

International Workshop

Laws of nature, rules of society, and freedom. Bergson today

Faculty of Arts
Charles University, Prague
8-9 January 2024

Venue:
Institute of Philosophy
AKC, Husova 4a, 110 00
Prague 1, Czech republic

Monday, January 8:

10:00 - 10:50

Mark Sinclair (Queen's University Belfast): **Retroactive freedom**

11:10 - 12:00

Joël Dolbeault (Charles-de-Gaulle University, Lille, France): **Incompatibilism without Alternative Possibilities: Bergson in the Debate on Free Will**

14:00 - 14:50

Pavel Arazim (Charles University, Prague; Czech Academy of Sciences, Prague): **Rules in motion: rule-following with Bergson and Wittgenstein**

15:10 - 16:00

Yoann Malinge (Université catholique de Louvain, Belgium): **Being the cause of one's actions. Examining the free action in Bergson's philosophy**

16:30 - 18:00: Book Session

Matyáš Moravec (University of Saint Andrews, United Kingdom): **Henri Bergson and the philosophy of religion. God, Freedom, and Duration (Routledge 2023)**

Commentators: Yasushi Hirai and Mark Sinclair.

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Tuesday, January 9:

10:00 - 10:50

Jakub Čapek (Charles University, Prague): **Freedom as Hesitation. Henri Bergson in the Light of the Phenomenological Criticism**

11:10 - 12:00

Yasushi Hirai (Keio University, Japan): **How Freedom Originates from Closure: Through the Bergsonian Lens of Tense, Aspect, and Modality**

12:20 - 13:10

Paola Marrati (Johns Hopkins University, USA): **Bergson and the Fragility of Democratic Societies**

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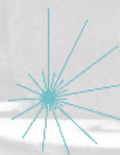
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