

PHENOMENOLOGY AND THE LIMITS OF EXPERIENCE

Keynote Speakers

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SEPTEMBER 21

WELCOME

13:00 - 13:50 (Hall) Registration

14:00 (room Mihăilescu, 1st floor) Opening

14:30 - 16:00 Plenary Session I (room Mihăilescu, 1st floor)

NATALIE DEPRAZ (*University Paris Nanterre / The Research Institute
of the University of Bucharest*)

What is an antinomic emotion?

Chair: Cristian Ciocan

16:00 - 16:30 Coffee Break

SEPTEMBER 21

16:30 – 18:30 Session I

Social and Political Phenomenology

(room Mihăilescu, 1st floor)

Chair: Andreea Smaranda Aldea

LUCIA ANGELINO

(École normale supérieure de Paris, Archives Husserl ENS/CNRS)

Questioning the us/them relation with Waldenfels and Derrida

ANDRZEJ GNIAZDOWSKI

(Polish Academy of Sciences)

The limits of state. Phenomenology as a critique of political experience

FRANCESCO TAVA

(University of the West of England Bristol)

Balancing solidarity: Navigating the fine line between social isolation and social fusion

Phenomenological Method

(room Cantemir, ground floor)

Chair: Regina-Nino Mion

WITOLD PŁOTKA

(Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University in Warsaw)

The limits of the phenomenological method: On Blaustein's account of Husserl's eidetics

VERA HADJI-PULJA

(Nova International Schools)

Husserlian construction of limit-problems: "A geometry of lived experience"?

GIULIO MARCHEGIANI

(Bergische Universität Wuppertal)

On contingency as structural limit of the phenomenological method

The Unconscious

(room Moisil, ground floor)

Chair: Ovidiu Stanciu

CHUNG-YAN WUN

(Universität zu Köln)

Limit-situation and limit-experience: On the phenomenological accessibility of the limit-phenomenon of the unconscious

BERNHARD GEISLER

(University Graz)

The systematic aspect of the depth-psychological unconscious: A phenomenon beyond the limits of phenomenology?

18:30 – 20:30 Reception

SEPTEMBER 22

09:30 – 11:30 Session II

Performance and Representation

(room Mihăilescu, 1st floor)

Chair: Witold Płotka

MAURO SENATORE

(Adolfo Ibáñez University)

Empathy without

imagination: What's it like to be a good actor?

REGINA-NINO MION

(Estonian Academy of Arts)

The limits of depictive image consciousness

SOFÍA CORTEZ MACIEL

(University of Salamanca)

Improvisation:

A paradigm of the musician's bodily habituality

Being and Nothingness

(room Cantemir, ground floor)

Chair: Vasile Visotchi

CÉSAR GÓMEZ

ALGARRA

(University of Valencia / Université Catholique de Louvain)

Is it possible to have an experience of Being? On Heidegger's critique of experience in his Ereignis-Writings (1936-1944)

TING-CHEUNG KWOK

(Chinese University of Hong Kong)

The limit of reflection in Husserl and Nishida Kitarō's philosophy of absolute nothingness

CHRIS IONIȚĂ

(University of Bucharest)

Nothing appears.

From meontology to phenomenality

Death and Violence

(room Moisil, ground floor)

Chair: Nicolae Turcan

YING YAO

(University of Oslo)

Delimiting normative possibilities with proactive grief

TYESON

DAVIES-BARTON

(University of British Columbia)

Husserl's paradox of subjectivity and the epistemological paradox of death

CRISTIAN CIOCAN

(The Research Institute of the University of Bucharest)

Violence and the limits of experience

11:30 – 11:45 Coffee Break

SEPTEMBER 22

11:45 – 13:45 Session III

Limits of the Body

(room Mihăilescu, 1st floor)

Chair: Lucia Angelino

MICHAL LIPTÁK

(Slovak Academy of Sciences)

Towards phenomenology of rupture

RITA NIINESTE

(University of Tallinn)

The liminality of orgasmic experiences

MARÍA CELESTE

VECINO

(Diego Portales University)

Pregnancy as limit-phenomenon

Embodiment

(room Cantemir, ground floor)

Chair: Natalie Depraz

MARTINA PROPERZI

(Pontifical Lateran University of Rome)

“I feel that rubber hand as if it were my hand”.

The phenomenology of body ownership illusions as a phenomenology of limit-phenomena of disembodiment

ANDREJS BALODIS

(University of Latvia)

The role of body-memory in vaccine hesitancy: A phenomenological study

JOSH LAW

(University of Bristol)

Breathlessness: An invisible upheaval in being

Illness and Delusion

(room Moisil, ground floor)

Chair: Saulius Geniusas

CĂTĂLINA CONDRUZ

(The Research Institute of the University of Bucharest)

Reconstructing the Other. On the limits of intersubjectivity in the case of mental illness

CRISTIAN BODEA

(Babeş-Bolyai University)

Hallucination as a time-less experience

13:45 – 15:15 Lunch

SEPTEMBER 22

15:15 – 17:15 Session IV

Alienness

(room Mihăilescu, 1st floor)

Chair: Remus Breazu

OVIDIU STANCIU

(Diego Portales University
/ The Research Institute of
the University of Bucharest)

**The experience of the
alien and the inter-world.**

**From Waldenfels to
Merleau-Ponty**

MĂDĂLINA GUZUN

(Eberhard Karls University
of Tübingen)

**The experience of the
in-between: Foreignness
and interculturality**

ALEXANDRU

BEJINARIU

(The Institute for Philosophy
"Alexandru Dragomir")

**Jedermann's view on the
limits of alien-experience**

Religious Experience

(room Cantemir, ground floor)

Chair: Mintautas Gutauskas

NICOLAE TURCAN

(Babes-Bolyai University
/ The Research Institute of
the University of Bucharest)

**Discernment as saturated
phenomenon**

VASILE VISOTCHI

(University of Bucharest)

**Chronology of
Transformation.**

A phenomenological

reading of Saint

Augustine's conversion

Between Phantasy and Perception

(room Moisil, ground floor)

Chair: Jaroslava Vydrova

RENATO BOCCALI

(IULM University, Milan)

Thresholds of attention:

**The phenomenology of
rêverie between waking
and sleeping states**

GIULIA ANDREINI

(IULM University, Milan)

**Reconsidering the dream
within a phenomenology
of attention**

17:15 – 17:30 Coffee Break

17:30 – 19:00 Plenary Session II (room Mihăilescu, 1st floor)

SARA HEINÄMAA (University of Jyväskylä)

**Reflections on the method: Charting the borders between
phenomenology, feminist theory and related disciplines**

Chair: Alexandru Bejinariu

SEPTEMBER 23

10:00 – 12:00 Session V

Limits of Consciousness

(room Mihăilescu, 1st floor)

Chair: Cristian Bodea

BENCE MAROSAN

(Budapest Business School)

Phenomenology as a principle of selection and elaboration for an empirical theory of the origins of consciousness

ZIXUAN LIU

(Husserl-Archive, University of Cologne)

How is agency constitutive of phenomenal consciousness: Pushing phenomenology and neuroscience to their limits

ANNA YAMPOLSKAYA

(independent researcher)

Conscience as a limit-phenomenon

Emotions

(room Cantemir, ground floor)

Chair: Mădălina Guzun

ADRIAN RĂZVAN SANDRU

(Champalimaud Research Lisbon)

Affective overdrive: Experiences of the flesh

CLAUDIA SERBAN

(University of Toulouse / The Research Institute of the University of Bucharest)

From tendencies and drives to affectivity and ethics within a phenomenology of intersubjectivity. A focus on the mother-child relationship according to Scheler and Husserl

SERGIU SAVA

(Babeş-Bolyai University)

Intentionality, emotions, and limit-phenomena

Understanding and Expression

(room Moisil, ground floor)

Chair: Paul Marinescu

DANIELA BENDZALOVA

(Palacký University, Olomouc)

The possibility of empathy in the limit forms of intersubjectivity – The first empathy

REMUS BREAZU

(The Institute for Philosophy “Alexandru Dragomir”)

Sense-bestowal and sense-withdrawal

JAROSLAVA VYDROVA

(Slovak Academy of Sciences)

Laughing and crying: The limits of expression

12:00 – 14:00 Lunch

SEPTEMBER 23

14:00 – 16:00 Session VI

Gesture and bodily interaction

(room Mihăilescu, 1st floor)

Chair: Alexandru Bejinariu

CHRISTIAN FERENCZ-FLATZ

(The Institute for Philosophy
"Alexandru Dragomir")

Notes for a genetic phenomenology of gesture

ANDREEA SMARANDA ALDEA

(DePaul University)

Imagined embodiment, hesitation, and the reflexive future perfect. Interrogating the self-constituting power of gestures

DELIA POPA

(Villanova University / The Institute for Philosophy
"Alexandru Dragomir")

The truth of gestures

Human and Animal

(room Cantemir, ground floor)

Chair: Claudia Serban

MINTAUTAS GUTAUSKAS

(Vilnius University)

Animal life at the limits of experience: Phenomenology of aquarium

ŠTEFAN TÓTH

(Charles University Prague)

"Harmful tendencies" and "valuable tasks" in Scheler's late philosophy

TSUN KAN CHENG

(KU Leuven)

A view from nowhere: on the limitations of the phenomenological account of abnormality

Violence

(room Moisil, ground floor)

Chair: Cătălina Condruz

SERGIO PÉREZ GATICA

(Husserl Archives KU Leuven)

Collateral violence. A problem in the limits of deliberate intentionality

PAUL MARINESCU

(University of Bucharest)

Imagistic violence and limit-phenomena: The case of forensic photography

ELENI GKOUTZOUNI

(KU Leuven)

Towards a phenomenology of intentional structural violence: An attempt to go beyond its instrumental character through revolution

16:00 – 16:15 Coffee Break

SEPTEMBER 23

16:15 - 17:45 Plenary Session III (room Mihăilescu, 1st floor)

SAULIUS GENIUSAS (*The Chinese University of Hong Kong*)

Absorption and the limits of experience: Reflections on the phenomenology of displacement

Chair: Christian Ferencz-Flatz

17:45 - 18:00 Closing Remarks

18:00 Reception
