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PLACE
The Conference will be held at the University of Rome, Congress Centre "La Sapienza" - Via Salaria, 113-115 Rome

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE
The official language of the Conference is English. Simultaneous translation will be provided.

REGISTRATION
The registration fee is L. 200.000
The fee entitles registered participants to the following:
- official congress folder
- coffee breaks
- work luncheons
- special price for banquet and tour

INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION DESK
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Monday, June 20

Registration: 9:00-10:30

Opening remarks: 10:45
Giorgio Tecce, Rettore, Università di Roma
"La Sapienza"

Session 1 11:00-12:00
Hume and Ancient Scepticism
Julia Annas, University of Arizona

Session 2 12:05-13:05
Hume and the Populousness of Ancient Nations
Domenico Musti, Università di Roma
"La Sapienza"

Lunch (In the Conference Centre)

Session 3 14:30-15:30
Hume on Single Experiments
J. P. Monteiro, University of Lisbon

Session 4 15:35-16:30
Hume on Passion, Pleasure, and the Reasonableness of Ends
Elizabeth Radcliffe, Santa Clara University
Sherryl Kuhlman, Franklin and Marshall College

16:30-16:45 Coffee Break

Session 5 16:45-17:45
Scepticism as a Passion of the Soul
Fabio Todesco, Università di Bologna
Eugenio Lecaldano, Università di Roma
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Session 6 17:50-18:45
6A Is Hume's Theory of Abstraction Self-Defeating?
Nathan Brett, Dalhousie University
George Pappas, Ohio State University

6B Hume's Phenomenal Atomism in the Inkspot Experiment
Dale Jacquette, Pennsylvania State University
Marina Frasca-Spada, Cambridge University

Alessandra Attanasio

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Tuesday, June 21

Session 7 9:00-11:00
Approaches to Hume in Italy
Giancarlo Carabelli, Università di Ferrara
Franco Restaino, Università di Cagliari
Antonio Santucci, Università di Bologna

11:00-11:15 Coffee Break

Session 8 11:15-12:15
Hume on Demonstration
David Owen, University of Arizona

Session 9 12:20-13:15
9A Hume's Pyrrhonism and the Legacy of Sextus Empiricus
Peter Fosl, Hollins College
Doreen Silver, Toronto

9B Hume, Bayle, Juren, and Nicole
Thomas M. Lennon, University of Western Ontario
Nadia Boccara, Università di Viterbo

Lunch (In the Conference Centre)

Session 10 14:30-15:30
Irrational Inference and Rational Belief:
Hume's Justification of Induction
Corliss Swain, St. Olaf College

Session 11 15:35-16:30
11A Moral Scepticism in Sextus and Hume
Thomas Olshewsky, University of Kentucky
Joseph Ellin, University of Western Michigan

11B Hume, Belief and Personal Identity
Justin Broackes, Brown University
Wade L. Robison, Rochester Institute of Technology

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Aspects Dynamiques de la Théorie des Passions chez Hume
Jean-Pierre Cléro, University of Nantes

Session 13 17:50-18:45
13A Hume and the Problem of Moral Realism
Elvio Baccarini, Università di Trieste
Luigi Turco, Università di Bologna

13B Does Hume have an Ethics of Virtue?
Some Observations on Character and Reasoning in Hume and Aristotle
Marcia L. Homiak, Occidental College
Maria J. Montes, Instituto de Bachillerato, Madrid
Wednesday, June 22

Session 14 9:00-10:00

The Slave of Passions: Hume on Religion and Morality
John P. Wright, University of Windsor;
Visiting Professor, Università di Bologna

Session 15 10:05-11:00

15A Does Hume have an Instrumental Conception of Practical Reason?
Jean Hampton, University of Arizona
Clarence Johnson, Spellman College

15B Laws of Nature and Competing Proofs in Hume’s “Of Miracles”
Don Garrett, University of Utah
John Biro, University of Florida

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Hume and Moral Scepticism
David Fate Norton, McGill University;
Visiting Professor, Università di Roma
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17A Hume and Trenchard
Paola Zanardi, Università di Ferrara
Maria Luisa Pesante, Università di Torino

17B Hume on Testimony
Michael Welbourne, University of Bristol
William E. Morris, University of Cincinnati

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14:30 Tour to Hadrian's Villa
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Justice between Unequals
Robert Shaver, University of Manitoba

Session 19 10:05-11:00

19A Hume and Huet
Emilio Mazza, Università di Milano
Maria Emanuela Scribano, Università di Venezia,

19B Does Hume Believe in the Hypothetical Imperative?
Christine M. Korsgaard, Harvard University
Charlotte Brown, Illinois Wesleyan University

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Session 20 11:15-12:10

20A A New Hume in the James Gregory Painting
Luca Parisoli, Università di Genova
Sastre Lopez Gerardo, Madrid

20B Rational Ends: Humean and Non-Humean Considerations
Michael Karlsson, University of Iceland
Jacqueline Taylor, Temple University

Session 21 12:15-13:10

21A Hume on Virtues and Rights
Cicero Romao R. Araujo, University of Sao Paolo
Dario Castiglione, University of Exeter

21B Hume and Reid on the Doctrine of Necessity
Stephen F. Barker, John Hopkins University
A. F. Giaznov, Moscow State University

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Reid on Hume's Theory of Moral Sense
Manfred Kuehn, Purdue University

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23A Religion's "Foundation in Reason": Common Sense and Reflection in the Natural History of Religion
M. Jamie Ferreira, University of Virginia
Anne Jaap Jacobson, University of Houston

23B Convention and Nature in Hume's Treatise
Alessandra Attanasio, Università di Roma "La Sapienza"
Marzio Vacatello, Università di Firenze

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Is Kant's Theory of Ethics a Step Backward from Hume's
Simon Blackburn, University of North Carolina

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Meeting of the Hume Society

20:30 Conference Banquet
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*Passion and Moral Sentiment: Assymetries between Hume and Hutcheson*

Jane McIntyre, Cleveland State University

Session 27 10:05-11:00

27A *Hume, Jacobi, and Common Sense: An Episode in the Reception of Hume in Germany at the Time of Kant*

Georgio di Giovanni, McGill University
Lia Formigari, Università di Roma
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27B *Hume’s Concept of Property: A Conceptual Innovation and its Connections with his Theory of Causation*

Kiyoshi Shimokawa, Women’s College, Chubu University
Frederick G. Whelan, University of Pittsburgh

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*Hume and our Motivation to be Rational and Moral*

Tito Magri, Università di Bari

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Conclusion