

UK Sartre Society Annual Conference 2017

Maison Française d'Oxford – Tuesday 18th July

Room 1

9.20 Welcome

09.30-10.10

**Existentialism and Political Failure  
Lessons for Today**  
Michael Sigrist  
(George Washington University)

10.10-10.50

**Seriality and the Crisis of Democracy  
Taking Sartre into Democratic Theory**  
Matthias Lievens  
(KU Leuven)

11.10-11.50

**The Second Sex  
From Idealism to Materialism and Back**  
Katja Čičigoj  
(Justus-Liebig-University Giessen)

11.50-12.30

**The Body is a Situation  
Beauvoir Outside the Sex-Gender Distinction**  
Emma Jane McNicol  
(Monash University)

1.40-2.20

**Authenticity Beyond Existentialism  
A Socio-Existential Approach**  
Kyle Shuttleworth  
(Queens University Belfast)

2.20-3.00

**Inauthenticity and Violence  
The Case of Antisemitism**  
Dror Yinon  
(Bar-Ilan University)

3.30-4.10

**Sartre's Theory of the  
Author-Reader Relationship**  
Marieke Mueller  
(University of Paris Nanterre)

4.20-5.30

**Keynote Address**  
Christina Howells  
(University of Oxford)

Room 2

09.30-10.10

**Mindfulness After Existentialism  
Through the Mind's Eye**  
Ruth Kitchen  
(EHESS Paris)

10.10-10.50

**Existentialism and the  
Case against the Unconscious Mind**  
Ian Scrannage  
(South Gloucestershire and Stroud College)

11.10-11.50

**The Critique of Presence  
Sartre's Influence on Derrida**  
Gavin Rae  
(Universidad Carlos III de Madrid)

11.50-12.30

**Alain Badiou  
A Student of Sartre**  
Chingshun Sheu  
(National Taiwan University)

1.40-2.30

**The Existential Subject  
and Freedom in Learning**  
Miranda Matthews  
(Goldsmiths, University of London)

2.20-3.00

**Sartre's Conception of Agency and  
Its Value for the Philosophy of History**  
Sina Talachian  
(Kings College London)

3.30-4.10

**Sartre's Existential Agnotology  
Toward an Ethics of Ignorance**  
Blake Scott  
(University of Windsor)

– Coffee –

– Lunch –

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