


Monday (Sept. 16th)	Tuesday (Sept. 17th)	Wednesday (Sept. 18th)
09.30–09.40: Welcome / Opening		
09:40–10:30: Chris Smeenk (<i>Western University</i>) “The Nature and Limits of Eliminative Reasoning”	09:40–10:30: Elena Castellani (<i>University of Florence</i>) and Emilia Margoni (<i>University of Geneva</i>) “Knowledge Transfer in Theory Building/Appraisal”	09:40–10:30: Mike D. Schneider (<i>University of Missouri</i>) “The Creativity of Contemporary Fundamental Physics Research”
10:30–11:00: <i>Coffee break</i>	10:30–11:00: <i>Coffee break</i>	10:30–11:10 <i>Coffee break</i>
11:00–11:35: Sarwar Ahmed “Inference to the Source: The Case of Observing a Binary Black Hole Merger”	11:00–11:35: Lucas Gautheron “Social Dilemmas in High-Energy Physics”	11:00–11:35: Helen Meskhidze “A Discussion of Some Solution-Generating Techniques in General Relativity”
11:40–12:30: Lydia Patton (<i>Virginia Tech</i>) “Why You Can’t Test a Scientific Theory”	11:40–12:15: Patrick M. Duerr and Enno Fischer* “The Virtues of Scientific Promise. The Virtue-Economic Account of Pursuit-Worthiness”	11:40–12:15: Robert van Leeuwen “String Theory and Physical Reality in the 1980s”
	12:15–14:00 <i>Lunch</i>	12:15–14:00 <i>Lunch</i>
12:30–14:30: <i>Lunch</i>	14:00–14:50: Helge Kragh (<i>University of Copenhagen</i>) “Epistemic Shifts and Criteria of Science: A Historical Perspective”	14:00–15:00: Final discussion
14:30–15:20: Richard Dawid (<i>Stockholm University</i>) “Meta-Empirical Theory Assessment: What Trusting Special Relativity and Trusting String Theory Have in Common.”	14:55–15:30: Patrick M. Duerr* and Finnur Dellsén “Scientific Progress and Cosmology: What Lessons Can the History of Cosmology Teach Philosophers About Scientific Progress?”	
15:25–16:00: Guy Hetzroni “The Projectability of Meta-Inductive Arguments: The Case of Invariance Considerations”	15:35–16:10: Mauro Dorato “On Cosmic Time and the Cosmological Principle”	
16:00–16:30 <i>Coffee break</i>	16:10–16:40 <i>Coffee break</i>	
16:30–17:05: Erik Curiel “Problems with the Invocation of ‘Consilience’ in Semi-Classical Gravity”	16:40–17:15: Antonis Antoniou “Why did the Dark Matter Hypothesis Supersede Modified Gravity in the 1980s?”	
17:10–17:45: Radin Dardashti*, Richard Dawid and Elena Castellani “Unification and Surprise: On the Confirmatory Reach of Unification”	17:20–17:55 Anastasiia Lazutkina “Transformation of Testing Methods in Cosmology: From the 1990s to Now”	
	19:00: <i>Conference Dinner</i>	

 Keynote

 Contributed talk