



Department of Politics and International Studies

Ninth Annual Graduate Conference In Political Theory Saturday 17 February 2007

Social Studies Building: Rooms SO. 169, SO.19, SO.20

Programme

9.40 - 10.00	Welcome Coffee
10.00 - 11.15	Plenary Session. Room: S0.20. Dr. Stuart White (University of Oxford) 'Religious Exemptions in a Society of Equals'
	Chair: Matthew Clayton
11.20 - 12.30	Graduate Session One: Panels A, B, C
12.30 - 1.10	Lunch
1.10 - 2.20	Graduate Session Two: Panels D, E, F
2.25 - 3:35	Graduate Session Three: Panels G, H, I
3:35 - 3:50	Tea
3.50 - 5.00	Graduate Session Four: Panels J, K, L
5.05 - 6.20	Plenary Session. Room: SO.20. Prof. Peter Jones (Univ. of Newcastle) 'Jerry Springer and the Danish Cartoons: Should Offence Matter?'
	Chair: Andrew Reeve
6.20 -	Wine Reception

GRADUATE PANELS

Please note that panel times will be strictly observed. Presenters are requested to keep their presentations to a maximum of 20 minutes.

Session One: 11.20-12.30

A Rm: TBC Chair Andrew Reeve

'Republicanism and commercial republic', Jessica Kimpell, University of Oxford

'The Rousseauian Interpretation of Justice as Fairness' Juha Rudanko, University of York

B Rm: TBC Chair Fabienne Peter

'Transitional democracy and the 'all affected' principle Johan Karlsson, University of Gothenburg

'Land for states, individuals and groups' Bas van der Vossen, University of Oxford

C Rm: TBC Chair Ed Page

'The liberal communitarian debate: a way out of the impasse' Lucy Arnold, University of Leicester

'Are Justice and fraternity (potentially) conflicting values?' Nicholas Vrousalis, University of Oxford

Session Two: 1:10-2:20

D Rm: TBC Chair Andrew Williams

'Levelling Down, individual welfare and the badness of inequality' Gabriel Wollner, University of Oxford

'A defence of sufficientarianism' Clare Heyward, University of Birmingham

E Rm: TBC Chair Andrew Reeve

'Recovering the ongoing conversation: Epistemological arguments for liberty and democracy in Mill, Hobbhouse and Hobson' Julia Skorupska, University of Oxford

'Using lotteries to adjudicate between groups' Ben Saunders, Unniversity of Oxford

F Rm: TBC Chair Ed Page

'From State of Nature to Social Contract' Marshall Sanen, University of Nottingham

'Democractisation theory and human nature' Doron Shultiner, University of Oxford

Session Three: 2.25-2.35

G Rm TBC Chair Matthew Clayton

Fall and rise of desert in moral philosophy Göran Duus-Ötterström, University of Gothenburg

'School choice, school selection, and equal opportunity' Nat Coleman, University of Oxford

H Rm: TBC Chair Andrew Reeve

'Basic ideas of the principle of fairness' Dong-il Kim, University of Warwick

'Pure process defended' Jordan Dodd, Syracuse University

I Rm: TBC Chair Ed Page

'Failing to resist surveillance: a discursive approach' David Wills, University of Nottingham

'Theory from practice, theory in practice: conceptualising horizontal politics'

Eloise Harding, University of Nottingham

Session Four: 3.50-5.00

J Rm: TBC Chair Fabienne Peter

'The concept of freedom in Kant, Schiller and Arendt' Szilagyi-Gal Mihaly, University of Debrecen

'Reason, Recognition and Rouseauian Democracy' Oran Moked, University of Columbia

K Rm: TBC Chair Andrew Williams

'Non-institutional egalitarian cosmopolitanism: a twofold critique' Laura Valenti, University College London

'Swings and roundabouts: responsibility and opportunity in the Global Economy'
Carl Cullinane, University of Oxford

L Rm: TBC Chair Andres Moles

'Public Justification, Publicity and Demoracy' Dean Machin, University of Bristol

'Democracy in Dworkin's comprehensive liberalism' Laurens van Apeldorn, University of Oxford