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20 JUNE 2024 (Thursday)

Welcome coffee 8.45

Session 1 9.00–11.00

Chair: Michael W. Dunne

Pascale Bermon (Université Paris PSL/CNRS/LEM)
Marguerite Porete on 'Willing' and 'Willing Nothing'

Marek Gensler (University of Łódź)
Do I Really Want It? Walter Burley on Choosing Virtue and Vice in His Commentary on the *Nicomachean Ethics*

Valeria Buffon (Universidad Nacional del Litoral-UNL)
To Will or not to Will, is That the Question? Buridan's Treatment of the Self-Movement and Self-Restraint of the Will

Coffee break 11.00–11.20

Session 2 11.20–13.20

Chair: Sonja Schierbaum

Michael Szlachta (St. Francis Xavier University)
Franciscan Voluntarists and the *Conatus Voluntatis*

Monika Michałowska (Medical University of Łódź)
Richard Kilvington on the Latitude, Degrees, and Intension/Remission of Willing

Edit Anna Lukács (Independent Scholar)
The Physical Modeling of the Will: Robert Halifax, Questions on the *Sentences*, q. 6

Lunch 13.20–14.20

Session 3 14.20–15.40

Chair: Pascale Bermon

Marialucrezia Leone (University of Bari)
William of Alnwick on the Human Will and Intellect

Lydia Deni Gamboa (B. Universidad Autónoma de Puebla)
Adam Wodeham and Walter Chatton on the Higher-Order Consciousness Controversy

Coffee break 15.40–16.00

Session 4 16.00–17.20

Chair: Marek Gensler

Nena Bobovnik (KU Leuven)
A Voluntarist's Handbook: *The Magna Moralia* in the 14th Century

Kateřina Kutarňová (Czech Academy of Sciences)
Perfect Conformity to God's Will and Freedom in Teresa of Ávila

Dinner 19.00

21 JUNE 2024 (Friday)

Coffee 9.45

Session 5 10.00–12.00

Chair: Michael Szlachta

Martin Pickavé (University of Toronto)
The Power to Do Otherwise in 14th-Century Philosophy

Sonja Schierbaum (JMU Würzburg)
The Beginning or the End of All Willing? William Ockham on Love (*amor*) and Enjoyment (*fruitio*)

Michael W. Dunne (Maynooth University)
Richard FitzRalph on Nilling the Highest Good

Coffee break 12.00–12.20

Session 6 12.20–13.40

Chair: Martin Pickavé

Claudia Appolloni (University of Bologna)
The Role of the Will in the Institution of Human Language and Sacramental Signs in the Late Middle Ages

Alessandro Mulieri (UPenn/University of Venice)
Marsilius of Padua on the Will and Natural Law

Lunch 13.40–14.40

Session 7 14.40–16.00

Chair: Valeria Buffon

Sylvain Roudaut (KU Leuven)
Instants of Nature and Formalities: The Structure of the Will According to Francis of Meyronnes

Andrea Nannini (Independent Scholar)
Power and Transcendence: John Ripa's Formal Distinction Between the Intellect and the Will

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