

# **Program: Christian Wolffs Deutsche Metaphysik / Christian Wolff's German Metaphysics**

**Wednesday, 20 June, 2018**

13:45-14:00 Welcome

## I GENERAL THEMES IN WOLFF'S ONTOLOGY

14:00-15:00 Kristina Engelhard (TU Dortmund)  
Inductive Elements in Christian Wolffs German Metaphysics

15:00-16:00 Corey W. Dyck (Western University)  
Wolff on the Concepts of Ontology

Coffee break

16:30-17:30 Eric Watkins (San Diego)  
Kant's Conception of Traditional Metaphysics

## II SPECIAL THEMES IN WOLFF'S ONTOLOGY

17:30-18:30 Giuseppe Motta (Graz)  
Die Grundprinzipien der Ontologie und die Bestimmung der Begriffe der Modalität in der Deutschen Metaphysik von Christian Wolff

18:30 Wine

**Thursday, 21 June, 2018**

09:00-10:00 Emanuele Cafagna (Chieti)  
Der Ursprung der Wahrheit. Wolffs Demonstration vom Satz des zureichenden Grundes in der Deutschen Metaphysik

10:00-11:00 Falk Wunderlich (Halle)  
Wolff on simple substances

Coffee break

## III METAPHYSICA SPECIALIS

11:30-12:30 Nabeel Hamid (University of Pennsylvania)  
The Role of Cosmology in Wolff's Psychology

Lunch break

14:00-15:00 Christian Leduc (Université de Montréal)  
Wolff and the Origin of General Cosmology

15:00-16:00 Werner Euler (Marburg)  
Tetens' Umgestaltung der Wolff'schen Psychologie

Coffee break

16:30-17:30 Udo Thiel (Graz)  
Wolffs Begriff der Person

17:30-18:30 Karin de Boer (Leuven)  
Wolff, Kant, and the possibility of purely rational thoughts about God

19:00 Book panel  
*Kant and His German Contemporaries* (Corey W. Dyck and Falk Wunderlich, eds.,  
Cambridge University Press 2018)  
*Er „brachte Licht und Ordnung in die Welt“: Christian Wolff. Eine Biographie* (Hans-  
Joachim Kertscher)

Reception

### **Friday, 22 June, 2018**

09:00-10:00 Tinca Prunea-Bretonnet (Bucharest)  
Providence and Mechanism

#### IV CONTEMPORARY CRITICISM OF WOLFF'S METAPHYSICS

10:00-11:00 Clemens Schwaiger (Benediktbeuern)  
Wolffs Deutsche Metaphysik und die Thomasianer Gundling und Budde

Coffee break

11:30-12:30 Paola Rumore (Torino)  
Buddeus's role in Wolff's revision of the first edition of the German Metaphysics

12:30-13:30 Matteo Favaretti Camposampiero (Ca' Foscari Venice)  
Infinite Regress and Wolff's Alleged Spinozism