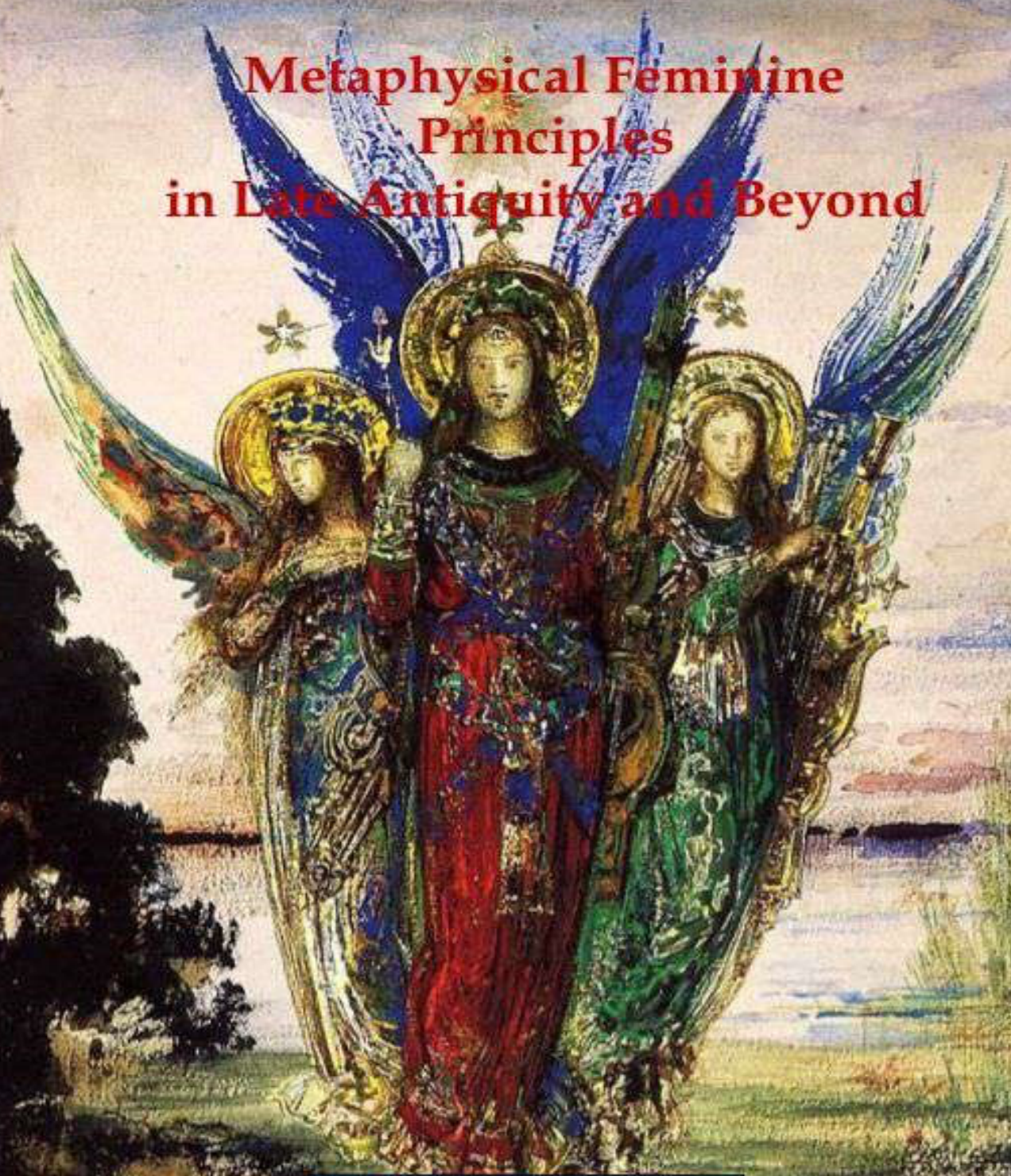




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Saturday 28th of October 2023

Lightfoot Room, Faculty of Divinity, West Road, Cambridge CB3 9 BS

Organization : Andreea-Maria Lemnaru and Douglas Hedley

Conference Programme

9.00AM

Introduction

Andreea-Maria Lemnaru and Douglas Hedley

9.30AM

The Feminine Great Abyss. The Power of Femininity in Lurianic Kabbalah

Lusdemar Jacquez Rivera (Freie Universität Berlin)

10.15AM

Did Ezekiel see the Living Creature ?

Margaret Barker

11.00AM

Coffee

11.15AM

From the World Soul to Hecate in Iamblichus and the *Chaldean Oracles*

Andreea-Maria Lemnaru (Cambridge Center for the Study of Platonism,
Sorbonne University)

12.00AM

Sophia in Early Christian philosophy

Mark Edwards (Oxford University)

12.45 PM

Lunch

2.30 PM

The divine feminine in Plotinus' metaphysics: Intelligible Matter, The World Soul, and Nature

Mateusz Stróżyński (Adam Mickiewicz University)

3.15 PM

From the *Faerie Queen* to Goethe's Eternal Feminine

Douglas Hedley (Cambridge Center for the Study of Platonism)

4.00 PM

Tea

4.30 PM

The Way to Sophia: Henry Corbin in Istanbul

Hadi Fakhoury (Cambridge Centre for the Study of Platonism)

6.00 PM

Drinks