

CONFERENCE

From Animal Self to Human Self

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PROGRAM

Friday, September 19

9:30
Welcome

9:45 – 11:15 (Chair: Andrea Kern)
Kristina Musholt (Universität Magdeburg)
„Self-Consciousness in Non-Human Animals?“

11:45 – 13:15 (Chair: Matthias Haase)
Christian Kietzmann (Universität Leipzig)
„What Is Special About Human Agency?“

13:15 – 15:00:
Lunch

15:00 – 16:30 (Chair: Jonas Zahn)
Thomas Khurana (Universität Leipzig)
„Consciousness of Life and Self-Consciousness:
Some Reflections on a Transition in Hegel’s
„Phenomenology of Spirit““

17:00 – 18:30 (Chair: Henrike Moll)
Philippe Rochat (Emory University, Atlanta)
„Origins and Curse of Human Self-Consciousness“

19:00:
Dinner

Saturday, September 20

9:30 – 11:00 (Chair: Sebastian Rödl)
Michael Thompson (University of Pittsburgh)
„Apprehending Human Form“

11:30 – 13:00 (Chair: Pirmin Stekeler-Weithofer)
Henrike Moll (University of Southern California)
„Cognitive Differences Between Apes and Humans
as Exemplified by the „Peanut Task““

13:00 - 15:00:
Lunch

15:00 - 16:30 (Chair: Astrid Kottmann)
Christian Steiner (Universität Basel)
„Three Forms of Subjectivity“

17:00 – 18:30 (Chair: Peter Wiersbinski)
Josep Call (MPI-EVA, Leipzig)
„Do Apes Know That They Remember?“

19:00:
Dinner

Sunday, September 21

9:30 – 11:00 (Chair: Christian Kietzmann)
Jan Müller (Universität Darmstadt)
„Becoming What One Really Is: Onto- and Phylogenetic
Considerations and the Methodological Tensions
Between Them“

11:30 – 13:00 (Chair: Andrea Kern)
Matthias Haase (Universität Leipzig)
„Creatures of Habit“

13:00:
Lunch