Hegel and Freedom

A Joint Conference of the
Hegel Society of Great Britain and the
Society for German Idealism and Romanticism

St Edmund Hall, Oxford

2-3 September 2019

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Monday, September 2

9:00 am
Conference registration

Session 1

9:30 - 11:00
John McCumber (UCLA): “Freedom and the Logic of Identity in Hegel”

Coffee Break

11:30 am to 1:00 pm
Eliza Starbuck Little (University of Chicago): “The Self-Exhibition of Freedom: Hegel’s Reinterpretation of Kantian Reflective Judgment”

1:00 - Lunch

Session 2

2:00 to 3:30
Alison Stone (Lancaster University): “Freedom & Nature in Hegel & Schelling”

Coffee Break

4:00 to 5:30
Héctor Alberto Ferreiro (Pontifical Catholic University of Argentina): “Hegel’s Compatibilist Theory of Freedom”

5:45 to 7:15
Robert Stern (University of Sheffield): “‘This is the very essence of the Reformation: Man is in his very nature destined to be free’. Hegel, Luther and Freedom”

7:30 - Dinner
Tuesday, September 3

Session 3

9:30 am to 11:00

Angelica Nuzzo (Brooklyn College, CUNY): “Hegel on the Actuality of Freedom: Beyond Ideal Theory”

Coffee Break

11:30 am to 12:15 pm

Simon Schüz (University of Tübingen): “Being Free as Setting Free: The Balancing of Realism and Anti-realism about Moral Norms in Hegel’s Critique of ‘Conscience’”

12:15 pm to 1:00 pm

Ana-Silvia Munte (University of Tübingen): “Spirit’s Liberation from Nature — A Matter of the System”

1:00 – Lunch

Session 4

2:00 to 3:30

Thomas Khurana: (University of Essex): “The Life of Freedom: Hegel’s Dialectical Naturalism”

3:30 pm – Conference Ends
Registration And Lodgings

HSGB / SGIR 2019 Conference Registration Form

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To register for the conference, please e mail this form to: sebastian.stein@oxon.org or return it by post to: Dr Sebastian Stein, Unterer Fauler Pelz 3, 69117 Heidelberg, Germany. Then please pay by Pay Pal (see HSGB conference website: https://hegel-society.org.uk/conference/2019/) OR by sending the appropriate payment to Dr Stein at the above address. However you choose to pay, please send a completed registration form to Dr Stein. Otherwise, we will not have a record of your registration. All registration forms should reach Dr Stein by Thursday, August 8th 2019.

Cheques should be made payable to ‘Hegel Society of Great Britain’. Receipts will be issued by e mail.

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Registration fee £ ........
(£20.00 waged, £10.00 students/unwaged)

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| Standard (Non-en-suite) single room Bed & Breakfast, Sun 1st Sept @ £43.00 | £ ........ |
| Standard (Non-en-suite) single room Bed & Breakfast, Mon 2nd Sept @ £43.00 | £ ........ |
| Single en-suite room Bed & Breakfast, Sun 1st Sept @ £55.00 | £ ........ |
| Single en-suite room Bed & Breakfast, Mon 2nd Sept @ £55.00 | £ ........ |
| Twin En-suite Bed & Breakfast, Sun 1st Sept @ £96.00 | £ ........ |
| Twin En-suite Bed & Breakfast, Mon 2nd Sept @ £96.00 | £ ........ |
| Dinner, Sun 1st Sept (w/o wine) @ £26.00 | £ ........ |
| Lunch, Mon 2nd Sept @ £16.00 | £ ........ |
| Dinner, Mon 2nd Sept (w/o wine) @ £26.00 | £ ........ |
| Lunch, Tues 3rd Sept @ £16.00 | £ ........ |
| Tea/coffee, Mon 2nd Sept @ £6.00 | £ ........ |
| Tea/coffee, Tues 3rd Sept @ £3.00 | £ ........ |

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Participants requiring additional accommodation on, e.g., Saturday and / or Tuesday, please include extra payment at Bed & Breakfast prices listed above. Please state night(s) for which additional accommodation is required:

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SGIR Information Looking Ahead

   - Keynote Speakers:
     - Allen Speight (Boston University)
     - Violetta Waibel (University of Vienna)

2. **2021 Sixth Annual SGIR Conference**, “Goethe, Idealism, and Romanticism” (Boston University, October 2021)
   - Keynote Speakers: David Wellbery (University of Chicago)
   - TBA

3. **2019 SGIR Session at the Germanic Studies Association**: “Poetic Sensorium of Romanticism”
   - October, 2019 – Portland, OR
   - Chair: Daniel Carranza (University of Chicago)
   - Speakers:
     - Hannah Eldridge (University of Wisconsin, Madison)
     - “Science as System: Gottfried Hermann”
     - Michael House (University of South Carolina)
     - “Before There Were Things: Hölderlin’s Hyperion and the Skeptical Poetics of Immediacy”
     - Martha Helfer (Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey)
     - The Subterranean Sublime”
   - Commentator: – Karl Ameriks (University of Notre Dame)

4. **2020 Eastern APA Sessions (Philadelphia):**
   - (i) AMC "Hegel’s Aesthetics: The Art of Idealism,”
     - Oxford UP
     - Author: Lydia Moland (Colby College)
     - Critics: TBA
   - (ii) TBA
5. **2020 Central APA Sessions (Chicago):**

(i) “**Thinking and the I: Hegel and the Critique of Kant,**” Northwestern UP  
Author: Alfredo Ferrarin (University of Pisa)  
Critics:  
Tobias Rosefeldt (Humboldt University of Berlin)  
Clinton Tolley (University of California, San Diego)

(ii) “**For the Love of Metaphysics: Nihilism and the Conflict of Reason from Kant to Rosenzweig,**” Oxford UP  
Author: Karin Nisenbaum (Boston College)  
Critics:  
Lara Ostaric (Temple University)  
Omri Boehm (The New School)  
Naomi Fisher (Loyola University)

(iii) **Fichte on Summons and Recognition**  
Speakers:  
Michelle Kosch (Cornell University)  
Tobias Rosefeldt (Humboldt University of Berlin)  
Critical responses:  
Elizabeth Millan (DePaul University)

(iii) **Institutionalism and Recognition in Hegel**  
Speakers:  
Timothy Brownlee (Xavier University)  
Kevin Thompson (DePaul University)