



AT THE LIMITS OF PHENOMENOLOGY

# NOSP 2014

24 - 26 APRIL 2014

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NOSP 2014 - At the Limits of Phenomenology  
Helsinki, Finland, 24 - 26 April 2014

Venues:

**TIETEIDEN TALO**

Tieteiden Talo (House of Science and Letters), Kirkkokatu 6

**ARPPEANUM**

Arppeanum (Helsinki University Museum), Snellmaninkatu 3 (Friday)

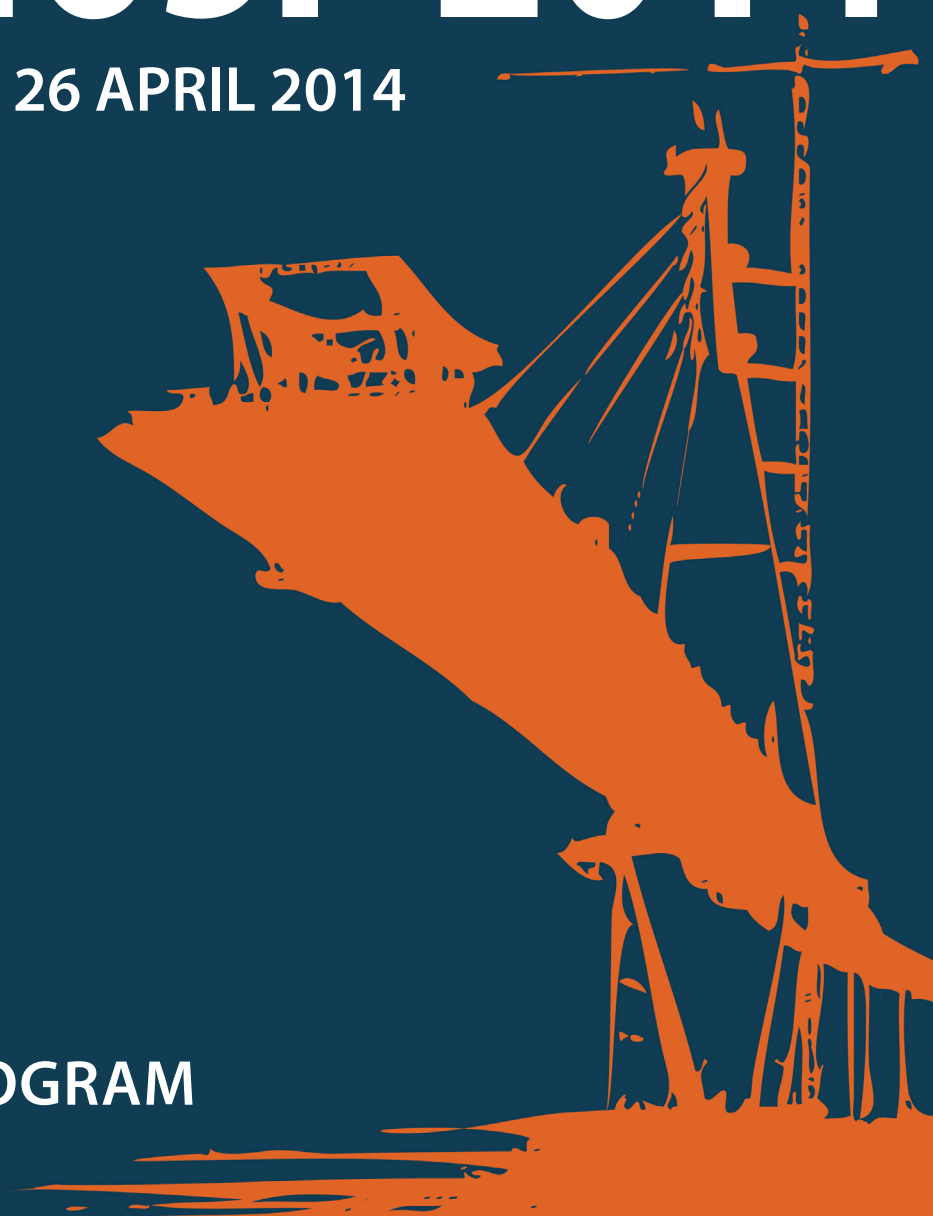
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The Nordic Society for Phenomenology / Nordisk Selskab for Fænomenologi (NoSP) was founded in May 2001 in Copenhagen. Its aim is to further dialogue and cooperation between phenomenologists in the Nordic countries, and to promote scholarship, teaching, research, and publication affiliated with phenomenology. For more information: [www.helsinki.fi/jarj/nosp](http://www.helsinki.fi/jarj/nosp)

## PROGRAM



09:30 – 10:15 Registration, Tieteiden talo, Kirkkokatu 6  
TIETEIDEN TALO

10:15 – 12:00 **NoSP 2014 opening session, Room 104**  
TIETEIDEN TALO Opening words, Sara Heinämaa (University of Jyväskylä)

**Plenary lecture, THOMAS SHEEHAN** (Stanford University)  
*What, After All, Was Heidegger About?*

Lunch (60 min)

13:00 – 14:45 Parallel sessions 1  
TIETEIDEN TALO

ROOM 104	ROOM 309	ROOM 313	ROOM 405
<b>PANEL: WRITING OF NATURE</b>	<b>HEIDEGGER AND EXPERIENCE</b>	<b>CONTEMPORARY NORDIC PERSPECTIVES</b>	<b>HUSSERL AND TIME</b>
SUSANNA LINDBERG: Material or Elemental, Imagination or Writing?	CHOONG-SU HAN: 'Experience ( <i>Erfahrung</i> )' and 'Lived-Experience ( <i>Erlebnis</i> )' in Heidegger's Philosophy	NICHOLAS SMITH: The World Beyond Europe as Spirit: Transcendental Prejudice and Phenomenology	CLAUDIO TARDITI: At the Limits of Transcendental Phenomenology: Limits and Fruitfulness of the Husserlian Account of ' <i>Inneren Zeitbewußtseins</i> '
MARIA VALKAMA: Nature Asleep: The Dialectical Negativity in Hölderlin's Nature and History	TRACY COLONY: Bringing Philosophy Back to Life: Nietzsche and Heidegger's Early Phenomenology	KRISTIAN KLOCKARS: The Constitution of the People at the Limit Between Phenomenological Reflection and Normative Enactment	BERNHARD OBSIEGER: Husserl's Discovery of the Phenomenological Reduction
ANTTI SALMINEN: What Is 'Elemental Asubjectivity'?	FREDRIK WESTERLUND: Heidegger, Philosophy, and Naive Insight	GUILLERMO FERRER: Edmund Husserl's Phenomenology of Chance and Randomness	
ARI KORHONEN: Disgusting Nature: Kant and Derrida on the Technique of Nature			
Chair: Susanna Lindberg	Chair: Jussi Backman	Chair: Timo Miettinen	Chair: Simo Pulkkinen

Coffee (30 min) at Tieteiden talo

15:15 – 17:00 Parallel sessions 2  
TIETEIDEN TALO

ROOM 104	ROOM 309	ROOM 313	ROOM 405
<b>PHENOMENOLOGIES OF PERCEPTION</b>	<b>DELEUZE AND PHENOMENOLOGY</b>	<b>AT THE LIMITS OF GIVENNESS</b>	<b>HEIDEGGER IN DIALOGUE</b>
SØREN OVERGAARD: Neither Relational nor Representational? Recent Phenomenological Accounts of Perception	SVEN-OLOV WALLENSTEIN: Ideas, the Sensible, and Pespectivism	MARCO CAVALLARO: Husserl on Habits	MAXIME DOYON: The 'As-Structure' of Perceptual Experience in Husserl and Heidegger
RASMUS THYBO JENSEN: How Can We Say 'The World is What We Perceive'? Skepticism in the Light of Merleau-Ponty's Phenomenology and McDowell's Disjunctivism	JOHAN SEHLBERG: Philosophical Thinking and the Sciences in Deleuze	BERNARDO AINBINDER: Totality and Givenness: Phenomenology Beyond its Limits	BOGDAN MINCĂ: Heidegger's Interpretation of the Platonic Cave Allegory (1931-32) as the First Instance of the Re-Turn ( <i>Kehre</i> )
CORIJN VAN MAZIJK: Kant, Husserl, McDowell: The Problem of Non-Conceptual Content	JUDITH WAMBACQ: A Comparison of Merleau-Ponty's and Deleuze's Transcendental Projects	LUKE MCNULTY: Wittgenstein and the Limits of Phenomenology	ILEANA BORTUN: Rethinking Levinas's Critique of Heidegger's Ontology: The Ethical Significance of the Existential Analytic
Chair: Joonas Taipale	Chair: Charlotta Weigelt	Chair: Hermanni Yli-Tepsa	Chair: Irina Poleshchuk

17:15 – 18:45 **Plenary lecture, Room 104**  
TIETEIDEN TALO **CLAUDE ROMANO** (Université Paris-Sorbonne, Paris IV)  
*From Self to Selfhood: What Contribution Does Hermeneutics Make to the Phenomenological Problem of the Self?*

Chair: Søren Overgaard

19:00 – 20:30 Rector's reception for the speakers at Arppeanum,  
ARPPÉANUM Helsinki University Museum, Snellmaninkatu 6, 5<sup>th</sup> floor

09:00 – 10:30

ARPEANUM

**Plenary lecture, Arpeanum Auditorium, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor**

**MAO NAKA** (Kobe University)

*Otherness of Reproduction: Our Passivity and Control of It*

Chair: Hans Ruin

Coffee (30 min) at Tieteiden talo

11:00 – 12:45

TIETEIDEN TALO

Parallel sessions 3

ROOM 309	ROOM 312	ROOM 313	ROOM 405
<b>BEYOND METAPHYSICS</b>	<b>MERLEAU-PONTY AND PERCEPTION</b>	<b>NATURALIZATION AND IDEALIZATION</b>	<b>PERSPECTIVES AND HORIZONS</b>
CHRISTOPHER D. MERWIN: At the Limits of Thinking: Heidegger's Early Critique of Representationalism and Metaphysics	GUNNAR KARLSEN: Seeing Sounds and Hearing Things	ALFREDO VERNAZZANI: Mechanistic Explanation and First-Person Accounts of Consciousness	THIEMO BREYER: Intersubjective Perspective – Combined, Distributed, or Emergent?
NIALL KEANE: The Limits of Phenomenology: The Leap and Negativity in Heidegger's <i>Contributions to Philosophy</i>	TREVOR PERRI: The Oneirism of Wakefulness and the Quasi-Perceptual Character of Dreams: Merleau-Ponty on Perceptual and Imagining Consciousness	ANDREA PACE GIANNOTTA: Phenomenological Naturalization Versus Scientific Naturalization of Subjectivity	PAUL ZIPFEL: The Affectivity of a Surprise: An Investigation into the Limits of Husserlian Affectivity
CHRISTOPHE PERRIN: Who Overcomes Who by Overcoming Metaphysics?	EDOARDO LAMEDICA: Phenomenology of Depth: Visual Presence and Encountered Reality	HANS HERLOF GRELLAND: Intentionality and Higgs Particles	TOBIAS KEILING: The Limit of the World: Husserl and Heidegger on the Notion of Horizon
Chair: Jussi Backman	Chair: Erika Ruonakoski	Chair: Mirja Hartimo	Chair: Fredrik Westerlund

Lunch (60 min)

13:45 – 15:30 Parallel sessions 4

TIETEIDEN TALO

ROOM 309	ROOM 312	ROOM 313	ROOM 405
<b>SELFHOOD AND DISORDER</b>	<b>HISTORICITY AND GENESIS</b>	<b>HERMENEUTICS</b>	<b>EMBODIMENT AND MATERIALITY</b>
KRISTIAN MOLTKE MARTINY: The Uncertain Certainty of Living with Cerebral Palsy	HARRY A. NETHERY: Husserl at the Limit of Phenomenology: History and the 5 <sup>th</sup> Cartesian Meditation	ANNIINA LEIVISKÄ: Gadamer's Dialectical Concept of Truth: Overcoming Objectivism and Relativism in Hermeneutics	CLAUS HALBERG: If the Reversibility of the Flesh is the Answer, What, Then, Was the Question? Questioning the Question in Merleau-Ponty's Late Thought
LISA FOLKMARSON KÄLL: Intercorporeity and Alterations of Self in Age-Related Dementia	MICHAEL GEERIN GUTIERREZ: The Historical Way to Phenomenology: On Privilege and Equiprimordiality	TSUTOMU BEN YAGI: The Mother Tongue as the Place of Sojourn in Language: A Hermeneutic Response to Waldenfels	GUSTAVO GOMEZ PEREZ: The Phantom of Nature: The Concept of Earth in Merleau-Ponty's Ontology
CHARLES QUINN: The Relevance of Phenomenology for Psychiatry and Clinical Psychology: Karl Jaspers and Beyond	CHARLOTTA WEIGELT: Phenomenology and the Problem of Causality	MÄRA GRINFELDE: Givenness with or without Hermeneutics? Jean-Luc Marion's Idea of Saturated Phenomenon Revisited	ANNA PETRONELLA FOULTIER: Bodily Reflection and the Phenomenology of Dance
Chair: Joel Backström	Chair: Simo Pulkkinen	Chair: Niall Keane	Chair: Sara Heinämaa

16:00 – 18:20

ARPEANUM

**Nordic Senior lectures, Arpeanum Auditorium, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor**

**JUSSI KOTKAVIRTA** (University of Jyväskylä)

*On Shame and Self-Awareness*

**FREDRIK SVENAEUS** (Södertörn University)

*Is Suffering Ever Good? Phenomenological Explorations*

Chair: Sara Heinämaa

18:30 – 19:15

ARPEANUM

NoSP business meeting, Arpeanum Auditorium, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor

10:00 – 11:45 Parallel sessions 5

TIETEIDEN TALO

ROOM 309	ROOM 312	ROOM 404	ROOM 405
<b>ETHICS AND SOCIAL ONTOLOGY</b>	<b>LANGUAGE AND MERLEAU-PONTY</b>	<b>EMPATHY AND INTERSUBJECTIVITY</b>	<b>IMAGES AND AESTHETICS</b>
ALESSANDRO SALICE: Tomoo Otaka's Phenomenological Approach to Social Ontology	LOVISA HÅKANSSON: Literature and Art in Merleau-Ponty's Reading of Proust	JOONA TAIPALE: The Melodic Presence of the Other: Phenomenological Remarks on Empathy and Mental States	GEDIMINAS KAROBLIS: Husserl's Phenomenology of Image Consciousness Intensified in Examples: Is it Similar in Watching a Portrait, a Play or a Film?
TOMAS DA COSTA: Thomas Luckmann's Understanding of Phenomenology as Protosociology and the Boundaries of the Social World	DOMINIC SHAW: Language as the Body of Thought: Merleau-Ponty's 'Middle Period'	ZHIDA LUO: Husserl on Twofold Empathic Intentionality	DALIUS JONKUS: Nicolai Hartmann and Vasily Sesemann's Aesthetics: Critical Realism or Phenomenology?
MICHAEL GUBSER: The World That Ought to Be: Józef Tischner and the Ethics of Solidarity	HERMANNI YLI-TEPSA: Question of Non-Sentient Life-Forms in Merleau-Ponty's Phenomenology	MAREK POKROPSKI: Time and Empathy: Phenomenology of Empathy and the Problem of Intersubjective Temporality	STÅLE FINKE: Presence in Imitation – Merleau-Ponty on Children's Drawings
Chair: Kristian Klockars	Chair: Juho Hotanen	Chair: Mirja Hartimo	Chair: Saara Hacklin

Lunch (1h 30min)

13:15 – 15:00 Parallel sessions 6

TIETEIDEN TALO

ROOM 309	ROOM 312	ROOM 404
<b>THE POLITICAL AND THE SOCIAL</b>	<b>BEYOND INTENTIONALITY</b>	<b>AGENCY AND ACTIVITY</b>
ARI-ELMERI HYVÖNEN: The Uncanny Proximity of Natality to the Social	JUN KUZUYA: What Is It to Ascribe Content to Perception?	CHRISTOPHER ERHARD: Husserl, Reiner, and the Phenomenology of Agency
HANNA LUKKARI: Hannah Arendt on the Temporal and Spatial Aspects of Law	SMADAR BUSTAN: What is Suffering and How to Resolve the Split Between Phenomenology and Science	HOLLY HAVENS: Reconsidering Affirmation
IAN ANGUS: Critique of Reason and the Theory of Value: Groundwork of a Phenomenological Marxism	STEFAN KRISTENSEN: Phenomenology and the Machinic Unconscious	
Chair: Timo Miettinen	Chair: Lisa Käll	Chair: Rasmus Thybo Jensen

Coffee (30 min) at Tieteiden talo

15:30 – 17:00  
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**Plenary lecture, Room 104**  
**HANNE JACOBS** (Loyola University Chicago)  
*Personhood and Social Life*

Chair: Hans Ruin

17:00 – 17:15  
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Closing words, Room 104  
Sara Heinämaa (University of Jyväskylä)

19:00 – 23:00

**Conference dinner**, Restaurant Suomenlinnan Upseerikerho

Dinner guests meet at Market Square (Kauppatori) at 18:15  
Ferry leaves at 18:40