



# epiStoa Symposium 2026

15. - 18. October 2026  
Magna Grecia  
Reggio Calabria, Italy



## Ancient Languages - Thinking the Future

### Preliminary Programme

#### Thu 15. 10.

Anteprima:

10.00

Meeting with students of the liceo classico  
Ancient Languages: Learning and Thinking  
Views of students and profs

20.00

Get-together

#### Fri 16. 10.

09.00

Opening and welcome (Museo Archeologico Nazionale, Sala conferenze)

Session I

09.15

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10.00

Pasquale Casile: "Dioniso a Bova, due volte nato, tra i figli della Terra e del Cielo stellato"

*Break*

11.15-11.30

Introduction and

11.30-12.30

Guided tour through the Archaeological Museum of Reggio Calabria

13.00

*Lunch / "Spuntino"*

14.30

Session II : ( Conferenze aperte a tutti )

Christos Yapijakis (Athens): *The Scientific Humanism of Epicurus*

Maria-Jo Martin-Velasco (Santiago de Compostela): *Arete as δύναμις in Pindar's Epinician*

*BREAK*

Tommaso Greco (Pisa)

to be announced

Gennaro Carillo (Napoli)

to be announced

18.30-20.30

Downtown Tour

20.30

Aperitif

21.00

Dinner

After Dinner Talk: to be announced

**Sat 17. 10.**

09.15 Session III: Thinking  
Latin and Thinking  
Greek and Thinking  
Maths and Thinking

10.45 Break

11.15 General Assembly

13.00 Lunch and Transfer to Bova Marina

15.00 Villa delle Rose

15.30 Transfer to Bova sup.

Session IV ( Location: Bova sup. )

(Chair: C. Yapijakis)

16.15 Conference: Calabro-Greek and the Greek Culture in Calabria

17.30 Walk through Bova sup.

20.00 Dinner

**Sun 18. 10.**

09.00 Brunch & Brain Storming  
Alumni clubs / Local sections / Forum / Platform / "Classics Online" / "epiStoa Forum"

12.00 End of Meeting