

Plato on Truth, Falsehood and Deception

International Workshop 8th June 2026, University of Crete

Venue: Princeton Athens Center, 3 Timarchou Street, Athens and *online*

Programme

09:45–10:00 — Opening Remarks Eleni Kaklamanou

Chair: Pantelis Golitsis

10:00–10:45 — Thanasis Gkatzaras (Academy of Athens)

Truth and Falsehood in Republic V–VII

10:45–11:30 — Guus Eelink (University of Tübingen)

Infallibility in Plato's Theory of Knowledge

11:30–11:45 — Coffee Break

Chair: Spyros Rangos

11:45–12:30 — Ermioni Prokopaki (Center for Hellenic Studies in Greece, Harvard University)

The Discussion of Falsehood in the Theaetetus: What Is It About and Why Does It Go Wrong?

12:30–13:15 — Lia Theodoroudi (University of Crete)

Plato's Examination of Falsehood: Why the Sophist Succeeds Where the Theaetetus Fails

13:15–14:30 — Lunch Break

Chair: Panagiotis Thanassas

14:30–15:15 — Alexandra V. Alván León (University of Münster)

The Great Deceiver: Falsehood and Deception in Plato's Sophist

15:15–16:00 — Xanthippe Bourloyanni (Academy of Athens)

Image, Predication, and Falsehood in the Sophist

16:00–16:15 — Coffee Break

Chair: Orestis Karatzoglou

16:15–17:00 — Giorgia Lugani (University of Cambridge)

Anatomy of Falsehood: Reframing Parmenides through Quotation and Allusion in Plato's Dialogues

17:00–17:45 — Vilius Bartninkas (University of Vilnius)

Plato on Citizens, Dissent, and Moderation

17:45–18:00 — Short Break

Chair: Chloe Balla

18:00–18:45 — Emily Hulme (University of Sydney)

Evil Techne? Plato, Craft, and Value

18:45–19:00 — Closing Remarks

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