III. INTERNATIONAL MULTITRACK CONFERENCE ON HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHY

PHILHIST ‘16

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PHILHIST ’16 / III. International Multitrack Conference on History of Philosophy is coordinated by DAKAM (Eastern Mediterranean Academic Research Center) and will be organized by BILSAS (Science, Art, Sport Productions).

Special Focus 1: Subject, Identity and Diversity
What is a subject? And which are its grounds? How can we define Identity and Diversity? Or, is there a sharp limit between ‘Me’ and ‘the other’? Such questions cross the whole history of philosophy, from the ancient Greek notions of hypokeimenon and xenos, to the early modern ideas of subjectum and personal identity, up to the contemporary concepts of sameness, otherness, and difference. This track of the conference aims to analyze and discuss ideas, doctrines, hypotheses, and their implications, with a particular focus on metaphysics, ethics, political philosophy, logic, linguistics, gender philosophy, philosophy of religion.

Special Focus 2: Interactions among Medieval and Renaissance Philosophy- On Interpretation of the Aristotelian Philosophy
One of the purposes of conference is to explore the interactions among Medieval and Renaissance Philosophy under the influence of the Aristotelian Philosophy. The main fields widely discussed and flourished through these two periods are: natural philosophy and philosophy of science, epistemology, logic, ethics, metaphysics and politics. All the papers addressing to the above topics are welcomed.

Special Focus 3: Interactions in Modern Philosophy
All types of interaction (interactions between different regions and lands, unexpected historical links, contact of individuals or even the concept of inter-textuality itself) can be defined as one of the central sources for the history of philosophy.

On a heterogeneous basis full of conflict and complementation, every idea causes reaction and every idea transforms itself by transforming another one. A re-evaluation of history of modern philosophy seems to be exciting with an interdisciplinary point of view in both partial and large scales.
HALL A / PLANERY SESSION

10:00   Registration

10:30   Keynote Lecture: Lucas Thorpe, Boğaziçi University

Lecture Title: "Kantian Humanity and Chimps"

He has also taught in the philosophy departments at Bilkent University and St Andrews University. He received his PhD from the University of Pennsylvania, working with Paul Guyer. He works mainly on Kant and early modern philosophy and on contemporary ethics, political philosophy, and ethics.

Books:
Thorpe, Lucas, The Kant Dictionary, Continuum International Publishing Group (Under Contract)
Thorpe, Lucas and Payne, Charlton (eds.) Kant and the Concept of Community, A North American Kant Society Special Volume, University of Rochester Press (forthcoming, April 2011)

11:05   Discussion
11:15   Coffee Break
HALL A / SESSION 1

CHAIR: Efe Duyan

11:30 Michal Ohana (BGU)
Aristotelian Philosophy among Jews in 17th Century Morocco

11:45 Spyridon Stelios (National Technical University of Athens)
I Believe I am: Ontology, Epistemology and the Self

12:00 Abdullah Onur Aktaş (Çankırı University)
Schopenhauer's Will and Divine Self-Love in Sufi Mystics

12:15 Discussion
12:30 Lunch

HALL B / SESSION 1

11:30 Alper Türken (Boğaziçi University)
Hegel’s Theory of Self and the Infinite Drive

11:45 Uri Landesberg (Minerva Humanities Center, Tel Aviv University)
Hegel Following Levinas: Towards a Notion of Immanent Otherness by Way of the 'Phenomenology of Spirit'

12:00 Laura Abbatino (École Normale Supérieure)
From Kant’s «Aesthetic Idea» to Schumann’s «Poetic Idea»

12:15 Discussion
12:30 Lunch
HALL A / SESSION 2

CHAIR:  Abdullah Onur Aktaş

13:30  Jonathan Shaheen (Ghent University)
Cavendish on Accidents: Identification and Reduction Strategies

13:45  Daniel Cojanu and Marius Badea (Valahia University of Târgoviște)
Some Philosophical Remarks on Cultural Identity

14:00  Pompiliu Alexandru and Adrian Cojanu (Valahia University of Targoviste)
Fictional Identity. Ontology and Psychology of Identity

14:15  Discussion
14:30  Coffee Break

HALL B / SESSION 2

CHAIR:  Alper Türken

13:30  Fehmi Ünsalan (Kocaeli University)
Self-Consciousness As Part of The Philosophical Foundation of Modern Subject

13:45  Türkan Fırıncı Orman (Başkent University)
Science Model of Imre Lakatos

14:00  Ahmet Eyim (Yüzüncü Yıl University)
D. M. Armstrong’s Views on Dispositions and the Causal Theory of Mind

14:15  Discussion
14:30  Coffee Break
**SESSION 3**

**HALL A / SESSION 3**

**CHAIR:** Spyridon Stelios

14:50 **Massimo Vittorio** (University of Catania)
An English Cartesian: John Norris’ Theory Of Love

15:05 **Bora Erdağ** (Kocaeli University)
Emergency Call for the Perpetual Peace

15:20 **Simon Boxley** (University of Winchester)
Green-Left Interactions: Unearthing Dietzgen Amidst the Roots of Deep Ecology

15:35 Discussion
15:50 Coffee Break

**HALL B / SESSION 3**

**CHAIR:** Deniz Ertuğ

14:50 **Claudia Matteini** (University of Turin)
The Concept of Lumen Naturale in Descartes

15:05 **Asu Besgen,** (Karadeniz Technical University) Ömer Aslanoz (Karadeniz Technical University) and Manfredo Manfredini (The University of Auckland)
The Two Faces of Janus: Philosophy and Architecture from Nietzsche’s Point of View

15:20 Virtual Presentation: **Maria Valadas** (Michigan State University)
"I am My Wounds" - Vulnerability as an Ontological Condition of Subjectivity

15:35 Discussion
15:50 Coffee Break
SESSION 4

HALL A / SESSION 4

CHAIR: Claudia Matteini

16:10 James Griffith (Bratislava International School of Liberal Arts)
Art and the Chief Use of Wisdom in Descartes

16:25 Çiçek Coşkun (Başkent University)
Film Festivals and Cultural Identity

16:40 Gonca Demir (Istanbul Technical University)
Turkish Folk Music Phonetic Notation System/TFMPNS Characteristics of Philosolect-Musicolect: A Case Study of Urfa Region

16:55 Virtual Presentation: Emilio Maria De Tommaso (University of Calabria)
Damaris Masham and Catharine Trotter on The Naturally Rational and Social Identity of Human Beings

17:10 Discussion
17:30 Closing and Certificate Ceremony

HALL B / SESSION 4

16:10 Roohallah Alizadeh (Azad Islamic University of East Tehran)
Philosophers and the Esoteric Interpretation of the Qur’an in Ibn Rushd

16:25 Türkan Fırıncı Orman (Başkent University)
Popper’s View on Social Sciences and the Position of Sociology

16:40 Deniz Ertuğ (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens)
On Creation of Autonomous Man: A Castoridian Perspective

16:55 Discussion
17:30 Closing and Certificate Ceremony
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