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# Reconstructing Premodern Recipes

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## PROGRAMME

- 18:00** GIACOMO MONTANARI, Department of History and Philosophy of Science, NKUA & Department of Chemistry, University of Bologna  
*Drippings of Lye: Percolation Techniques in Early Alchemical Practices*
- 18:20** GERASIMOS MERIANOS, Institute of Historical Research, National Hellenic Research Foundation  
*What Practice Reveals: Insights from Reconstructing Greek Alchemical Recipes*
- 18:40** PETROS BOURAS-VALLIANATOS, Institute for Ethnopharmacological Studies and Phytotherapy & Department of History and Philosophy of Science, NKUA  
*Reconstructing Premodern Compound Drugs: Methodological Challenges and Interdisciplinary Solutions*
- 19:00** VANESSA SEIFERT, Department of History and Philosophy of Science, NKUA  
*From Affinities to Valence, a Philosophical Approach to Chemical Reactions*
- 19:20-20:00** Discussion

The event will be co-ordinated by  
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