

Levinas and the Real

International conference – Flensburg, July 04-06. 2022
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Program and time schedule – Last version !

Monday 04.07. Building Helsinki (HEL), Room 063

10:00 Welcome to participants
10:30 Introduction (Annabel Herzog – Pascal Delhom)

Section I

11:00 Jean-François Rey The "Pathetic of Liberalism" (TI) and the Dignity of Politics
11:20 Paul Davies Levinas, Nietzsche, and the Definition of Christianity
11:40 – 12:10 Discussion

12:30 *Lunch at the University*

Section II: Forgiveness and Hospitality

14:00 Claire Katz The Magdalene Penitents, Reparations, and the Limits of Forgiveness
14:20 Annabel Herzog Levinas and Derrida on Sovereignty and Hospitality.
14:40 – 15:10 Discussion

Pause

Section III: Between Ethics and Politics

15:40 Peter Zeillinger The Social Bond Based on »Exposure« and »Shared Vulnerability«.
Levinas' Criteriology of Political Practice
16:00 Martin Kavka The Problem of Ideal Theory: A Levinasian Approach to Rawls and Race
16:20 – 16:50 Discussion

Pause

Public presentation in the frame of "Philosophie Mittenmang".

18:00 Robert Bernasconi Levinas and the Subject at the Service of the System

20:00 *Dinner downtown*

Tuesday, 05.07. Building Helsinki (HEL), Room 063

Section IV: Between Ethics and Politics II

10:00 Alfred Hirsch The Other in the City – The Question of the Public Space
10:20 Sergej Seitz Beyond Consensualism and Polemology: Levinas's Responsive Idea of the Political
10:40 – 11:10 Discussion

Pause

Section V: The Third Party

11:40	Zeev Harvey	Levinas and Maimonides on "le tiers"
12:00	Barbara U. Meyer	The Other and the Third in Interreligious Thought
12:20 – 12:50	Discussion	

13:00 *Lunch at the University*

Section VI: Talmudic Readings

14:30	Oona Eisenstadt	The Third and Civil Unrest: Levinas's Talmud in Dialogue with the 1960s.
14:50	Hanoch Ben Pazi	Levinas's Talmudic Readings: A way to Radicalize Political Thinking
15:10 – 15:40	Discussion	

Pause

Zoom Presentation

16:10	Michael Morgan	Experiencing Film with Levinas: Reflections on <i>Two Days, One Night</i> by the Dardenne Brothers.
16:30 – 17:00	Discussion	

Free time

19:30 *Dinner downtown*

Wednesday., 06.07. Building Helsinki (HEL), Room 063

Section VII: Jewish experience and Zionism

10:00	Cedric Cohen Scalli	Levinas from migrations and captivity to the liberative figure of the other
10:20	Ephraim Meir	Levinas's and Gandhi's Views on Zionism
10:40 – 11:10	Discussion	

Pause

Section VIII: Levinas in European Context (organized in Cooperation with the ICES)

11:40	Sarah Hammerschlag	Religion After! Levinas's Talmud and post-war European politics
12:00	Pascal Delhom	The Peace of Europe between reason and bad conscience
12:20 – 12:50	Discussion	

13:00 *Lunch at the University*