



International Conference Jacob Böhme and His World

Conference Program

Afternoon and Evening, Friday, July 4

4:00-4:30	Conference Opening, Greeting
4:30-5:20	KEYNOTE: Ferdinand van Ingen (University of Amsterdam): "Jacob Böhme und seine Zeit"
5:20-6:10	Bo Andersson (Uppsala universitet), "Jacob Böhme's Philosophical Writing: A Rational Approach"
6:10-7:00	Peter Forshaw (University of Amsterdam), "Opus Magnum Boehmianum: Alchemy in the Context of Böhme's Work"
7:30	Conference Dinner

Morning, Afternoon, and Evening, Saturday, July 5

9:00-9:50	Gerold Necker (Martin-Luther University Halle-Wittenberg), "Divine Letters: Language as reflected in Kabbalistic Literature around 1600"
9:50-10:40	Kristine Hannak (Universität Tübingen), Lucinda Martin (Gotha Research Centre, Universität Erfurt), "Jacob Böhme and the Crisis of Piety of his Time. Exemplified by Johann Arndt and Martin Moller"
10:40-11:00	BREAK

- 11:00-11:50 Lutz Pannier (Oberlausitzische Gesellschaft der Wissenschaften), "The Sciences of the Stars in Böhme's World"
- 12:00-2:00 LUNCH AND PAUSE
- 2:00-2:50 Urs Leo Gantenbein (Zürich Paracelsus Project), "The Reception of the Paracelsian Theological Writings in Böhme's City and Region"
- 2:50-3:40 Andrew Weeks (Illinois State University), "Jacob Böhme, Johannes Staricius, and The Transmission of Ideas"
- 4:00-6:00 AFTERNOON BREAK AND PAUSE

EVENING PROGRAM (given in the German language for the benefit of the public)

- 6:10-7:00 KEYNOTE: Leigh Penman (University of Queensland), "A Web of Heretics? A sketch of Jacob Böhme's Networks in Görlitz, Upper Lusatia and Lower Silesia" (Eine Ketzerkabale? Jacob Böhmes Netzwerk der Kontakte in Görlitz, Oberlausitz und Schlesien)
- 7:00-7:50 Ines Anders (Kulturhistorisches Museum Görlitz), "Jacob Böhmes Görlitz"
- 8:00 RECEPTION

Morning, Sunday, July 6

- 9:00-9:50 Ariel Hessayon (Goldsmiths, University of London), "Böhme and the English Philadelphians"
- 9:50-10:40 Mike A. Zuber (University of Amsterdam), "Georg von Welling and Jacob Böhme's Theosophy"
- 10:40-11:30 Scott Brown (St. Louis), "Jacob Böhme and the Image of the World"
- 11:30 Open-ended discussion of the conference results under the direction of Wouter Hanegraaff (University of Amsterdam)

Afternoon, Sunday, July 6

- 12:30 INFORMAL GATHERING IN THE JACOB BÖHME HAUS (Zgorzelec, Poland)