

Hegel's 250th Anniversary: Too late? International Philosophical Conference in Ljubljana, September 7th – 9th, 2020

Participating philosophers (conference): Mladen Dolar, Luca Illetterati, Ana Jovanović, Zdravko Kobe, Bara Kolenc, Christian Krijnen, Giovanna Miolli, Gregor Moder, Sebastian Rödl, Frank Ruda, Jure Simoniti, Klaus Vieweg, Sven-Olov Wallenstein, Violetta Waibel, Alenka Zupančič and Slavoj Žižek.

Accompanying programme: Hegel and His Slovene Friends, an exhibition in the Historical Atrium of the Ljubljana Town Hall

MONDAY, Sept. 7th, discussions about Hegel in Slovene. The exhibition is in Slovene, German and English.

2:00 - 3:45 pm, ZRC SAZU Atrium (up to 50 visitors)

Students of philosophy about Hegel: Nejc Kralj, Sara Svati Sharan and Nesa Vrečer.

Moderated by: Nesa Vrečer

4:00 - 5:30 pm, ZRC SAZU Atrium

The Razpotja Magazine panel discussion: Hegel for People (Razpotja Magazine): Jernej Kaluža, Mirt Komel and Jan Princl.

Moderated by: Martin Hergouth

6:00 - 7:30 pm, ZRC SAZU Atrium

Panel discussion about translating Hegel: How to Translate Concretely? Marko Bratina, Božidar Debenjak and Zdravko Kobe.

Moderated by: Goran Vranešević

8:00 – 10:00 pm, Historical Atrium, Town Hall

Visit of the exhibition (in groups of 10) in the company of the organizers: Hegel and His Slovene Friends

Opening words: Dr. Mladen Dolar, Dr. Arpad Sölter, Mag. Mateja Demšič



TUESDAY, September 8th, ZRC SAZU Atrium (up to 50 visitors) and French Revolution Square ("Trg francoske revolucije") – Indigo Festival (up to ca 100 visitors). The first day of the international conference and the first evening event within the Indigo Festival. In English.

10:00 am - 11:45 am, ZRC SAZU Atrium, Panel I

Sebastian Rödl: Thinking Nothing

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Ana Jovanović & Bara Kolenc: Being and Too-lateness

Moderated by: Gregor Moder

12:00 am - 1:45 pm, ZRC SAZU Atrium, Panel II

Mladen Dolar: On Being too Early or too Late in Hegel's Philosophy

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Giovanna Miolli: The Challenge of Hegel's Metaphilosophy

Moderated by: Jure Simoniti

2:00 - 3:45 pm, ZRC SAZU Atrium, Panel III

Frank Ruda: Turn-Over. Hegel and the Actuality of the Revolution

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Gregor Moder: What is to be done? Philosophical Thinking and Political Action through the Metaphor of Theatre

Moderated by: Peter Klepec

6:30 pm: French Revolution Square ("Trg francoske revolucije", outdoor but outfitted with roof) Sven-Olov Wallenstein: Adorno's Beethoven: Undoing Hegel from Within

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Slavoj Žižek: The Spirit of Distrust

Moderated by: Bara Kolenc



WEDNESDAY, September 9th, City Museum of Ljubljana (up to 50 visitors) and French Revolution Square ("Trg francoske revolucije") – Indigo Festival (up to ca 100 visitors). The second day of the international conference and the second evening event within the Indigo Festival. In English and (one presentation in) German.

11:00 am - 12:45 pm, City Museum of Ljubljana, Panel IV

Christian Krijnen: "What if anything has not been called philosophy or philosophizing?" On the Relevance of Hegel's Conception of a Philosophical History of Philosophy.

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Klaus Vieweg: Die Philosophie "als Hahnenschlag eines neu anbrechenden Morgens, der eine verjüngte Gestalt der Welt ankündigt" (German with Slovene summary)

Moderated by: Zdravko Kobe

1:00 - 2:45 pm, City Museum of Ljubljana, Panel V

Jure Simoniti: Hegel and the Opaque Core of History

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Luca Illetterati: Nature's Externality. Hegel's Antinaturalistic Naturalism.

Moderated by: Martin Hergouth

3:00 - 4:45 pm, City Museum of Ljubljana, Panel VI

Zdravko Kobe: The Time of Philosophy

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Violetta Waibel: "Consciousness provides its own criterion from within itself." Hegel and the Spirit of Process of Thinking.

Moderated by: Goran Vranešević

5:15 - ca. 6:15 pm, City Museum of Ljubljana, Hegel from Beirut

Nadia Bou Ali & Ray Brassier: After Too Late



6.30 pm: French Revolution Square ("Trg francoske revolucije", outdoor but outfitted with roof), *Hegelian Debate*

Is it too late for Hegel?

A short statement about Hegel's (im)possible too-lateness as an introduction, followed by a discussion. Participants: Zdravko Kobe, Sebastian Rodl, Frank Ruda, Violetta Waibel, Sven-Olov Wallenstein, Alenka Zupančič

Moderated by: Gregor Moder