

2015 SEP-FEP PROGRAMME

Thursday (3/9)

1.00–2.15 Registration (Coffee) – Dalhousie Building

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2.15–2.30 Welcome

2.30–4.00 Parallel Panels A

A1 (2G12) Moderator: Luis de Miranda

Consanguinity Disruptus: The Phenomenology of Incest as Limit-Experience

Auguste Hill

Is Hope Teachable? An Answer from the Ontology of Not-Yet-Being of Ernst Bloch

Chiara Musolino

No Frontiers: Countering the 'Imperialism of Theory' with the Help of Whitehead and Weil

Josie Moore

A2 (2G13) Moderator: Clive Cazeaux

A Phenomenology of Reading: Deciding the Frontier between Philosophy and Literature

Lisa Foran

The Writing That Writes Itself

Maria Dada

Between Nonsense and Metaphor: Chomsky and Ricoeur on Semantic Deviance and Linguistic Creativity

Walter Pedriali

A3 (1G05) Moderator: Zornitsa Dimitrova

"Perhaps this time we have gone too far" -- Towards a Deconstructive Materialism

Luce de Lire

Frantz Fanon and a New (Materialist) Humanism

Michael Burns

A4 (1G06) Moderator: West Connolly

European Frontiers and Philosophies of Violence

Barry Stocker

Kant, Nietzsche and Derrida on Cruelty

Mauro Senatore

A5 (LT1) Moderator: Susan Spaid

Slow Life and an Ecology of Sensation

Anna Hickey-Moody

On the Frontiers of Thinking – Heidegger and Levinas

Rozemund Uljée

- 4.00–4.15 Crossover Break
- 4.15–5.45 Plenary Speaker 1 (LT1): Veronique Mottier (Cambridge University)**
Thinking at the Edge: Sexuality, Transgression, and Limit-Experiences
- Respondent: Tina Chanter (Kingston University)**
Moderator: Dominic Smith (University of Dundee)
- 6.15–8.15 Civic Wine Reception (Venue: City Chambers, which is a short walk to the city centre)
Welcome by Lord Provost

Map:

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Friday (4/9)

9.30–10.00 Registration (Coffee)

10.00–11.30 Parallel Panels B

B1 (2G12) Moderator: Todd Mei
Panel: Ricoeur, Religion and Public Discourse

Religious Convictions in Civic Debate: A Comparison of the Perspectives of P. Ricoeur and J. Habermas
Maureen Junker-Kenny

Freudian Psychoanalysis as a Resource for Understanding the Dialogue between Religious Language and Public Reason
Eoin Carney

Relating Ricoeur's Social and Political Philosophy to "Religion" in the Light of Recent Reception
Amy Daughton

B2 (2G13) Moderator: N. Gabriel Martin
Towards a New Frontier of the Self? A Genealogy of Esprit de Corps
Luis de Miranda

Interaction and Personhood in Sentient Automata
Zornitsa Dimitrova

Pushing the Limits: Proposing a Reflective Order of Embodied Self-Consciousness
Camille Buttingsrud

B3 (1G05) Moderator: Scott Gallacher
Postgraduate Panel 1

The Creative Act: Towards a Spinozian Aesthetics
Christopher Thomas

Modal and Attribute Parallelism in Spinoza's Ethics
Davide Monaco

Self-Consciousness and Financial System: The Concept of Credit in the Perspective of Hegelian Dialectic
Domenico Cortese

B4 (1G06) Moderator: Galit Wellner
Panel: New Horizons in Philosophy of Technology (1)

Postphenomenology: Exploring the Technological Texture through Digital Media
Stacey Irwin

Intelligence and Embodiment: from Classical AI to Developmental Robotics
Shoji Nagataki

New Technologies, Transparencies and the Idea of Information
Nicola Liberati

11.30–11.45 Coffee Break

11.45–1.15 Parallel Panels C

C1 (2G12) Moderator: Ilias Giannopoulos,
Does 'art doctored' Equal 'art neutered'?
Clive Cazeaux

Art, (Anti)aesthetics and Historical Ontology
Jonathan Owen Clark

Hamlet's Memory Palace: To Be or Not to Be . . . A Digital 'Act of Resistance'
West Connolly

C2 (2G13) Moderator: Ashley Woodward
Non-Philosophical Constraints: How to Remake a Thought Cinematically
John Mullarkey

A Deleuzian Noology: Philosophizing and Thinking Film Otherwise
Susana Viegas

Limit and Borderland: Critical Openness in Foucault and Tarkovsky
Mario Horta

C3 (1G05) Moderator: Wahida Khandker
Time as Retardation in Paradigms of Physical Action: Bergson, Serres, Deleuze and Smolin
Bill Ross

Critical Exercises
Ruth Sonderegger

It Can Only Exist in Thought, It Can Only Result in the Work of Art: Deleuze's Ideal Game
Rick Dolphijn

C4 (1G06) Moderator: Lisa Foran
Panel: Jazz Improvisation, Agency and Freedom: Between the Human and Inhuman Lies the Assemblage

Improvisation, Time and the Posthuman
David Roden

Degrees of Freedom: Agency in Improvised Music—Searching For Boundaries in Entangled Network Space
Tom Hewitt

C5 (LT1) Moderator: William Remley
On Affective Universality: Kant, Arendt and Lyotard on Sensus Communis
Andrea Rehberg

Arendt and Thinking: The 'Vital Tension between Philosophy and Politics'
Danielle Sands

Murdoch on Love and Privacy
Raja Rosenhagen

1.15–2.45 Lunch (not provided)

2.45–4.15 Parallel Panels D

D1 (2G12) Moderator: Paul Alberts-Dezeeuw
Paying Attention: Philosophy as Strong Therapy for the Information Age
Dominic Smith

Sleeping Well – Sleep's Ambiguous Normativity
Patrick Levy

Publicly Private: Efforts to Develop an Ethics of Intimacy
Candice Salyers

D2 (2G13) Moderator: Lars Iyer
Panel: Frontiers of Modernity

The “Absolute Metaphor” of System: Hans Blumenberg, Systems and Modernity
Francis Halsall

Historicity, Idle Talk, and Grounded Discourse
Tony O’Connor

Abandoned Without Reserve To Our Finitude: Virno and ‘Impact’
Sinéad Murphy

D3 (1G05) Moderator: Eoin Carney
Postgraduate Panel 2

Psychopower in Social Networks
Amélie Berger Soraruff

The Problematic Other and the Essence of the Self’s Existential Basis
Iraklis Ioannidis

A Problem Shared: Philosophy, Theatre, Theatrum Mundi
Stephen Whitehead

D4 (1G06)
SEP Business Meeting

D5 (LT1) Moderator: Nicola Liberati
Panel: New Horizons in Philosophy of Technology (2)

Criticisms of Technology and Technologies of Criticism
Lyat Friedman

Do Animals Have Technologies?
Galit Wellner

Cognitive Enhancement in the Light of the Emerging Anthropocenic Condition
Pieter Lemmens

- 4.15–4.30 Crossover Break
- 4.45–6.15 Plenary Speaker 2 (LT1): Rosi Braidotti (Utrecht University)**
Affirmation as Relational Ethical Praxis
- Respondent: James Williams (Deakin University)**
Moderator: Beth Lord (University of Aberdeen)
- 6.15–7.15 Academic Press Wine Reception
- 7.30 Conference Dinner (Malmaison Hotel, across from the train station)

Saturday (5/9)

10.00–11.30 Parallel Panels E (Coffee)

E1 (2G12) Moderator: Maria Dada
Faith or Religion: Conceptualizing the Theological Aspect of Carl Schmitt's Political Theology
Gavin Rae

Reexamining the Political: the Anarchistic Political Philosophy of Jean-Paul Sartre
William Remley

Bartleby's Death
Hannah Wallenfels

E2 (2G13) Moderator: Bill Ross
The Crisis of Eurocentric Sciences
N. Gabriel Martin

Process Philosophy and Cybernetics
Wahida Khandker

Being and Information: On the Meaning of Vattimo
Ashley Woodward

E3 (1G05) Moderator: Michael Burns
Navigating the (Philosophical) Abyss: Realism, Rationalism and Empiricism
Benjamin Norris

Philosophy at the Speculative Frontier: Must Every Thing Go?
Ian James

Dangling Above the Swamps of Nothingness
Calum Neill

E4 (1G06) Moderator: Barry Stocker
Panel: Limits, Borders and Cleaving

Profundity and Strangeness, Touching and Skin: Queer Formalism at the Borders
Helen Palmer

Distinguishing Limits and Borders: Connections between the Hawking-Hartle 'no boundary' Proposal and Deleuze's Immanent Metaphysics
Neill McGinness

11.30–11.45 Coffee Break

11.45–1.15 Parallel Panels F

F1 (2G12) Moderator: Jonathan Owen Clark
Naïveté, Truth Content of Art and Verification of Solipsism: Adorno on Artistic Expression and Aesthetic Experience
Ilias Giannopoulos

Aesthetics of the Real in Jacques Lacan: Beneath or Beyond the Limit?
Emma Ingala

Birthing Movements: Historical Twists and Turns
Susan Spaid

F2 (2G13) Moderator: Andrea Rehberg
Postgraduate Panel 3

On Pain of De-cision: Heidegger's Path Toward an Ethics in Holy Mourning
Max Schaefer

Heidegger's History of Being, the Self-Destruction of History and the Importance of Remembrance
Alişan Genç

The Echoic Irony of Truth: Celan and Heidegger
Fikret Kurt

F3 (1G05) Moderator: Calum Neill
Philosophy Can't Breathe
Carrie Giunta

Living beyond the Frontier: Butler, Derrida and the Precarity of the Decision
Clare Woodford

Unreproductive Maternal Bodies: Miscarriage, Organic Purposefulness, and Aleatory Matter
Victoria Browne

F4 (1G06) Moderator: Henry Somers-Hall
Panel: Affect and Its Vicissitudes in the Twenty-first Century

Brutal-Romance in the Age of Metropolis and Empire
Linnell Secomb

The Affective Logic at Work in Politics: Exploring Images and Art with a Little Help from Rancière
Tina Chanter

The Withdrawal of What Shows Itself: Jean-Luc Nancy on Portraiture
Joanna Hodge

1.15–2.45 Lunch (not provided)

2.45–4.15 Parallel Panels G

G1 (2G12) Moderator: Victoria Browne
Spinoza and an Indeterminate Power of Thought
Beth Lord

Heroes of Pragmatism: French Frontiers
Moritz Gansen

Possibilities of Posthuman Community
Paul Alberts-Dezeeuw

G2 (2G13) Moderator: Helen Palmer
Panel: Limits, Borders and Cleaving

Thresholds of Influence: Towards an 'Alinear' Agency
John Meehan

The Division of Time in Simondon, Deleuze and Prigogine
Edward Thornton

G3 (1G05) Moderator: Scott Gallacher
Postgraduate Panel 4

4.15–4.30 Coffee Break

4.30–6.00 Plenary Speaker 3 (LT1): Lars Iyer (University of Newcastle)
Stupidity

Respondent: Nicholas Davey (University of Dundee)
Moderator: Ashley Woodward (University of Dundee)

6.00 Close of Conference

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Saturday 5/9

On Meillassoux's Several Vectorizations of the Subject
Fintan Neylan

The Notion of Survival in Martin Hägglund's Radical Atheism: Derrida and the Time of Life
Tomas Čiučelis

Do We Owe Dead Animals Respect?
Marc Wilcox

G4 (1G06) Moderator: Walter Pedriali
Sartre and Bergson: Sartre's Logic of Multiplicities
Henry Somers-Hall

Seeing the World Other Than It Is
Brian Smith

Incommensurability and Hermeneutic Philosophy of Science
Harry Lewendon-Evans