

Philosophy and Politics

**100 Years Philosophical-Political Academy (PPA) and
Society for the Furtherance of Critical Philosophy (SFCP)**

International Conference on the occasion of the founding of PPA in 1922

Date: Friday, 19 August to Sunday, 21 August 2022
Venue: Heimvolkshochschule Springe near Hannover
Conference languages: English (E) and German (D)
Fee: 50 € (incl. accommodation and meals)
Organisers: PPA & SFCP

Registration via: gsp@sokratisches-gespraech.de

Programme:

Friday, 19.08.2022	
17:00	<i>Arrival</i>
18:00	<i>Dinner</i>
19:00 – 19:15	Welcome address Dr. Klaus Draken, Vorsitzender der PPA (D) Dr Julie-Marie ffrench Devitt, Chair of SFCP (E)
19:15 – 20:45	PPA and SFCP Through the Ages Prof. Dr. Inge Hansen-Schaberg (Georg-August-Universität Göttingen) (D) Dr Christopher Knowles (King´s College London) (E) Dr. Dieter Krohn (Society for the Furtherance of Critical Philosophy) (E)
21:00	<i>Social Gathering (Bistro)</i>
Saturday, 20.08.2022	
8:00	<i>Breakfast</i>
9:30 – 10:15	Rationality in Politics and Society (E) Prof. Dr. Dieter Birnbacher (Heinrich Heine University, Düsseldorf)
10:30 – 11:15	Nelson´s Social Policy and its Topicality (D) Dr. Andreas Netzler (Bavarian State Ministry for Labour, Social Order, Families and Women)
11:15	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:30 – 12:30	The Current Significance of Nelson´s Ideas in Philosophy, Politics and Society – A Panel Discussion (D) Prof. Dr. Dieter Birnbacher, Dr. Klaus Draken, Prof. Dr. Kay Herrmann, Prof. Dr. Remi Maier-Rigaud, Dr. Andreas Netzler – Moderation: Prof. Dr. Klaus Blesenkemper (Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität, Münster)
12:30	<i>Lunch</i>

14:00 – 15:30	<p>Workshops I:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Turning point in international politics – The war of aggression against Ukraine (Prof. Dr. Holger Franke, N.N.) • Politics and Ethics - on Grete Henry-Hermann's topicality (D) (Prof. Dr. Kay Herrmann, Dr. Andrea Reichenberger) • Chances of Socratic Dialogues for schools (D) (Dr. Klaus Draken) • Modern elements in Socratic Dialogues (D) (Prof. Dr. Klaus Blesenkemper with assistance of Tom Seeliger und Sophie Zemke) • Thinking school differently – Suggestions in the pedagogy of Minna Specht (D) (Prof. Dr. Sebastian Engelmann) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Varieties of dialogue (E) (Prof. Dr Sarah Banks, Dr Julie-Marie ffrench Devitt)
15:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
16:00 – 17:30	<p>The Current Significance of Socratics in Education – Statements and Discussion (D) Johannes Bahn, Dr. Jens-Peter Brune, Prof. Dr. Sebastian Engelmann, Prof. Dr. Markus Tiedemann, Esther-Sofie Wehrhahn, Sophie Zemke – Moderation: Dr. Klaus Draken (Centre for Practical Teacher Training, Solingen)</p>
18:00	<i>Dinner</i>
19:00	<p>Small Ceremony to mark the 100 music) European Concepts of Peace Keeping (working title) (E) (Martin Schulz, Friedrich-Ebert-Foundation)</p>
20:30	<i>Social Gathering (Bistro)</i>
Sunday, 21.08.2022	
8:00	<i>Breakfast</i>
9:00 – 10:30	<p>Workshops II:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Turning point in international politics – The war of aggression against Ukraine (Prof. Dr. Holger Franke, N.N.) • Politics and Ethics - on Grete Henry-Hermann's topicality (D) (Prof. Dr. Kay Herrmann, Dr. Andrea Reichenberger) • Chances of Socratic Dialogues for schools (D) (Dr. Klaus Draken) • Modern elements in Socratic Dialogues (D) (Prof. Dr. Klaus Blesenkemper with assistance of Tom Seeliger und Sophie Zemke) • Thinking school differently – Suggestions in the pedagogy of Minna Specht (D) (Prof. Dr. Sebastian Engelmann) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Varieties of dialogue (E) (Prof. Dr. Sarah Banks, Dr. Julie-Marie ffrench Devitt)
10:45	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:15	<p>The Importance of Critical Method and Value Judgements in Economics in Gerhard Weisser and Alexander Rüstow (D) Prof. Dr. Remi Maier-Rigaud (Hochschule Bonn-Rhein-Sieg)</p>

12:20	Closing of the Conference Dr Julie-Marie French Devitt (SFCP) Dr. Klaus Draken (PPA)
12:30	<i>Lunch</i>
13:30	<i>Departure</i>

An exhibition on Leonard Nelson and the history of the Philosophical-Political Academy and the Society for the Furtherance of Critical Philosophy will also be on display in the building during the conference.

All plans are subject to changes in the requirements within the framework of pandemic control.