

# Complexity in the Humanities and Sciences

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## FRIDAY, MARCH 29

**Registration:** 4:00—4:30

**Session 1:** 4:30—5:15

Phoebe Page, Royal Holloway, University of London

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*The Systematicity of Emergence: What Kind of Systematicity does Emergent Complexity Require?*

**Keynote 1:** 5:30—7:00

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*Emergence: It's Complex, but Not That Complicated*

## SATURDAY, MARCH 30

**Registration:** 9:30—10:00

**Session 2:** 10:00—10:45

Paul Patton, University of Toronto

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*Distributed Cognitive Systems, Emergence, and the Social Epistemology of Science*

**Session 3:** 11:00—11:45

Les James, Goddard College

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*Emergent Levels: A Framework for Reimagining Complex and Cognitive Systems*

**Lunch:** 11:45—2:00

**Session 4:** 2:00—2:45

Lawrence S. Wang  
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*Two Be or Not Two (Three, Four, Five...) Be? Objections on Mathematical Taxonomy*

**Session 5:** 3:00—3:45

Andrew Richmond, Columbia University  
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*Complexity and Computational Explanation in Cognitive Science*

**Session 6:** 4:00—4:45

Paul Daniell, London School of Economics  
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*Equilibrium Theory and Scientific Explanation*

**Keynote 2:** 5:00—6:30

Dorothea Olkowski, University of Colorado Colorado Springs  
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*Bergson and Peirce: From Chaos to Complexity*

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