Emotions and Clinical Communication in Antiquity



28 October 2020 Symposium Discussion 8:00—9:00am Melbourne (ADST)

29 October 2020 Special session in conjunction with the Biblical and Early Christian Studies Seminar 9:00—10:00am Melbourne (ADST)

30 October 2020 Symposium Discussion 8:00—9:00am Melbourne (ADST)

Participants include:

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Whether healers were seeking to establish authority, find a shared language for communicating sufferings, or even pathologizing certain states, emotions played a crucial role in the give-and-take of ancient clinical communication.

This seminar aims to explore the role of emotions in shaping clinical experience and practice, and the work that clinical language did in shaping normative emotional regimes and communities.

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