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# PROGRAMME

## THURSDAY (26.03.2015) I (Large Hall)

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| 9:00-9:10    | Opening  |
| 9:10-10:10   | <i>Key-note lecture:</i><br>Paul WEINGARTNER, The Problem of the Definition<br>or Description of God in Gödel's and Other Ontological Proofs |
| 10:15 -10:45 | Gianfranco BASTI, A Formalization of Aquinas Theory of<br>Creation as Participation of Being (40)  |
|              | Chair: S. Kovač  |
| 10:45-11:15  | Coffee break   |
| 11.15-12:05  | Robert PIŁAT, Human Rationality in Light of Decision Theory (40)   |
| 12:10-13:00  | Ivica MARTINOVIC, The Concept of the <i>Infiniti mysteria</i> in<br>Bošković's Geometrical Investigations (40)                               |
|              | Chair: K. Świątorzecka   |

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## THURSDAY (26.03.2015) II

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| 15-15:50    | Andrzej PIĘTRUSZCZAK, Tomasz JARMUŻEK, A Formalization<br>of Anselmian Ontological Argument (40, Large Hall) |
|             | Chair: M. Tkaczyk  |
|             | <i>Section (Room A)</i>  |
| 16:00-16:50 | Kordula ŚWIĘTORZECKA, Non-Fregean Framework for the<br>'Slingshot' Effect in Gödelian Ontology (40)          |
| 16:55-17:25 | Mieczysław OMYŁA, Possible Worlds in non-Fregean<br>Theories (20)  |
|             | Chair: J. Czermak  |
| 17:25-17:45 | Coffee break   |
| 17:45-18:15 | Edward NIEZNAŃSKI, Gödel's <i>summum bonum</i><br>vs. Leibniz's <i>ratio sufficiens</i> (20)                 |
| 18:20-18:50 | Srećko KOVAČ, Causal Interpretation of Gödel's Ontotheology (20)   |
| 18:55-19:25 | Piotr ORZESZEK, Logical Structure of Leibnizian<br>and Bolzano's Argument for the Existence of God (20)      |
|             | Chair: T. Jarmużek   |

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| <i>Section (Room B)</i> |   |
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| 16:00-16:30             | Anna LEMAŃSKA, Philosophy of Nature and Its Method (20)   |
| 16:35-17:05             | Zvonimir ČULJAK, Reliability and Meta-Reliability in the Structure of Epistemic Justification (20)            |
| 17:10-17:40             | Anna BROŽEK, Alicja CHYBIŃSKA, Analysis of the Concept of Chance. On the Margin of Kotarbińska's Article (20) |
| Chair: F. Grgić         |   |
| 17:40-18:00             | Coffee break  |
| 18:00-18:30             | Samuel FLETCHER, Counterfactuals within Scientific Theories (40)  |
| 18:35-19:05             | Kristina ŠEKRT, Complexity Theory, Machine Learning and Philosophy of Mind: Preliminary Reports (20)          |
| 19:10-19:40             | Christian FELDBACHER, Definitionism (20)  |
| Chair: R. Piłat         |   |

*FRIDAY(27.03.2015) I (Large Hall)*

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| 9:00-10:00       | <i>Key-note lecture:</i><br>André FUHRMANN, Gödel's Ontological Argument in the Public Eye                                      |
| 10.05-10:55      | Audre Jean BROKES, A Frege-Geach Style Problem for Knowledge Closure Schemas (40)   |
| Chair: G. Basti  |   |
| 10:55.11:25      | Coffee break  |
| 11.25-12:15      | Johannes CZERMAK, Some Extensions and Certain Interpretation of Gödel's Theological System (40)                                 |
| 12.20 -12:50     | Flavia MARCACCI, Modal Relationship between History and of Epistemology about Science for a Historical Ontology of Science (20) |
| Chair: Z. Čuljak |   |

*FRIDAY (27.03.2015) II*

- 14:30-15:20 Marcin TKACZYK, Many Valued Logics and Future Contingents (40, Large Hall)

Chair: A. Lemańska

*Section (Room A)*

- 15:35-16:25 Berislav ŽARNIĆ, Gabriela BAŠIĆ, Social Dynamics of Common Knowledge (40)
- 16:30-17:00 Marian TURZAŃSKI, Arrow's Impossibility Theorem. Political Philosophy, Aristotelian Logic and Nowadays Mathematics (20)

Chair: A. J. Brokes

- 17:00-17:30 Coffee Break

- 17:30-18:00 Albert J.J. ANGLBERGER, The Open Reading of Permission and its Logic(s) (20)

- 18:05-18:35 Bartłomiej SKOWRON, Defense of the Theory of Ideas (20)

- 18:40-19:10 Ivan RESTOVIĆ, Brouwer's Logic (20)

Chair: M. Nasieniewski

*Section (Room B)*

- 15.35-16:05 Grzegorz BUGAJAK, The 'Substrative' Concept of Matter (20)
- 16:10-16:40 Filip GRGIĆ, Aristotle and the Principle of Alternate Possibilities (20)
- 16:45-17:15 Tonči KOKIĆ, Challenges of the Philosophical and Scientific Explanations of the Origin of First Life (20)

Chair: C. Feldbacher

- 17:15.17:35 Coffee break

- 17:35-18:05 Janina BUCZKOWSKA, Normativity of Meaning in Natural Language and Languages of Scientific Theories. Logical and Epistemological Relationships Between Meaning and Usage (20)

- 18:10-18:40 Boris KOŽNJAK, Should Scientific Realists Rely on Technological Success? (20)

- 18:45-19:15 Anna KOCSIS, Mechanistic and Computational Explanations in Neuroscience (20)

Chair: G. Bugajak

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SATURDAY (28.03.2015) I (Large Hall)

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9:00-9.50 Dragan POLJAK, Mirko JAKIĆ, On the Character and Use of Physical Models (40)

9.55-10:45 Stamatios GEROGIORGAKIS, Revisionist Demarcationism and Formal Criteria for Genuine Explanations (40)

Chair: B. Žarnić

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10:45-11:15 Coffee break

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*Section (Room A)*

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11:15-12:05 Andrzej PIETRUSZCZAK, Marek NASIENIEWSKI, A Modal Logic Over Jaśkowski's Discursive Logic  $D_2$  (40)

12:10-12:40 Laurenz HUDETZ, Spacetime Points as Classes of Mereotopologically Structured Basic Entities (20)

12:45-13:15 Marek PORWOLIK, Laurent Larouche's and Eugeniusz Żabski's Axiomatic Definitions of Genidentity (20)

Chair: M. Omyła

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*Section (Room B)*

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11:15-11:45 Tomasz JARMUŻEK, Metatheory of Tableau Systems (20)

11:50-12:20 Janusz WESSERLING, Three-Valued Logic of Beliefs Based on Kleene's and Bochwar's Ideas (20)

12:25-13:15 Vladimir LOBOVIKOV, Discrete Mathematical Representations of the Heresies of Pelagius and Leo Tolstoy, and of their Interrelations with St. Augustine's Doctrine of Grace and Free Choice (40)

Chair: S. Gerogiorgakis

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Closing session (Large Hall)

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13:20 -13:40 Franjo SOKOLIĆ, Basic Concepts in Physics (20)

13:40-14:10 General discussion and closing

Chair: D. Poljak

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