

A Conception of Nature for the 21st Century?

Joint Conference of the *Department of Philosophy*, Memorial University Newfoundland, *WissenschaftszentrumUmwelt* and *Lehrstuhl für Philosophie mit Schwerpunkt analytische Philosophie und Wissenschaftstheorie*, University of Augsburg

Location: University of Augsburg, WissenschaftszentrumUmwelt, Building U, Room 101

<i>Sunday, June 22nd, 2014</i>		
13:00-13:30	Prof. Dr. Uwe Voigt (Augsburg) Dr. Jens Soentgen (Augsburg)	Introduction Address of Welcome
I. Approaches to Nature		
13:30-14:30	Prof. Dr. Dr. Theodor Leiber (Augsburg)	The Complex Concept of Nature: Prehension, Language, Mathematics
Coffee Break		
14:45-15:30	Michelle Mahoney, MA (MUN)	Mysticism and the Transcendental: Into the Play of History and Nature
15:30-16:15	Shannon O'Rourke, M.A. (MUN)	Questioning the Nature-Culture Divide with Latour
Coffee Break		
16:30-17:30	Prof. Dr. Sean McGrath (MUN)	The Question Concerning Nature
17:30	General Discussion (open end)	

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II. Does Materialism Matter?		
09:00-10:00	Prof. Dr. Uwe Meixner (Augsburg)	Remarks on the Matter of Materiality
10:00-11:00	Prof. Dr. Peter Gratton (MUN)	The "New Materialisms" in Continental Philosophy
Coffee Break		
III. Nature and Humans		
11:15-12:15	Dr. Jens Soentgen (Augsburg)	The River Lech – a Cyborg
12:15-13:00	Gil Shalev, M.A. (MUN)	Domination versus Stewardship
Lunch Break		
14:00-15:00	Dr. Marion Friedrich (Augsburg)	Natur als Kunstprodukt?
IV. Historical and Current Perspectives		
15:00-16:00	Kyla Bruff, M.A. (MUN)	The Irreversible and Unpredictable: Schelling's Dynamic Understanding of Nature and Open Systems
Coffee Break		
16:15-17:00	Prof. Dr. Joël Madore (MUN)	Natural Order in Plato and Rancière
17:00	General Discussion (open end)	