

INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP

# 'IN NO WAY DOES LIFE DIFFER FROM THE SEA'

Approaching the Non-Human in Byzantium and Beyond

10 MAY 2021 14 - 18 CET ZOOM MEETING ORGANIZERS
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## **PROGRAMME**

Welcome 14:00 - 14:15
THOMAS ARENTZEN, Chair - Uppsala University

#### 1. THE EARTH 14:15 - 15:15

LAURA FELDT - University of Southern Denmark

Approaching Wildernesses after "Nature": A Spatial-Narrative Approach

and a Discussion of Wild Spaces in Late Antique Hagiography from Gaul

ADAM GOLDWYN - North Dakota State University

Gardens without Gardeners: (Un)narrating Labor in the Medieval Greek

Novel

#### 2. THE SEA 15:30 - 16:30

CHRISTOPHER SCHLIEPHAKE - Augsburg University
The Sympathetic Sea – Dolphins, Humans, and/as Companion Species
in Plutarch and Pliny the Younger

VERONICA DELLA DORA - University of London
From the Billows of Passions to the Port of Salvation: The Patristic Sea
as a Transformative Space

### 3. SEASONS AND WEATHER 16:45 - 18:00

LAURA BORGHETTI - Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz The Wind that Shakes the Fronds. Hidden Agency and Metamorphosis in a Middle-Byzantine Poem

MILAN VUKAŠINOVIĆ - Uppsala University Suitors for the Queen of Seasons: Can We Read Byzantine Springs as Trans-Human Entanglements?

## INFORMATION

The workshop will be held digitally via Zoom.

To enter the virtual meeting, please click on the following link: <a href="https://uu-se.zoom.us/j/61249610156">https://uu-se.zoom.us/j/61249610156</a>

Each presentation will last about 20 minutes. After each session, there will be a 20-minute discussion.

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