



# THE FIFTH BESANÇON-BOCHUM KOLLOQUIUM IN ANCIENT PHILOSOPHY

## June 9 th 2026 - Room: SSC 2 / 148

9.20-9.30: Welcome by Arnaud Macé and Barbara Sattler

9.30-11.00: Etienne Ménard (Besançon/Strasbourg): "Soul and World in Xenophanes"

11-11.30 coffee break

11.30 - 13.00: Andrés Montenegro (RUB), "On Heraclitus' Use of Examples for Semantic Density and Resonance"  
Chair: Barbara Sattler

13.00 - 14.30: Lunch break

14.30 -16.00: Haitham Abukhadra (RUB), "To what extent is the Demiurge good?"  
Chair: Etienne Ménard

16.00-16.30 coffee break

16.30-18.00: Estelle Santune (Besançon), "Apeiron and agathon in Plato"  
Chair: Luca Dondoni

## June 10 th 2026 - Room: GA2/41

9.30-11.00: Julien Boudart (Besançon), "Beyond ratios: on the aural dimension of the story of Pythagoras at the smithy" (Nicomachus, *Ench.* VI)  
Chair: Jeong-joo Lee

11-11.30 coffee break

11.30 - 13.00: Luca Dondoni (RUB), "Mirrors, the Liver, and the Receptacle: A Study of *Eidōlopoiia* in Plato's *Timaeus*"  
Chair: Estelle Santune

13.00 - 14.30: Lunch break

14.30 -16.00: Mi Zhu (Besançon), "The concept of *energeia* in Aristotle"

16.00-16.30 coffee break

16.30-18.00: Jeong-joo Lee (RUB), "Shame and Its Limits as a Virtue in Aristotle"  
Chair: Arnaud Macé

