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The annual Colloquia serve to coordinate the international network of Bonhoeffer projects. They focus on the exchange and co-operation among younger research fellows dealing with the theology of Dietrich Bonhoeffer.

Partners at universities in North America, the United Kingdom, South Africa and Germany as well as the German Section of the International Bonhoeffer Society are already involved. A wider international cooperation is prospected.

The Third International Bonhoeffer Colloquium is organized by:

Gastprof. Ralf Wüstenberg
(Freie Universität Berlin, Germany)

Dr. Stefan Heuser
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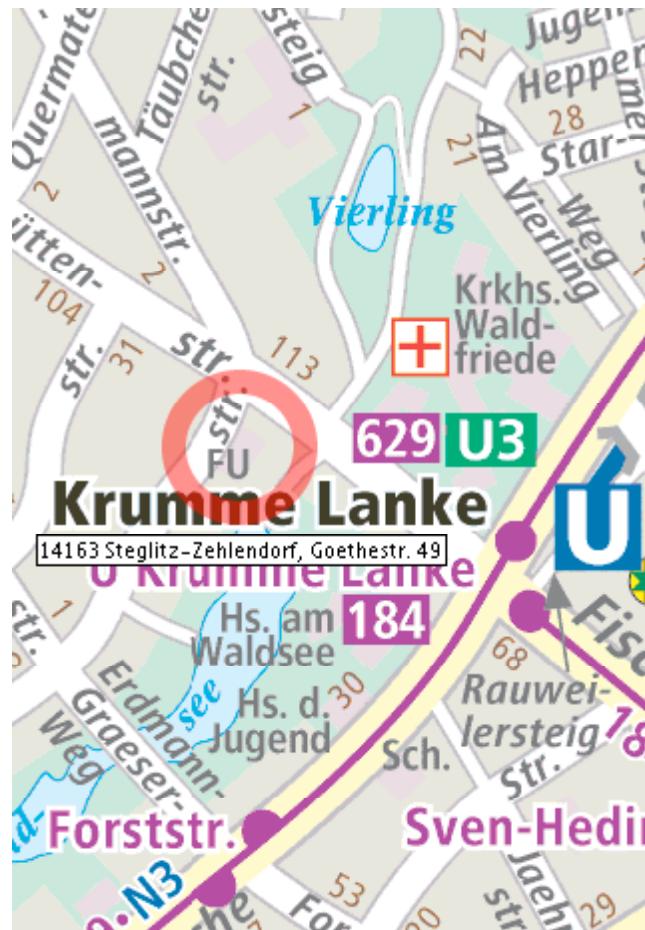
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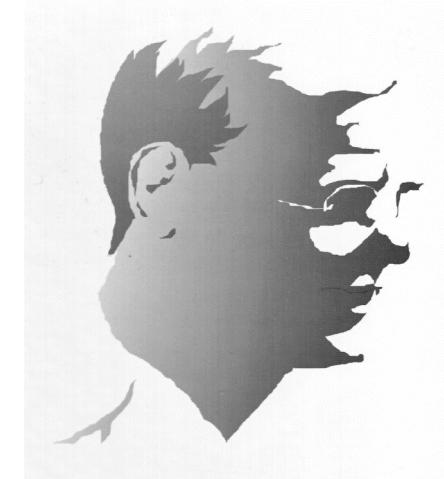
The conference language is English.
Registration before Dec. 15th: € 20.- (students free),
accommodation can be arranged.

directions:

subway station Krumme Lanke (U3)
or bus 184,
then veer toward
Fischerhüttenstr.



Third International Bonhoeffer Colloquium



Hermeneutics of Human Life Bonhoeffer and Bioscience in Dialogue

Jan. 9th and 10th 2009
Clubhaus
der Freien Universität Berlin
Goethestraße 49
14163 Berlin

host:

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mit dem Fachgebiet
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Program

Fr, 9. Jan. 2009

- 10.00 **welcome**
Gast-Prof. Dr. Ralf K. Wüstenberg
(Freie Universität Berlin)
- 10.30 **salutatory notes**
Dipl.-Pol. Sybill De Vito-Egerland
(Präsidium, Freie Universität Berlin)
Prof. Dr. Helmut Reihlen
(Vorsitzender Stiftung Bonhoeffer-Lehrstuhl)
- 11.15 **introductory note**
Whose reality? Which ethics?
– *Responding with Bonhoeffer to rival metaphors of human life in bioscience*
Dr. Stefan Heuser
(Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg)
- 11.45 lunch break
- 13.00 **invited paper**
Biomedical Research and our understanding of disability
Dr. Sigrid Graumann
(Institut Mensch, Ethik, Wissenschaft IMEW, Berlin)
- 13.20 **discussion**
moderation: Dr. Stefan Heuser
(Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg)
- 13.50 coffee break
- 14.00 **invited paper**
The Human Genome Project as Soteriological Project
Dr. Robert Song
(Durham University, UK)
- 14.20 **discussion**
moderation: Dr. Tom Greggs
(University of Chester, UK)
- 14.50 coffee break

- 15.00 **invited paper**
*Free from human creation or slave to it?
Bonhoeffer on the uniqueness of the human creature*
Dr. David Clough MA, MSt, PhD, FHEA
(University of Chester, UK)
- 15.20 **discussion**
moderation: Prof. Dr. Christiane Tietz
- 15.50 coffee break
- 16.00 **invited paper**
*Respecting Rights and Fulfilling Duties:
Bonhoeffer's 'Formed Life' in Bioethical Perspective*
Michael de Jonge
(Emory University, Freie Universität Berlin)
- 16.20 **discussion**
moderation: Gast-Prof. Dr. Ralf K. Wüstenberg
- 16.50 coffee break
- 17.00 **lecture**
*Biotechnology and Public Theology.
A Dialogue with Dietrich Bonhoeffer*
Prof. Dr. Bedford-Strohm
(Universität Bamberg)
- 17.30 **discussion**
moderation: Gast-Prof. Dr. Ralf K. Wüstenberg
- 18.00 light dinner
- 19.30 **guided tour through the Bonhoeffer-Haus**
Marienburger Allee 43
Berlin-Charlottenburg
(S-Heerstraße)
- free evening

Sa, 10. Jan. 2009

- 9.00 **lecture**
*Moral Perception of Human Embryos:
A hermeneutic approach to normativity*
Prof. Dr. phil., dipl. biol.
Christoph Rehmann-Sutter
(Universität Basel, Switzerland)
- 9.30 **discussion**
moderation: Prof. Dr. Hans G. Ulrich
- 10.20 coffee break
- 10.30 **lecture**
Bonhoeffer's hermeneutics of human life and its implications for medical ethics
Prof. Dr. Bernd Wannenwetsch
(University of Oxford, UK)
- 11.00 **discussion**
moderation: Prof. Dr. Christiane Tietz
- 11.45 lunch break
- 13.00 **lecture**
Genes in Development. Re-reading the Molecular Paradigm
Dr. rer. nat., Dipl. biol. Eva Neumann-Held
(Universität Witten/Herdecke)
- 13.30 **discussion**
moderation: Dr. Stefan Heuser
- 14.00 coffee break
- 14.15 **lecture**
Understanding the conditio humana. New hermeneutical, theoretical and practical perspectives in the field of genome-research
Prof. Dr. Hans G. Ulrich
(Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg)
- 14.45 **responses**
Prof. Dr. phil., dipl. biol. Rehmann-Sutter
Prof. Dr. Bedford Strohm
Dr. rer. nat., Dipl. biol. Eva Neumann-Held
Dr. Sigrid Graumann
moderation: Dr. Stefan Heuser