

# New Ideas on Normativity

Mannheim, January 22–24, 2026



## Conference Schedule

### Thursday, Jan. 22

**13:45** Welcome and Introduction

**14:00** Kate Nolfi (Vermont): *Explaining the Normative Significance of Epistemic Evaluation*

**15:15** Coffee Break

**15:30** Karl Bergman (Barcelona)/Nils Franzén (Umeå): *Expressivism and the Multiplicity of Oughts*

**16:30** Agnès Baehni (Geneva; joint work with Alexander Velichkov (Sofia)): *Blaming Good People*

**17:30** Coffee Break

**17:45** Roman Heil (Frankfurt): *Nobody Cares? Collective Instrumentalism, Trivial Beliefs and the Balance of Epistemic Interests*

### Friday, Jan. 23 (Morning Session)

**9:30** Antti Kauppinen (Helsinki): *Fittingness and Action*

**10:45** Coffee Break

**11:00** Michael Vollmer (Heidelberg): *The Right Kind of Reasons Contrastivism*

**12:00** Romy Eskens (Utrecht): *Mental Wronging*

**13:00** Lunch Break

## Friday, Jan. 23 (Afternoon Session)

**14:30** Arianna Falbo (Toronto): *Shouldn't Have Inquired?*

**15:45** Coffee Break

**16:00** Zofia Zacharova (St. Andrews): *Normative Perspectives on the Zetetic Turn*

**17:00** Coffee Break

**17:15** Sebastian Schmidt (Zurich): *Epistemic Norms as Relational Duties*

**19:00** Conference Dinner

## Saturday, Jan. 24

**9:30** Marc Andree Weber (Mannheim): *Belief Formation Moralised*

**10:45** Coffee Break

**11:00** Thomas Bullemore (Oxford): *Is Reality Normatively Structured?*

**12:00** Coffee Break

**12:15** Asbjørn Steglich-Petersen (Aarhus): *Do We Have Epistemic Reasons for Absolutely Pointless Beliefs?*

**13:30** End of Conference