

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

Conference on Dialogical Reason

We invite proposals for 30-minute time slots. These can take the form of a 300-word abstract, a topic for—or a model of—discussion, a simulation, a score, a game, whatever form you deem fitting. Decisions will be based on heterogeneity and a throw of the dice. Please send your proposals to the following addresses, before August 1: p.t.vangemert@tilburguniversity and dejager@esphil.eur.nl. Notifications of acceptance will be sent on August 5.

SUGGESTIONS FOR TOPICS:

- Rationality and dialogue in argumentation theory (Toulmin 1958), dialogical logic (Lorenzen and Lorenz 1978), game-theoretical semantics (Hintikka and Sandu 1997), formal dialectics (Barth & Krabbe 1982), inferentialism (Brandom 1994), pragma-dialectics (van Eemeren & Grootendorst 2004), ludics (Girard 2001) and games in logic (van Benthem 2001)
- Dialectics and dialogue in the works of Plato (Gadamer 1980), medieval logic (Dutilh Novaes 2007, 145), Hegel (Kojève 1969, 179), Marx (Horkheimer & Adorno 1947), Sellars (Christias 2023, 257-271), Bachelard (Fabry 2021), Lautman (Holvoet ms.) and Cavailles (Hare 2022)
- Approaches to dialectics and possible uses of the concept of the dialogical in Bayesian epistemology (Betz 2007), predictive processing (Boonstra & Slagter 2019; Wilkins forthcoming), active inference (Parr et al. 2022.) and the free-energy principle (Friston et al. 2020; de Jager ms.)
- Dialogical themes in social epistemology such as deep disagreement (Pritchard 2021), antagonism and agonism (Mouffe 1993), deliberation (Skyrms 1990), the principle of charity (Davidson 1984), misunderstanding (Gringras 2007), apathy (Schwengerer & Kotsonis 2024) and trust (McCraw 2015)

