Kantian Legacies in German Idealism

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Saturday, October 14  (Morning)

All sessions will be held at the Stanford Humanities Center: 424 Santa Teresa Street, Stanford, California

9:45 am
Arrivals/Greetings

9:55 am
Welcoming Words: Gerad Gentry (U South Carolina, Yale University)

Session 1

Chair: Michael Friedman (Stanford University)

Unfortunately, Emily Carson’s talk had to be canceled.

10:00 am to 10:45 am
Jordan Daniels (Emory University)
“The Productive Imagination in Kant and Fichte”

10:50 am to 11:35 am
Andrew Werner (University of Chicago/Yale University)
“Kant, Hegel, and the Unity of the Intellect”

11:40 am to 12:35 pm
Anja Jauernig (New York University)
“Finite Minds and Cognition in Leibniz, Kant, and Beyond”

12:35 pm to 2:30 pm
Break For Lunch
Saturday, October 14  (Afternoon)

Session 2

Chair: Huaping Lu-Adler (Georgetown University)

2:35 pm to 3:30 pm

Henry Allison (UC San Diego)
“Free Will and the Fact of Reason Redux”

3:35 pm to 4:30 pm

Allen Wood (Indiana University)
“End in Itself and Dignity”

4:35 pm to 5:20 pm

Gabe Gottlieb (Xavier University)
“A Family Quarrel: Fichte and the Development of Recognition”

5:20 pm to 5:30 pm

Break

Session 3

Chair: Sasha Mudd (University of Southhampton)

5:30 pm to 6:55 pm

Keynote Address: Eckart Förster (Johns Hopkins U and Humboldt-UzB)
“From Transcendental Logic to Speculative Logic”

7:10 pm

Dinner (reserved venue)
Session 4

Chair: Daniel Lindquist (Indiana University)

Unfortunately, Karin de Boer’s talk had to be canceled.

10:15 am to 11:00 am
Naomi Fisher (Clark University)
“Kant, Schelling and Blumenbach’s Bildungstrieb”

11:05 am to 12:00 pm
Angela Breitenbach (Cambridge University)
“The Ideal of Unity in Kant and Beyond”

12:00 pm to 2:00 pm
Break For Lunch
Session 5

Chair: Karl Ameriks (University of Notre Dame)

2:00 pm to 2:45 pm

– NAKS Best Graduate Paper award and Herz Nominee –
Sabina Vaccarino Bremner (Columbia University)
“Culture as the Unifying Ground of Kant’s Critique of Judgment”

2:50 pm to 3:35 pm

Charlie Cooper-Simpson (University of Toronto)
“Hegel’s Development of Kant’s ‘Natural Purposiveness’”

3:40 pm to 4:25 pm

– 2017 SGIR Faculty Paper of the Year –
Susan Hahn (MIT)
“Organic Unity of Color: Goethe’s Kantian Farbenlehre”

4:25 pm to 4:35 pm

Break

Session 6

Chair: Graciela De Pierris (Stanford University)

4:35 to 6:00 pm

Keynote Address: Paul Franks (Yale University)
“The Legacy of Reflecting Judgment in German Idealism”
Suggested Lodging Options

Because the conference dates overlap with Stanford homecoming, we are unable to secure a block reservation. As such, attendees are strongly advised to reserve rooms as soon as possible. For the most affordable options, we highly recommend booking through www.tripadvisor.com. You can reserve rooms at the same hotels listed below for $50-$70 less if you go through TripAdvisor. You can also book private stays near the conference through airbnb.com for between $80 and $200/night. The prices listed below are the higher prices you will pay if you call the hotels directly.

The following are approximately 25% less through TripAdvisor:

**Creekside Inn:** $200/night. Reservations can be made online at [http://www.creekside-inn.com/](http://www.creekside-inn.com/) or by calling (650) 493-2411

**Best Western Plus Riviera:** $230/night. Reservations can be made online at [http://www.bestwesternmenlopark.com](http://www.bestwesternmenlopark.com) or by calling (650) 321-8772

**Hotel Lucent:** $200/night. Reservations can be made online at [http://hotellucent.com/](http://hotellucent.com/) or by calling (650) 521-0024

**Hotel Parmani:** $170/night. Reservations can be made online at [http://www.hotelparmani.com/](http://www.hotelparmani.com/) or by calling (650) 493-9085

**The Cardinal Hotel:** only offering their Shared Bath Style Room @ $155 per night. Reservations can be made online at [http://www.cardinalhotel.com/](http://www.cardinalhotel.com/) or by calling (650) 323-5101

**Travelodge Palo Alto** $100 per night. Reservations can be made online at [http://www.travelodgepaloalto.com/](http://www.travelodgepaloalto.com/)

**Stanford Terrace Inn:** $380/night. Reservations can be made online at [http://stanfordterraceinn.com](http://stanfordterraceinn.com) or by calling (650) 857-0333

**Hotel Keen:** $290/night. Reservations can be made online at [http://www.hotelkeen.com/](http://www.hotelkeen.com/) or by calling (650) 327-2775
**Lodging Options**

**Airbnb.com**
This is the most affordable option. You can often find places for as little as $80/night and closer to campus. If using Airbnb, we recommend only booking with individuals who have averages of 4-5 star reviews.

Map of the Area around Stanford:

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SGIR Information Looking Ahead

1. The **2018 Third Annual SGIR Conference** on “Conceptions of Life in German Idealism and Romanticism” will take place at the **University of Sydney** in Sydney Australia (6-7 December 2018).

2. The **2019 Fourth Annual SGIR Conference** will be a joint conference with the **Hegel Society of Great Britain** at the **University of Oxford** in Oxford, UK (September 2019).

3. The **2020 Fifth Annual SGIR Conference** on “the Formation of Aesthetics in the Long Eighteenth Century” will take place at the **Södertörn University** in Sweden (Fall 2020).

4. Of interest to those at this or the inaugural conference on the Imagination is the forthcoming volume titled “**The Imagination in German Idealism and Romanticism**” with **Cambridge University Press** (2018).

5. **2018 Eastern APA Sessions:**
   (i) SGIR Session on “Systematicity"
   (ii) SGIR Author Meets Critics: Pollok’s *Kant’s Theory of Normativity*

6. **2018 Central APA Sessions:**
   (i) SGIR Session on “Conceptions of Matter and Form”
   (ii) SGIR Author Meets Critics: Chaouli’s *Thinking with Kant’s Critique of Judgment*

7. **2018 Pacific APA Sessions:**
   (i) SGIR Session on “Skepticism”
   (ii) SGIR Author Meets Critics Session: Gjesdal’s *Herder’s Hermeneutics*

8. **2018 GSA Session:**
   (i) SGIR Session on “The Tragic Around 1800”

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NAKS Information Looking Ahead

NAKS Midwest Study Group

Dates: October 6-7, 2017
Place: University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

Program

Friday, Oct. 6th

9:15 Farshid Baghai (Villanova), “Reason’s Whole in Kant’s Critical Philosophy”
11:30 Jessica Tizzard (Chicago), “Practical Reason and the Call to Faith”

2:00 Colin McLear (Nebraska, Lincoln), “Kant on Definition and Essence”
3:00 James Messina (Wisconsin, Madison), “Kant on the Pure Category of Substance”
4:30 Keynote Lecture by Daniel Warren (UC Berkeley)

Saturday, Oct. 7th

9:00 Tyke Nunez (Wash U, St Louis), “Normativity, Logical Aliens, and the Laws of Kant’s Pure General Logic”
10:00 Stephanie Adair (Grand Valley State), “The Possibility of Pure Aesthetic Error in Kant’s Third Critique”
11:15 Janum Sethi (Michigan), “Two Feelings in the Beautiful”
1:30 Aaron Halper (Catholic U), “An Antinomy between Regulative Principles”
2:30 Daniel Smyth (Wesleyan), “Kant’s Infinities”

2018 Eastern APA Sessions:

(i) NAKS Session: Kant on the Sources of Moral Obligation
Speakers: Katherina Deligiorgi, Patrick Kain, and Paul Schofield
(ii) NAKS Session: Kant on Ethical Practices
Speakers: Klas Roth, Terry Godlove, and Gina Ercolini; Chair: Howard Williams

2018 Central APA Sessions:

(i) NAKS Session: Mary Gregor Lecture
Speaker: Vadim Chaly; Commentator: Susan Meld Shell; Chair: Pablo Muchnik
(ii) NAKS Session: Cultivating Virtue
Speakers: Jeremy Schwartz, Krista Thomason, Mavis Biss, and Anne Margaret Baxley

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