

A Cure for the Mind: Philosophy between Individual Perfecting and Social Improvement

27.06.2025 1 -3 pm CET

Philosophy as Medicine: A Historical Overview

Francesco Fronterotta, *Philosophy and Medicine (Philosophy as Medicine) between Plato and the Platonic Tradition.*

Alice Ragni, *Medicina mentis: A Reconstruction.*

Lucia Oliveri, *Philosophy as Medicine in the Early Modern Period.*

18.07.2025 1 - 3 pm CET

Tschirnhaus's Medicina Mentis et Corporis

Enrico Pasini, *Necessity, Hypothesis, Rule: The Epistemological Framework of Tschirnhaus's Medicine of the Body.*

Simone D'Agostino, *Remedies to Dysfunctions of the Mind in von Tschirnhaus's Medicina mentis.*

Mario Andrés Narvaez, *Educating the Imagination: Pedagogical Basis for a Scientific and Virtuous Life in Tschirnhaus's Medicina Mentis.*

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Background: Tabula Cebetis (The Tabula of Cebes or The Journey of Human Life) 1573, Rijksmuseum, Amsterdam
<https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/20025794>

01.09.2025 1 - 3 pm CET

On Philosophy as Emendation and Individual Transformation

Igor Agostini, *Wolff and the Emendation of the Notion of Substance.*

Dana Jalobeanu, *Idolatry, Therapy and Extended Cognition: The Fable of New Atlantis.*

Martin Lenz, *What is Rationalistic Therapy? Some Notes on Spinoza.*

31.10.2025 1 - 4 pm CET

A Cure for Prejudices and the Improvement of Education

Arnaud Pelletier, *The Rhetoric of the Contamination of Minds from Thomasius to Kant.*

Sorana Corneanu, *Locke's Conduct, the Cure of the Mind, and the Discovery of Principles.*

Oscar Esquisabel, *Leibniz's Encyclopedia as a Politics of Science: Individual and Collective Progress.*

Oliver R. Scholz, *How Contemporary Epistemology May Learn from the Tradition of medicina mentis.*



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