15.30 **SESSION 1. Padua: University and its History**

**Dennj Solera** (Bologna), *Padua and its University: the Institutional Framework from the Middle Ages to the Early Modern Age*

**Matteo Cosci** (Venice), *Gaudeamus igitur: Collegiate and local studentship in early modern Padua*

15.30-16.00 **Coffee break**

16.00-17.15 **SESSION 2. Padua: A Cosmopolis of Tradition and Innovation**

**Michel Engel** (Hamburg), *Jewish Contribution to the Translation and Circulation of Averroes' Commentaries on Natural Philosophy in and around the University of Padua (15th-16th Centuries)*

**Angela Axworthy** (Berlin), *Sacrobosco's De sphaera and the teaching of astronomy and cosmology at the university of Padua from the fifteenth to the early sixteenth century*

17.30 **Guided tour of historical Palazzo Bo and its Anatomical Theatre**

### Day Two: October 13<sup>th</sup> 2022

University of Venice, Ca' Foscari, Malcanton, Aula Morelli

9.30-13.00 **SESSION 3. The Nations, the East, and Specialist Knowledge**

**Francesco Scalora** (Padua), *Greek students at the University of Padua: cross-cultural interactions and evolving identities in the early modern age*

**Marie-Louise Leonard** (Venice), *Paduan Medical Knowledge and, the Establishment of Medical Culture in 17th century Edinburgh*

**Gabor Almasi** (Innsbruck), *Central and Eastern Europeans at Padua: a comparative view with a focus on medicine*

\* optional excursion to the Jewish Ghetto

### Day Three: October 14<sup>th</sup> 2022

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9.30-11.00 **Session 4. Specialist Knowledge circulation**

**Matteo Fornasier** (Venice), *Botanic gardens and academic culture at the University of Padua*

**Pietro Daniel Omodeo** (Venice), *The German Nation and cross-cultural exchange at the University of Padua*

11.00-11.30 **Coffee break**

11.30-13.00 **SESSION 5. A Tangled Web: Padua and Britain**

**Vittoria Feola** (Padua), *Natio Anglica and spy networks in early modern Europe.*

**David McOmish** (Venice), *Natio Scota, Government Agents, and Networks of Scientific Knowledge Exchange in King James' Britain*

**Lunch**

15.30-17.00 **SESSION 6. Patavina auctoritas: Practical Instruction and cultural appropriation**

**Tayra Lanuza Navarro** (Venice), *From the Professors' mouth: the student experience of astronomical culture at the University of Padua*

**Stefano Gulizia** (Milan), *The export of learned Paduan sociability in Northern Europe: From the cabinet of curiosities in Enkhuizen to the Platonic 'deambulatio' in the Vettori-Caselius exchange*