THE 9TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ASSOCIATION FOR ADORNO STUDIES

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MAY 5-6, 2023

Host

Centre for Social and Political Thought, at the University of Sussex

Locations

May 5: Leonardo Hotel Brighton, 101 Stroudley Rd, Brighton, Brighton and Hove, Brighton BN1 4DJ

May 6: Leonardo Royal Hotel Brighton Waterfront, Kings Rd, Brighton, Brighton and Hove, Brighton BN1 2GS

"Open thinking points beyond itself."
FRIDAY MAY 5

8.45 COFFEE AND TEA, MEETING ROOM AT THE LEONARDO HOTEL BRIGHTON STATION

9.00 OPENING ADDRESS: SURTI SINGH (VILLANOVA)

9.20-11.00

CHAIR: GORDON FINLAYSON (SUSSEX)

JACOB BARD-ROSENBERG (CAMBRIDGE) ‘DER BÖSE KAMERAD’/‘DER GUTE KAMERAD’ MINIMA MORALIA

BRUNO CARVALHO (SÃO PAULO): SUFFERING AND PESSIMISM, ON THE ACTUALITY OF ADORNO’S CRITICAL PROJECT

11.00-11.20 COFFEE AND TEA

11.20-1.00

CHAIR: SURTI SINGH (VILLANOVA)

EMILY SHYR (DUKE): REVEALING A SCHUBERTIAN CONSTELLATION: RE-READING ADORNO’S ‘SCHUBERT’ THROUGH BENJAMIN

FUMI OKIJI (BERKELEY): AESTHETIC FORM IN THE NEW THING // AESTHETIC SOCIALITY OF MUSIQUE INFORMELLE

1.00-2.10 – LUNCH

2.10-3.50

CHAIR: PIERRE-FRANÇOIS NOPPEN (SASKETCHEWAN)

KATHY KILOH (OCAD): INVOLVEMENT AND ANIMAL DESIRE

ADRIANO LOTITO (SUSSEX): THE CAGE OF SOCIAL LABOUR AND THE (IM)POSSIBILITIES OF EMANCIPATION

3.50-4.10 BREAK

4.10-5.50

CHAIR: IAIN MACDONALD (MONTREAL)

LYDIA GOEHR (COLUMBIA): ‘MITIGATING EXPRESSIONS AND EUPHEMISTIC CIRCUMLOCUTIONS’: ADORNO ON WORK, ANALYSIS, AND CRITIQUE

ANTONIA HOFSTÄTTER (WARWICK): UTOPIAN GROOVES: ADORNO ON THE RECORD
SATURDAY MAY 6

8.45 COFFEE AND TEA RECEPTION, MEETING ROOM AT THE LEONARDO ROYAL HOTEL BRIGHTON WATERFRONT

9.20-11.00

CHAIR: MARINA LADEMACHER (SUSSEX)

LARS RENSMANN (PASSAU): HOW NATURE MATTERS: ENVIRONMENTALISM AFTER ARENDT AND ADORNO

TOBY LOVAT (BRIGHTON): IMMANENT CRITIQUE AND A RATIONAL LIFE

11.00-11.30 COFFEE AND TEA

11.30-1.10

CHAIR: JESSICA DABOIN (PARIS-I SORBONNE)

SALIMA NAÏT AHMED (PARIS-I SORBONNE): ADORNO AND SARTRE ON ANTI-SEMITISM: A COMPARISON OF FRANKFURT SCHOOL AND EXISTENTIALIST APPROACHES TO RACIALIZATION

ESTELLE FERRARESE (AMIENS): RE-ACTUALIZING ADORNO’S THEORY OF EXCHANGE. A CRITIQUE OF ETHICAL CONSUMPTION

1.10-2.10 LUNCH AND BUSINESS MEETING SURTI SINGH (PRESIDENT) AND PIERRE-FRANÇOIS NOPPEN (VICE-PRESIDENT)

2.10-4.30

PANEL DISCUSSION ON IAIN MACDONALD’S WHAT WOULD BE DIFFERENT? FIGURES OF POSSIBILITY IN ADORNO”

TAYLOR CARMAN (BARNARD – COLUMBIA)

PETER E GORDON (HARVARD)

NICK WALKER (CAMBRIDGE)

IAIN MACDONALD (MONTRÉAL)

4.30 CLOSING REMARKS