



Conference for Germany/Hong Kong
Joint Research Scheme:
Concepts of Rationality

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Date: 18-19 Sept 2014

Time: 10:00-18:00

Venue: NA Library, CUHK



Programme Rundown

DAY One: 18 Sept 2014 (Thursday)

9:30-10:00	Opening Ceremony Prof. Kam-ching CHEUNG Prof. Chong-fuk LAU
10:00-11:00	Moderator: Lei ZHONG Presentation : Michael FORSTER (University of Bonn) “Parmenides’ Paradox of Not-being and the Beginning of Metaphysics”
11:00-12:00	Moderator: Lei ZHONG Presentation : Wai-Ming HO (The Chinese University of Hong Kong) “Knowing as seeing: Eleusinian Mysteries and Plato’s Ladder of Love”
12:00-14:00	Lunch
14:00-15:00	Moderator: Kit-Hung LO Guido KREIS (University of Bonn) “Sensibility and Rationality: Placing Perception within the Space of Reasons”
15:00-16:00	Moderator: Kit-Hung LO Chong-Fuk LAU (The Chinese University of Hong Kong) “The Tribunal of Reason: From Kantian Dualism to Hegelian Holism and Beyond”
16:00-16:15	Break
16:15-17:15	Moderator: Tze-wan KWAN Stephan ZIMMERMANN (University of Bonn) “Reason and History: The Historicity of Reason”
17:45-19:30	Dinner

DAY Two: 19 Sept 2014 (Friday)

10:00-11:00	Moderator: Zhi-hua YAO Presentation : Mario WENNING (University of Macau) “Defending Reason against its Devotees: Romanticism and Daoism on the Dialectics of Enlightenment”
11:00-12:00	Moderator: Zhi-hua YAO Presentation : Kwok-Kui WONG (Hong Kong Baptist University) “Schelling and Laozi on the Limits of Reason”
12:00-14:00	Lunch
14:00-15:00	Moderator: Kam-ching CHEUNG Presentation : Christian WENZEL (National Taiwan University) “Rationality and Freedom in Kant and Zhuangzi”
15:00-16:00	Moderator: Kam-ching CHEUNG Presentation : David CHAI (The Chinese University of Hong Kong) “Overcoming the Oblivion of Being with non-Rationalism: A Study of Zhuangzi and Heidegger”
16:00-16:15	Break
16:15-17:15	Moderator: Chong-fuk LAU Kai MARCHAL (Soochow University Taiwan) “Reason, Culture, Particularity”
17:15-17:45	Closing Ceremony
18:00-20:00	Dinner