The *Brahmasiddhi* of Maṇḍana Miśra

From Tuesday 13 October (11-1pm, room 7), Hugo David, a PhD student in Indian Studies at the École Pratique des Hautes Études (Paris) under the supervision of Prof. Gerdi Gerschheimer, will hold a weekly seminar on the *Brahmasiddhi* of Maṇḍana Miśra (7th-8th c.), the author’s principal work on Vedānta and one of the most important treatises of the early mediaeval non-dualism (*advaita*). The first chapter (*Brahmakāṇḍa*) of this work will be read with special attention to its relationship to the later vedāntic tradition.

The *Mūlamadhyamakakārikā* of Nāgārjuna

Antoine Panaioti (PhD student in South Asian Studies at AMES) will continue his weekly seminar (Wednesday 11-12, room 313) on the philosophy of the Buddhist thinker Nāgārjuna, based on the reading of some chapters in the *Mūlamadhyamakakārikā*.

Introduction to Pāṇini’s Grammar

Dr Vincenzo Vergiani (Lecturer in Sanskrit at AMES) will hold a weekly seminar on Pāṇini’s grammar (Wednesday 11-12, room 313), in which he will introduce the basic concepts, principles and metalanguage of the Pāṇinian derivational system.