

International philosophical conference

## Politics and morality

Institute of Philosophy

Ulica grada Vukovara 54/V, Zagreb, Croatia

October 18-20, 2017

### Wednesday, October 18

9.00 *Opening of the conference*

9.15 Christoph Horn (University of Bonn, Germany)  
*Moral Foundations of Politics: The Idea of Normative Individualism*

10.15 *Coffee break*

10.30 Jure Zovko (Institute of Philosophy, Zagreb, Croatia)  
*The Importance of Institutional Morality*

11.10 Neven Petrović (University of Rijeka, Croatia)  
*Judging Politicians Morally*

11.50 *Coffee break*

12.10 Anderson Borges (Free University, Berlin, Germany)  
*Political Normativity and Contestatory Politics*

12.50 Marin Beroš (Institute of Social Sciences "Ivo Pilar", Zagreb, Croatia)  
*Honor in Politics – an Obsolete Idea?*

13.30 *Lunch break*

15.00 Jeff Haines (Florida State University, USA)  
*Democracy Versus Justice? The Dark Side of Democratic Accountability*

15.40 Viktor Ivanković (Central European University, Budapest, Hungary)  
*On Experts and Democratic Falsification*

16.20 *Coffee break*

16.40 Charles Richardson  
*Can Democracy Be Moral As Well As Practical?*

17.20 Maroje Višić (Zagreb, Croatia)  
*On "Repressive tolerance"*

## Thursday, October 19

- 9.30 Neven Sesardić (Zagreb, Croatia)  
*Hiroshima for philosophers*
- 10.30 *Coffee break*
- 11.00 Adam Cebula (Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University, Warsaw, Poland)  
*Ius ad bellum vs. ius in bello: an unbridgeable divide? On Michael Walzer's principle of moral equality of soldiers*
- 11.40 Stipe Buzar (Libertas International University, Zagreb, Croatia)  
*Carr as Thucydides' ghostwriter. The paradox of realism and morality in foreign policy*
- 12.20 Davor Pečnjak & Tomislav Janović (Institute of Philosophy & University of Zagreb, Croatia),  
*Responsibility and Autonomous Weapons Systems*
- 13.00 *Lunch break*
- 15.00 Jinyu Sun (University College London, London, UK)  
*Compliance Is Complicity: Where the Natural Duty Theorists Are Right and Where They Are Wrong*
- 15.40 Boran Berčić (University of Rijeka, Croatia)  
*Explaining Inequalities*
- 16.20 Marin Biondić (University of Rijeka, Croatia)  
*Death as Punishment – Epicurean Perspectives*

## Friday, October 20

- 9.30 Saverio Alessandro Matrangolo (University of Bergamo, Italy)  
*Giving politics a moral ground in a world of Dissent. Jan Patočka and the experience of Charter '77.*
- 10.10 Pablo Irizar (KU Leuven, Belgium)  
*Stuck between the sacred and the profane: the Church as "some form of justice" according to Ambrose of Milan*
- 10.50 Mai Oki-Suga (Japan Society for the Promotion of Science / University of Tübingen, Germany)  
*Good Poetry in the Ideal Polis: An Interpretation of Plato's Moral Education*
- 11.30 *Coffee break*
- 12.00 Emil Kujundžić (University of Zagreb, Croatia)  
*The role of morality in Croatian politics*
- 12.40 Masataka Oki (Tokai University & University of Tübingen, Germany)  
*Homo homini deus et lupus? On the Scope of Political Association in Spinoza*
- 13.20 Gašper Pirc (University of Ljubljana, Slovenia)  
*Social imaginary and the persistence of tradition*
- 14.00 *Closing of the conference*