Call for Papers

Special Issue of Logos and Episteme

Epistemology’s Ancient Origins and New Developments

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We invite papers on problems in ancient philosophy of knowledge and new developments in light of those problems. Selected papers will appear in a special issue of Logos and Episteme. Potential topics may include (but are not restricted to): paradoxes, skeptical challenges to first-order and philosophical knowledge, anti-skeptical arguments, Presocratic programs for knowledge, Socratic ignorance, cross-cultural philosophical influences, contemporary retrievals of ancient notions of knowledge, and the stakes for ancient theories of knowledge.

This issue will include essays by:
Harald Thorsrud (Agnes Scott College)
Timothy Roche (University of Memphis)
Brian Ribeiro (University of Tennessee, Chattanooga)
Andrew Cling (University of Alabama, Huntsville)
Allysson V. Lima Rocha (Federal University of Santa Catarina, BRA)

Submissions, which must be prepared for anonymous review, should be between 4,000-6,000 words and be accompanied by a short abstract of no more than 150 words. All papers must be submitted according to the Logos and Episteme house style (Chicago-note form). Manuscripts should be submitted in .doc, .docx, or .pdf format. Please transliterate all non-Latin script.

Papers are due August 1, 2018. Decisions will be announced by October 1, 2018. The special issue will be published in early 2019.

To submit a paper, email it, with the subject heading “Ancient Epistemology SI Submission,” to Scott Aikin (scott.aikin@vanderbilt.edu). In order to ensure anonymous reviewing, please provide your contact information in the body of the email but do not include any identifying information in the attached document.