December 30

9:00 Greetings:
Prof. Aviad Kleinberg, Head, Zvi Yavetz School of Historical Studies
Prof. Miri Shefer-Mossensohn, Middle Eastern and African History, Tel Aviv University

9:15 Chair: Dr. Keren Abbou-Hershkovitz, Middle Eastern Studies, Ben Gurion University of the Negev; the Open University of Israel
Dr. Ido Israelowich, Classical Studies, Tel Aviv University
Forensic Medicine during the Roman Empire
Dr. Irene Sibbing-Plantholt, Einstein Center Chronoi, Freie Universität Berlin
A Historical Analysis of Medical Professionalization and Legitimization from Mesopotamia

10:45 Coffee break

11:00

12:00 Chair: Prof. Yossi Ziegler, History, Haifa University
Prof. Esther Cohen, History, Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Chronic Pain in the Middle Ages – the Case of Margherita Datini
Dr. Ronit Yoeli-Tlalim, History, Goldsmiths, University of London
“Lost Knowledge” as a Form of Legitimation of Medical Knowledge

13:30 Break

15:00 Chair: Dr. Assaf Krebs, History, and Philosophy of Art, Design and Technology, Shenkar College
Prof. Eliseba Baumgarten, Jewish History and Contemporary Jewry and History, Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Medical Professionals and Medical Cooperation: A Medieval German-Jewish Example
Prof. Raz Chen-Morris, History, Hebrew University of Jerusalem
The Mathematicial Disciplining of Astrology around 1600 – The Case of Johannes Kepler
Dr. Eliezer Papo, Hebrew Literature, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev
Rabbis, Male and Female Traditional Healers and the Boundaries between Magic and Medicine

17:15 Coffee break

17:30 Chair: Prof. Miry Mostofsky, History of Science and Medicine of the Middle East, Max Planck Institute
Practitioners in the Middle Ages: Physicians, Magicians, and Lawyers

December 31

9:00 Chair: Prof. Liat Kozma, Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies, Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Dr. Nimrod Zinger, Nursing, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev; Achva Academic College
The Early Modern European Jewish Medicine Marketplace: Different Genres, Different Stories
Prof. Efraim Lev, Israel Studies, Haifa University
The Cairo Geniza and its Contribution to the Study of the Relationship between Physicians and Patients

10:30 Coffee break

11:00 Chair: Prof. Asaf Goldschmidt, East Asian Studies, Tel Aviv University
Dr. Amir Teicher, History, Tel Aviv University
The Father’s Bride: Genetic Health and Social Anomosity in Nazi Germany
Dr. Aner Govrin, The Program for Hermeneutics and Cultural Studies, Bar-Ilan University
Psychoanalysis and its Scientific Rational

12:30 Break

13:30

14:30 Chair: Dr. Michal Shapira, History, Tel Aviv University
Dr. Reut Harari, East Asian Studies, Tel Aviv University
Preventing Doctor-Patient Encounters: The Invention of Health Maintenance Practices in Modern Japan
Dr. Gal Ventura, Art History, Hebrew University of Jerusalem
‘Long Live the Bottle’: The Rise of the French Bottle-Feeding Industry in the Nineteenth Century

16:00 Coffee break

16:30 Chair: Prof. Nadav Davidovitch, Health Systems Management, Ben Gurion University of the Negev
Prof. Christina Álvarez Millán, Medieval History, Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia, Madrid
Social History of Medicine and the Question of how Scientific 21st Century Medicine Is
Prof. Shoshana Shiloh, School of Psychological Science, Tel Aviv University
Not Just DNA: Psycho-Social Implications of Genetic Data