

The Scottish Postgraduate Philosophy Association

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THE UNIVERSITY of EDINBURGH

MIND2005

GRADUATE CONFERENCE ON PHILOSOPHY OF MIND, 30 JUNE-1 JULY 2005

Programme

(All talks will be held in the Informatics Conference Room, 2 Buccleuch Place, unless specified otherwise)

Thursday, 30th June

9:30 – 10am **Registration**

10am – 11:30 **Keynote talk**

Concepts: Representations or Abilities? Professor Hans-Johan Glock (University of Reading)

(Chair: Dr Peter Milne, University of Edinburgh)

11:30-11:45 **Break**

11:45 – 1pm

Two problems with Peacocke's theory of concepts, Asun Alvarez (King's College London)

response by Professor Christopher Peacocke (Columbia University in the City of New York)

(Chair: David Harris, University College London)

1pm – 2pm **Lunch**

Split Graduate Sessions:

Informatics Conference Room

Kemp Smith Room, DHT

2pm – 3:15

Markus Schlosser (University of St. Andrews)

On the causal exclusion argument – In defence of non-reductive physicalism

response by Zoë Payne (University of Edinburgh)

(Chair: Lottie Hanson, University of Edinburgh)

Julian Kiverstein (University of Edinburgh)

An enactive account of phenomenal intentionality

response by Dr David Levy (University of Edinburgh)

(Chair: Christoph Kelp, University of Stirling)

3:15-3:30 **Break**

3:30 – 4:45

Treasa Campbell (University of Limerick)

Human philosophy: Hume on natural instincts and belief formation

response by Dr Andrew Mason (University of Edinburgh)

(Chair: Lisa McKeown, University of Edinburgh)

Charlie Pelling (University of Reading)

Conceptualism, demonstrative colour concepts, and illusions

response by Dimitris Platchias (University of Glasgow)

(Chair: Lottie Hanson, University of Edinburgh)

4:45 – 5pm **Break**

5pm – 6:15

Richard Hamilton (Trinity College Dublin)

Heidegger and the possibility of AI and modelling the mind

response by Julian Kiverstein (University of Edinburgh)

(Chair: Lisa McKeown, University of Edinburgh)

6:30 **Wine Reception** (Kemp Smith Room)

8pm **Conference Dinner** (Dining Room, Teviot Row House)

Friday, 1st July

10am – 11:30 **Keynote talk**

Externalism and the explanation of action, Professor Timothy Williamson (University of Oxford)
(Chair: Professor Dory Scaltsas, University of Edinburgh)

11:30-11:45 **Break**

11:45 – 1pm

Perception and phenomenal modes of presentation, Anders Nes (University of Oslo)
response by Dr Matthew Nudds (University of Edinburgh)
(Chair: Ezio Di Nucci, University of Edinburgh)

1pm-2pm **Lunch**

Split Graduate Sessions:

Informatics Conference Room

Informatics Seminar Room

2pm – 3:15

Dave Ward (University of Edinburgh)
Deflationism about qualia
response by Richard Clarkson (University of Durham)
(Chair: Astrid Johnston)

Nick Jones (University of Nottingham)
Change blindness and counterfactual dependence
response by Christoph Kelp (University of Stirling)
(Chair: Ezio Di Nucci, University of Edinburgh)

3:15 – 3:30 **Break**

3:30 – 4:45

Gloria Ayob (University of Warwick)
Can conscious attention restore uncritical realism?
response by Tom Roberts (University of Edinburgh)
(Chair: Zoë Payne, University of Edinburgh)

Francisco Pereira (King's College London)
Disjunctivism and the intentional theory of perception
response by Matthew Conduct (University of Durham)
(Chair: Astrid Johnston)

4:45-5pm **Break**

5pm – 6:30 **Keynote talk**

Understanding: Justification, Realism, and the Past, Professor Christopher Peacocke (Columbia University)
(Chair: Conor McHugh, University of Edinburgh)

6:30 **Farewell Drinks**

Locations



Location (a):
2 Buccleuch Place: Location of the Informatics
Conference and Seminar Rooms

Location (b):
David Hume Tower: Location of the Kemp
Smith Room (3rd Floor)

Location (c):
Teviot Row House: Location of the Dining
Room (for conference meal)

(For more information about how to get to
the conference locations, please see the
conference website)