



THE INSTITUTE FOR ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN STUDIES, CAMBRIDGE

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

'PAVEL A. FLORENSKY FOR THE 21ST CENTURY'

WESLEY HOUSE & WESTCOTT HOUSE, JESUS LANE, CAMBRIDGE, UK

14 (EVENING) – 16 SEPTEMBER 2022

Provisional Programme

Please note that IOCS does not provide meals to participants

WEDNESDAY 14 SEPTEMBER

- 19:30 Registration, Dining Hall, Wesley House
- 20:00 Welcome and Introduction, Revd Dragos Herescu & Dr Christoph Schneider
- 20:15 Prof Michael Martin (Centre for Sophiological Studies, MI – via Zoom), *The Colour Blue: On the Sophiology of Pavel Florensky*

THURSDAY 15 SEPTEMBER – CUNNINGHAM ROOM, WESTCOTT HOUSE

- 09:30-10:45** Prof John Milbank (University of Nottingham), *Florensky, Sophiology and the contemporary rejection of Finitism*
- 10:45-11:15 Coffee/tea
- 11:15-12:00** Dr Anke Niederbudde (Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich), *Infinity Questions: Mathematics in Pavel Florensky's early religious writings*
- 12:00-12:30 Coffee/tea
- 12:30-13:15** Dr Alexei Nesteruk (University of Portsmouth), *From 'Microcosm and Macrocosm' to 'Allegiance to the Earth': Theological insights into Pavel Florensky's correspondence with Vladimir Vernadsky*
- 13:15-14:45 Lunch Break
- 14:45-16:00** Prof Paweł Rojek (Jagiellonian University, Krakow), *Pavel Florensky's Trinitarian Ontology. Homoousia, relational identity, and synergy*

- 16:00-16:30 Coffee/tea
- 16:30-17:15** Prof Bruce Foltz (Eckerd College, FL), *The possibility of a symbolic ontology in the work of Fr Pavel Florensky*
- 17:15-17:45 Coffee/tea
- 17:45-18:30** Dr Christoph Schneider (IOCS), *Pavel Florensky's metaxological philosophy of language*

FRIDAY 16 SEPTEMBER – DINING HALL, WESLEY HOUSE

- 09:30-10:45** Prof Paul Gavrilyuk (University of St Thomas, MN), *Divine Judgment in Florensky and Bulgakov*
- 10:45-11:15 Coffee/tea
- 11:15-12:00** Dr Avril Pyman (Durham University), *Florensky and the visual arts: some biographical insights*
- 12:00-12:30 Coffee/tea
- 12:30-13:15** Dr Clemena Antonova (Institute for Human Sciences, Vienna), *Why the Icon? The role of art theory in Pavel Florensky's philosophy*
- 13:30-15:00 Lunch Break
- 15:00-15:45** Dr Ksenia Ermishina (Alexander Solzhenitsyn Centre, Moscow – via Zoom), *Sacred Legacy: Pavel Florensky through the eyes of his contemporaries - philosophers of the Russian diaspora and great thinkers of our time*
- 15:45-16:15 Coffee/tea
- 16:15-17:00** Harry Moore (University of Oxford), *Pavel Florensky and the Philosophy of Time*
- 17:00-17:30 Final general discussion