

ALTONAER STIFTUNG FÜR PHILOSOPHISCHE GRUNDLAGENFORSCHUNG

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**“Post-normal science and its ethical aspects -
Doctoral projects and other projects in the making”
The workshop: 17-19 September 2012
2nd circular**

Dear workshop participants!

I am happy to officially **confirm** your participation in the above mentioned workshop 17 - 19 September 2012. We have now filled up the workshop with altogether 13 participants, 9 of which are PhD students, and we have 4 resource persons, with Ragnar Fjelland and Silvio Funtowicz as our main “external” resource person. This time, most of you have been at the ASFPG before, either in connection with an earlier workshop in this series, or in connection with other workshops. We are very happy to welcome all of you to the workshop!

Ulrike has provisionally reserved rooms for you at the Hotel Stephan. Many of you have already sent the registration form, but those who have not yet done so, are hereby asked to do this as soon as possible.

In this letter I send you also a provisional schedule for presentations and some practical information. In particular I ask you to book your travel to Hamburg as soon as possible in order to secure reasonable airfares, and to inform Ulrike about your travel plans.

At this point in time I would suggest the following tentative schedule for the presentations and discussions:

Day 0: Sunday 16 Sept	Time	Day 1: Mon 17 Sept	Day 2: Tues 18 Sept	Day 3: Wed 19 Sept
	09.00 – 09.45		Presentation Fanny Verrax	Presentation Robert Smith
	09:45 – 10.15		Discussion	Discussion
	10.15 – 11.00	<i>Arrival in Hamburg?</i>	Presentation Paula Curvelo	Presentation Jacob Kalle
	11.00 – 11.30		Discussion	Discussion
	11.30 – 11.45		Coffee break	Coffee break
	11.45 – 12.30		Presentation Orla Shortall	Presentation Silvio Funtowicz
	12.30 – 13.00	Lunch ASFPG	Discussion	Discussion
	13.00 – 14.00	Introduction ASFPG and participants' round Matthias Kaiser & Valerie Kerruish	Lunch ASFPG	Lunch ASFPG
	14.00 – 14.45	Presentation Emma Issatt	Presentation Simon Meisch	Presentation Ragnar Fjelland
<i>Travel to Hamburg?</i>	14.45 – 15.15	Discussion	Discussion	Discussion
	15.15 – 15.45	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break
	15.45 – 16.30	Presentation Malini Bhargava	Presentation Anna Krzywoszynska	Presentation Matthias Kaiser
	16.30 – 17.00	Discussion	Discussion	Discussion
	17.00 – 18.00	Open discussion	Open discussion	Open discussion / Evaluation / end of workshop -
	18.00 – 20.00	Drinks and nibbles at ASFPG	<i>Free time</i>	<i>Free time</i>
<i>(open Dinner)</i>	20.00 - ?	<i>(open Dinner, no host) Free time</i>	Workshop Dinner	<i>Departure evening or next day</i>

All presentations are set for ca 45 minutes, followed by ca 30 minutes discussion, but we can be (a bit) flexible. All participants present something, usually either a project description (PhD project), or a part of their PhD / publications. As lectures by the resource persons are in general very much appreciated, Silvio, Ragnar and I might present something as well – even if some of you might have heard us before. - If you for some reason would like to have a different sequence of presentations, please let us know.

Participants need now to think what they would like to present in the workshop. As usual, presentations using Power Point are encouraged, but not obligatory. We also have an “old-fashioned” blackboard we can use. We ask you to send us a **title** of your presentation / project and a short **abstract** (usually between ½ -3 pages), preferably by **1 September 2012**. You may of course also want to distribute text that extends a normal abstract, e.g. a draft of a chapter or article that you work on, but you should be prepared that not everybody has the time to read longer files before the workshop. The collected material will then be distributed by Ulrike to all participants before the workshop.

Practicalities:

Hotel accommodation: Have you communicated to Ulrike Horway at the ASFPG secretariat the precise dates for arrival and departure? Some of you may want to arrive earlier or may want to leave later; in this case it is particularly important that Ulrike knows about your preferences. As indicated in the first circular, the ASFPG pays also for the night from Sunday to Monday and / or from Wednesday to Thursday, if that is your preference. If you want to stay even longer, then you need to cover the additional expenses yourself.

Travel: We recommend that you book your travel as soon as possible, if you have not done so already. The usual conditions apply: Travel to Hamburg and back by airline or train, including transport to and from airports, will be covered on the condition that inexpensive / economy class flight reservations are made. Some of you may have to think about sending in a visa application early.

We ask you to contact Ulrike Horway directly before finalizing your travel arrangements, or if you should be in doubt about the costs or any other aspects of your proposed travel. Also, if you for some reason are unable to pre-pay the ticket and cannot wait for reimbursement until after the workshop, you may ask Ulrike if she can book the travel for you. Ulrike will in any case send out a map that gives you the precise location of the hotel and the Stiftung.

Per diem: A per diem of 30,- Euro is offered for participants. You receive your per diem in cash at the start of the workshop. Lunches (Sandwiches) from Monday to Wednesday are covered by the ASFPG. The ASFPG further invites you to a small reception (drinks and nibbles) on Monday and to the workshop dinner Tuesday evening. All other expenses during the stay are covered by the participants (- that is why you get a per diem!).

Reminder - Your action list:

- Fill out the **registration form** and mail it to the ASFPG by **01 August 2012, unless you already have done so.**
- **Book your travel to Hamburg, unless you already have done so.** Contact Ulrike to confirm.
- Choose a **title** for your presentation and prepare an **abstract**, and / or the Power Point presentation. Send title and abstract to the ASFPG by **1 September 2012.**
- Read the distributed abstracts from other participants once they arrive by email so that you are prepared for the discussions.

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We are very much looking forward to welcome you all in Hamburg in September!

With kind regards,



Matthias Kaiser