

Prospects for an Ethics of Self-Cultivation

Hellenistic Ethics from Nietzsche to Foucault

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

Thursday 25th September

- 11:00–12:00 REGISTRATION
Social Sciences Cafe
- 12:00–12:15 WELCOME: Matthew Dennis (University of Warwick)
Social Sciences 0.21
- 12:15–14:15 WORKSHOP: **Dr. John Sellars** (King's College London)
What was Hellenistic Philosophy?

Social Sciences 0.21
Chair: Sander Werkhoven
- 14:15–15:00 TEA & COFFEE
- 15:00–16:30 PLENARY: **Dr. Kurt Lampe** (University of Bristol)
Kristeva, the Stoics, and the Life of Interpretation

Social Sciences 0.21
Chair: Dr. Simon Scott
Respondent: Emma Syea
- 16:30–17:00 TEA & COFFEE
- 17:00–18:30 KEYNOTE ADDRESS: **Prof. Keith Ansell-Pearson** (University of Warwick)
Self-Cultivation as an Ethics of Resistance: On Nietzsche's Dawn

Social Sciences 0.21
Chair: Thomas Ryan
- 18:30–20:00 WINE RECEPTION

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Friday 26th September

10:00–11:30 PLENARY: **Prof. Beatrice Han-Pile** (University of Essex)
Hope and Agency

Social Sciences 0.21
Chair: Prof. Stuart Elden
Respondent: Adam Arnold

11:30–12:00 TEA & COFFEE

12:00–13:30 SESSION 1: Social Sciences 0.18
Chair: Andrew Russell

Thomas Ryan (Monash University)
*Amor Fati: Nietzsche's Anti-Hellenistic
Love of Fate*

Mariangela Pellegrini (Sorbonne)
*Nietzsche and Foucault Against the
'Education of the Time'*

SESSION 2: Social Sciences 0.17
Chair: Sander Werkhoven

Dr. Andrew Tyler (Warwick)
*The Poverty of the Surplus: Overcoming
Accumulation through an Ethics of
Self-realisation*

Thomas Kriza (FU Berlin)
*How the Conception of Truth Affects the
Modern Revival of Antique Ethical
Self-Cultivation*

13:30–14:30 LUNCH

14:30–16:00 SESSION 1: Social Sciences 0.18
Chair: Bethany Harris

James Muldoon (Monash University)
Self-Cultivation and the Indebted Subject

Hedwig Gaasterland (Leiden)
*Hellenistic Lessons in Nietzsche's
Gay Science IV for Dealing with Fate*

SESSION 2: Social Sciences 0.17
Chair: Li Li

Dr. Anna Bergqvist (MMU)
*Moral Perfection and Situated Evaluative
Thought*

Jonathan Head (Keele)
Schopenhauer and the Stoics

16:00–16:30 TEA & COFFEE

16:30–18:00 PLENARY: **Dr. Edward Harcourt** (Oxford University)
Nietzsche and the Virtues

Social Sciences 0.21
Chair: Matthew Dennis
Respondent: James Kay

18:30 CONFERENCE DINNER (Le Gusta)

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Saturday 27th September

10:00–11:30 PLENARY: **Dr. David Webb** (Staffordshire)
Truth-Telling in Foucault's Account of the Constitution of the Subject

Social Sciences 0.21
Chair: Dr. Erzsebet Strauz
Respondent: Jeffrey Pickernell

11:30–12:00 TEA & COFFEE

12:00–13:30 SESSION 1: Social Sciences 0.18
Chair: Emily Harding

Neil Durrant (Monash University)
*The Significance of Personal Relationships
in Nietzsche's Middle Period*

Dr. Lisa Hicks (Stanford University)
*Cultivating What Self? Philosophy as
Therapy in the Genealogy of Morals and
Hellenistic Ethics*

SESSION 2: Social Sciences 0.17
Chair: Catherine Padbury

Alexander Badman-King (Exeter)
Askesis and Elitism

13:30–14:30 LUNCH

14:30–16:00 SESSION 1: Social Sciences 0.18
Chair: Alexander McCord

Andre Okawara (Monash University)
The Physiological Character of Values

Dr. Ashley Woodward (Dundee)
*Nietzsche, Transhumanism, and
Technologies of the Self*

SESSION 2: Social Sciences 0.17
Chair: Dr. Zeynep Talay

Dr. Heikki Kovalainen (Tampere)
*Self-Culture as Religion: Emersonian
Ethics and Spirituality*

Dr. Matthew Sharpe (Deakin)
Pierre Hadot, the Invisible Philosopher

16:00–16:30 TEA & COFFEE

16:30–18:00 PLENARY: **Prof. Daniel Conway** (Texas A & M University)
Elegy and Affirmation in Nietzsche's Ecce Homo

Social Sciences 0.21
Chair: Prof. Stephen Houlgate
Respondent: Lorenzo Serini

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