



Hegel in France The French Reception of Hegel 1933 to 1952

Hegel in France: The French Reception of Hegel 1933 to 1952 is a one-day academic conference, which will be held at Clare College of the University of Cambridge on Saturday 18 May 2019. We will discuss the French reception of Hegel, beginning in 1933, when Alexandre Koyève began his famous lecture series on the *Phenomenology of Spirit*, and continuing with the publication of Jean Hyppolite's *Logic and Existence* in 1952.

We aim to explore three interpretive traditions in the reception of Hegel within French philosophy between 1933 and 1952. Studying the French reception of Hegel shows how the interpretation, adoption, and rejection of Hegel's thought has moulded much of 20th-century French philosophy. The French reception of Hegel can also help to illuminate the hidden lines of continuity between German and French philosophy today.

We wish to invite Hegel scholars from Britain and the European continent to present papers on the 20th-Century French reception of Hegel. We have invited the presentation of a number of papers from distinguished and junior scholars. Hegel in France has been generously sponsored by the Cambridge Centre for the Study of Platonism, the Mind Association, and the DAAD Research Hub for German Studies.

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| 9:00-9:30 | Douglas Hedley, University of Cambridge
Introductory Remarks |
| 9:30-10:30 | Adrian Mihai, University of Cambridge
The Birth of French Hegelianism: Victor Cousin's Hegel |
| 10:45-11:45 | Alexander Raubo, University of Cambridge
Alexandre Koyré and Hegel in Jena |
| 12:15-1:15 | Andrew Sackin-Poll, University of Cambridge
La Vérité Sentie - Jean Wahl, The Philosopher's Way |
| 1:30-2:30 | Edmund Smith, University of Warwick
What was 'Dialectical Logic'? |
| 2:45-3:30 | Ryan Haecker, University of Cambridge
The Slaughter-Bench of Logic: Georges Bataille on Hegelian Dialectic |
| 4:00-5:00 | Anne Clausen, Universität Göttingen
Levinas' Critique of Hegel |
| 5:15-6:15 | Eric-John Russell, Kingston University London
A Fairly Amiable Taunting: Guy Debord's Hegel |

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