INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

PATRISTIC SERMONS IN THE MIDDLE AGES
COLLECTIONS, MEDIATORS AND THE PRACTICE OF COMPILING

17-20 October 2023
Rome, Royal Netherlands Institute (KNIR)

Tuesday, 17 October 2023
17.00   Registration and welcome
17.45   Opening of the conference
18.00   Keynote lecture by Emanuela Colombi, Artificial Intelligence, few-shot learning layout analysis, and medieval homilies
Response by Riccardo Macchioro

Wednesday, 18 October 2023
9.30-10.45: Session 1
Rosamond McKitterick, The homiliary of Agimundus, its sources and their implications
David Addison, The Homiliae Toletanae: a collection of collections?

11.15-12.30: Session 2
Matthieu Pignot, How to make sense of compilation disorder? New research on the oldest form of the Octoginta homiliae
Marie Pauliat, The “Vienna Collection”, a Donatist collection? State of the art and first results

14.00-15.15: Session 3
Maximilian Diesenberger, Sermons in mixed manuscripts in early medieval Bavaria
Matthieu van der Meer, The Florilegium Pastorale in codex London, BL Harley 5041: a manual for monastic preachers

15.45-17.00: Session 4
Shari Boodts, Augustine’s most copied sermones ad populum in the Middle Ages
Gleb Schmidt, New approaches to the study of patristic sermon collections

Thursday, 19 October 2023
9.30-10.45: Session 5
Moshe Lavee, Compilations of Rabbinic sermons for festivals and Pentateuch readings
Philip Forness, Tracing practices of compiling Syriac sermons from Late Antiquity to the Middle Ages: the case of the exegete, saint, and homilist Jacob of Serugh

11.15-12.30: Session 6
Maria Veronese, Rufinus and the seventeenth "Origenian" homily on Genesis
Annette Von Stockhausen, The homilies of Severian of Gabala in Panegyrika and Chrysostom homiliaries – two case studies

14.00-15.15: Session 7
François Dolbeau, Un sermon de Raban Maur et ses sources
Clemens Weidmann, Cum Latinis studebimus litteris, non respicamus ad Graecas? Translations of Greek sermons in the medieval Latin tradition

15.45-17.00: Session 8
Katy Cubitt, Form and purpose: Ælfric’s transmission of patristic teaching in his Catholic Homilies
Patrick Cowley, Patristic sermons in Twelfth-century Lincoln

Friday, 20 October 2023
9.30-10.45: Session 10
Gert Partoens, On the transmission of a neglected text corpus: the homilies of Valerianus of Cimiez (fifth century)

11.15-12.30: Session 11
Léa Zeringer, Les séries des Sermones ad monachos dans le manuscrit du Vatican, BAV, Reg. lat. 245: étude de compilations parallèles
Mor Hajbi, Timothy and Salvian’s “Against Avarice”: authorship, authority, transmission and reception

12.30   Closing of the conference

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