

LAMENT AND REVENGE: ON THE VIOLENCE OF LANGUAGE

Campus Westend - IG-Farben-Haus - Eisenhower-Saal 1.314

Friday, 28. April 2017

10:00 – 10:30 Opening

Ilit Ferber (Tel Aviv) &
Juliane Prade-Weiss (New Haven/Frankfurt a. M.)

10:30 – 12:00 Job

Agata Bielik-Robson (Nottingham)
I Hurt, Therefore I Am: Descartes with Job
Nehama Verbin (Tel Aviv)
Protest and Acquiescence in Kierkegaard's Job

13:30 – 15:00 Poetry

Omer Michaelis (Tel Aviv)
Wrath and Melancholy in Medieval Jewish Poetry
Tali Latowicki (Beer Sheva)
The Revenge of the Dead Poet: Self-Lament and the Poetics of Melancholy

15:30 – 17:00 Philosophy

Csongor Lörincz (Berlin)
«Gewalt» and Sovereignty (Heidegger-Benjamin)
Tatjana Sheplyakova (Frankfurt a. M.)
*Laments – Remedies – Rights:
Revaluating Nietzsche's Appeal to "the most spiritual revenge" by the Jews*

17:30 – 19:00 Contemporary Conflict

José Brunner (Tel Aviv)
Mapping the Politics of Revenge: From Machiavelli to the Middle East Conflict
Yael Almog (Göttingen)
*The Spirit of Return:
Violence and Lament in Yael Bartana's «And Europe will Be Stunned»*

Saturday, 29. April 2017

10:30 – 12:00 Activity and Passivity

Noam Reisner (Tel Aviv)
The Dialectics of Patient Revenge on the Early Modern English Stage
Ilit Ferber (Tel Aviv)
Pain's Echo: Lament and Revenge

13.30 – 15.00 Ta(l)king Revenge

Juliane Prade-Weiss (New Haven/Frankfurt a. M.)
Response in Freud: Neurotic and Ritual Lament
Chiara Alfano (London)
*Augustine Throws a Tantrum:
On the Role of Revenge and Lament in Accounts of Language Acquisition
from Wittgenstein to Winnicott*

15:00 – 15:45 Closing Remarks



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