Program of the Conference

Constructive Realism in East and West

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Date: September 28th and 29th 2018

Structure of the Program:

Day 1 - Friday, 28.9.2018
- Session 1: In honor of Vincent Shen

Day 2 – Saturday, 29.9.2018
- Session 2: The function of culture in Constructive Realism
- Session 3: Constructive Realism in different scientific contexts
- Session 4: Challenges for Constructive Realism in the future
Day 1 – Friday, 28.9.2018

15:00 Welcoming - Gathering

15:30 Opening address by rector Alfred Pritz

Session 1 In honor of Vincent Shen

Chair: Giselher Guttmann

16:00 Hugo Renato Ochoa – Pontificia Universidad Católica de Valparaíso (Chile) 
*Vincent Shen, Culturalism between Chinese thought and Western science*

17:00 Vincent Shen – University of Toronto (Canada) & Friedrich Wallner – University of Vienna, Sigmund Freud University Vienna (Austria) *Book-presentation: Constructive Realism - Mediating China and the West*

19:00 General discussion

Day 2 – Saturday, 29.9.2018

Session 2 The function of culture in Constructive Realism

Chair: Jan Brousek

09:00 Friedrich Wallner – University of Vienna, Sigmund Freud University Vienna (Austria) 
*The different origins of Constructive Realism*

10:00 Jan Mehlich – Tunghai University (Taichung, Taiwan) 
*The inherent Constructive Realism in Buddhist Philosophy*

11:00 Nicole Holzenthal – Intersophia-Network (Spain) 
*Culture – an idea between Lifeworld and Political Myths*

12:00 Lunch Break
Session 3  Constructive Realism in different scientific contexts

Chair: Nicole Holzenthal

13:00  Giselher Guttmann – University of Vienna, Sigmund Freud University Vienna, Austrian Academy of Sciences (Austria) & Kurt Greiner Sigmund Freud University Vienna (Austria)
*Psychologie und Konstruktiver Realism - Giselher Guttmann im Dialog mit Kurt Greiner*

14:00  Vincent Shen – University of Toronto (Canada)
*Desire for Meaningfulness: Representing Process, Construction and Translatability*

15:00  Franz Segl – Sigmund Freud University Vienna (Austria)
*Therapieschulendialog - Psychotherapiewissenschaft auf Basis des Konstruktiven Realisms*

16:00  Jan Brousek – University of Graz, University of Klagenfurt (Austria)
*Constructive Realism – an epistemological basis for Intercultural Conflict Transformation*

17:00  Andrea Mercedes-Riegel – Oftersheim (Germany)
*Constructive Realism in Chinese Medicine*

Session 4  Challenges for Constructive Realism in the future

Chair: Roland Fischer

18:00  Roundtable: Jan Brousek, Kurt Greiner, Giselher Guttmann, Nicole Holzenthal, Jan Mehlich, Hugo Renato Ochoa, Andrea Mercedes-Riegel, Franz Seggl, Vincent Shen and Friedrich Wallner

20:00  Convivium