THE GRAMMAR OF JUSTICE

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Wednesday, 10 September 2014

12.00h  Reception and Lunch

12.45h  Welcoming Remarks
Rainer Forst (Goethe University, Frankfurt)

13.00h  Justifying Justice
Soumaya Mestiri (University of Tunis)
Some Remarks on Miskawayh’s Treatise “On Justice”
Luiz Bernardo Araújo (Universidade Estadual de Rio de Janeiro)
The Good of Justice: Revisiting a Central Problem in Moral and Political Philosophy

14.45h  Coffee Break

15.00h  Justice and Harmony
Peter Osirim (University of Lagos)
Restoring the Balance: an African Perspective on Justice
Wen Haiming (Renmin University of China, Beijing)
A Confucian Grammar of Justice

16.45h  Coffee Break

17.00h  Justice as the First Virtue?
Chow Po-chung (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
The Right to Demand Justice
Martin Ajei (University of Ghana, Legon, Accra)
Self-Retrievism and Justice
Thursday, 11 September 2014

9.30h  Theorizing of Justice Across Cultures
Joseph Agbakoba (University of Nigeria, Nsukka)
On the Notion and Possibility of Cross-Cultural and Transnational Justice in a World of Diversities and Conflicting Interests
Katrin Flikschuh (London School of Economics)
What is Orientation in Global Thinking?

11.15h  Coffee Break

11.30h  Justice and Consensus
Bernard Matolino (University of KwaZulu-Natal, Pietermaritzburg)
Justice in African Consensus
Ciro Alegría (Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú, Lima)
Mutual Reasons, Informal Institutions and Justice

13.15h  Lunch Break

15.00h  Transitional Justice
Neera Chandhoke (University of Delhi)
Competing Routes to Justice
Jau-Hwa Chen (Soochow University, Taipei)
Justice in Transition and Transitional Justice
Juan Espindola (Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas, Ciudad de Mexico)
Transitional Justice, Shame, and Respect

17.30h  Coffee Break

17.45h  Justice and Agency
Heba Raouf Ezzat (University of Cairo)
Justice as Agency: the Individual and the Systematic in Islamic Notions of Justice
María Pía Lara (Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Ciudad de Mexico)
Justice and the Question of Political Agency
Friday, 12 September 2014

9.30h  Justice in Public Discourse
João Feres Júnior (Universidade Estadual de Rio de Janeiro)
The Notions of Justice in Brasil’s Current Public Debate
Azaveli Feza Lwaitama (University of Dar es Salaam)
Conceptions of Justice Among the Urban and Rural Poverty Stricken in a Globalized World

11.15h  Coffee Break

11.30h  Justice and the Law
Marcos Nobre (Unicamp, Campinas, São Paulo)
“Judicialization of Politics” and Democracy in Brasil
Helen Lauer (University of Ghana, Legon, Accra)
Justice as Restoration and Preservation of Harmony

13.15  Lunch Break

15.00h  Justice and Progress
Lea Ypi (London School of Economics)
Moral Progress and the Function of Justice
Ci Jiwei (University of Hong Kong)
Transnational Justice and Its Dependence on Ethics and Exemplification

16.45h  Coffee Break

17.00h  Justice and Intercultural Philosophy
Mogobe Ramose (University of South Africa, Pretoria)
Poverty as a Problem in Intercultural Philosophy
Melissa Williams (University of Toronto)
Sharing the River: The Two-Row Wampum as a Model of Transnational Justice