

35th HUME SOCIETY CONFERENCE
"HUME IN ICELAND"
6-10 August 2008

Final Program 15.07.08

This is meant to be the definitive version of the program, and changes will be made only if forced by contingencies. Please note that there are four pages.

Wednesday 6 August 2008 - University of Iceland, Reykjavík	
08:30-09:00	Registration and Luggage Drop-off
09:00-09:15	University of Iceland Opening Session Vilhjalmur Arnason, Retiring Chair of the Philosophy Department of the University of Iceland
09:15-10:30	Plenary Lecture 1 Simon Blackburn - Hume's Taste Chair: Vilhjalmur Arnason
10:45-12:30	Thematic Panel 1 Hume on the Emotions -- Ása Carlson, Kristján Kristjánsson (Convener & Chair), Amy Schmitter
12:30-13:30	Buffet Luncheon at the University of Iceland - Offered by the University Rector
13:30-19:30	Bus Transfer to Hólar with Sightseeing
20:00-21:30	Dinner at Hólar
22:00-	Accommodation at Hólar

Thursday 7 August 2008 - Hólar University College		
08:00-08:30	Breakfast at Hólar	
08:30-08:45	Hólar Opening Session Skúli Skúlason, Rector of Hólar University College	
08:45-10:00	Plenary Lecture 2 Francis Dauer - Realist Reconstructions of Humean Causation Chair: Charlotte Brown	
10:15-11:30	Parallel Session 1a Eric Schliesser - Hume's Changes to the Definitions of Causation between the <i>Treatise</i> and the First <i>Enquiry</i> Commentator: Karann Durland Chair: Don Ainslie	Parallel Session 1b Jackie Taylor - Experimenting with the Passions Commentator: Mikael M. Karlsson Chair: Wade Robison
11:30-12:30	Tour of Hólar - Skúli Skúlason, Rector of Hólar University College	
12:30-13:30	Lunch at Hólar	
13:30-15:15	Book Session 1: Author Meets Critic Angela Coventry, author of <i>Hume's Theory of Causation: A Quasi Realist Interpretation</i> (2006) Critics: Peter Kail, Ted Morris (Convener & Chair)	Book Session 2: Author Meets Critic Michael Gill, author of <i>The British Moralists on Human Nature and the Birth of Secular Ethics</i> (2006) Critics: Lorraine Besser-Jones, Kathleen Wallace (Convener & Chair)
15:30-16:45	Parallel Session 2a Peter Millican - Hume's Idea of Necessary Connexion: Of What is it the Idea? Commentator: Ronald de Sousa Chair: Ásta Sveinsdóttir	Parallel Session 2b Haruko Inoue - How Does the division Between the <i>Calm</i> and the <i>Violent</i> Function in Hume's System of the Passions in the <i>Treatise</i> ? Commentator: David Owen Chair: Sunny Yang
16:45-17:15	Afternoon Coffee	
17:15-18:30	Parallel Session 3a A. Leland Morton - Hume's Realism: A Fragmented View Commentator: Stefanie Rocknack Chair: Saul Traiger	Parallel Session 3b Ryu Susato - "The Philosophy of Our Passions" in Hume's Economic Thought Commentator: Maria Pia Paganelli Chair: Ása Carlson
18:45-20:00	Parallel Session 4a Kevin Meeker - Was Hume Mathematically Challenged? Commentator: Don Baxter Chair: Alexander George	Parallel Session 4b Mark Spencer - The "Connecting Principle" of David Hume's <i>History of England</i> Commentator: Claudia Schmidt Chair: Roger Emerson
20:15-21:30	Dinner at Hólar	
21:30-	Accommodation at Hólar	

Note on Friday's program - it may be possible to shorten and simplify the hotel drop-off in Akureyri, but the organizers will need further information before this can be done.

Friday 8 August 2008 - University of Akureyri		
07:30-08:30	Breakfast at Hólar	
08:45-10:15	Bus Transfer to Akureyri	
10:30-11:00	University of Akureyri Opening Session - The Hume Society Office and Introduction of Páll S. Árdal Institute Þorsteinn Gunnarsson, Rector of the University of Akureyri Corliss Swain Guðmundur Heiðar Frímansson	
11:00-13:00	Thematic Panel 2 Themes from the Philosophy of Páll S. Árdal -- Katie Abramson, Jack Bricke, Michelle Mason (Convener & Chair)	
13:00-14:30	Lunch at the University of Akureyri	
14:30-15:45	Session 5a Joel Bunting - Two Views of Pyrrhonism in Hume Commentator: Livia Guimaraes Chair: Ágúst Þór Árnason	Parallel Session 5b Bob Mahoney - The Sun or the Climate? Hume's Comments on Character Commentator: Jane McIntyre Chair: Jackie Taylor
16:00-17:15	Parallel Session 6a Emily Kelahan - What to Make of the Missing Shade of Blue Commentator: Jesús Aquilar Chair: Adrian Bardon	Parallel Session 6b Deborah Brown and Mark Hooper - Hume's Pride: Agency, Attention and Self-Individuation Commentator: Sigurður Kristinsson Chair: Amy Schmitter
17:30-18:30	Business Meeting	
18:30-19:45	Parallel Session 7a Abraham Anderson - The Objection of David Hume Commentator: Guðmundur Heiðar Frímansson Chair: Ted Morris	Parallel Session 7b Jennifer Smalligan - The Effects of Custom Commentator: Peter Loptson Chair: Alison McIntyre
19:45-20:30	Hotel Drop-off in Akureyri	
20:30	Free evening in Akureyri	

Saturday 9 August 2008 - University of Akureyri			
08:00-09:00	Breakfast in Akureyri		
09:00-12:00	Sightseeing by Bus Akureyri-Mývatn		
12:00-13:00	Lunch at Mývatn		
13:00-15:00	Sightseeing by Bus Mývatn-Akureyri		
15:00-16:15	Plenary Lecture 3: Emilio Mazza - The Abstruse Hume Part II: After the <i>Treatise</i> Chair: Giorgio Baruchello		
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18:00-20:00	Thematic Panel 3: Hume on Belief -- Miriam McCormick, Corliss Swain (Convener & Chair), Saul Traiger		
20:30	Conference Banquet in Akureyri at Restaurant Fridrik V		

Sunday 10 August 2008 - Akureyri - Bifröst - Reykjavík			
08:00-08:30	Breakfast in Akureyri		
08:30-09:30	Bus Pick-up in Akureyri		
09:30-12:30	Bus Transfer Akureyri-Bifröst		
12:30-13:30	Lunch at Bifröst		
13:30-13:40	Greeting from Ágúst Einarsson, Rector of Bifröst University		
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