

Conference Programme

The Cartesian “Myth of the Ego” and the Analytic/Continental Divide,  
Sept. 3-4

**Friday 3rd September**

**09.30** Opening

**09.45** Tom Sorell, “Excusable Caricature and Philosophical Relevance: the case of Descartes”

Coffee/Tea

**11.15** Anthony Beavers, “Cartesian Mechanisms and Transcendental Philosophy”

*12.15 Lunch*

**13.45** Gert-Jan van der Heiden, “The Ontological Implications of Ricoeur’s Hermeneutics of the Self”

**14.45** Maxime Doyon, “Thinking the Concreteness of the World Consistently: McDowell and Husserl on Idealism”

Coffee/Tea

**16:00** Stephen Boulter, TBA

**17:00** Shaun Gallagher, “Of two Minds: A Reason and a Passion for the Ego”

**18:15** Close

**Saturday 4th September**

**09.30** Katalin Farkas, “The Cartesian Ego— Reality, not a Myth”

Coffee/Tea

**11:00** Dan Zahavi, “Pure and Poor?”

*Lunch*

**13:30** Denis McManus, “ ‘Methods of Comparison’, ‘Pure Beholding’ and ‘the All’: Cartesianism as a Target and a Challenge in the early work of Wittgenstein and Heidegger”

**14.30** Andreas Vrahimis, “The Concept of Mind as a sustained essay in Husserlian phenomenology”

Coffee/Tea

**15:45** Derek Strijbos, “The Myth of Meta-representation”

**16:45** Lynne Rudder Baker, “Beyond the Cartesian Self”

**18.00** Close