



The Question of Ontology

February 14-16, 2018 *The Contemporary Debate*

Feb 14

8:30-9:00 Welcome

Chair: Paolo Valore

9:00-10:00 K. Fine: *A Question Concerning 'The Question of Ontology'*

10:00-11:00 E. Tegtmeier: *The Character and Subject of Ontology*

11:00-11:30 Coffee Break

11:30-12:30 D. Chalmers: *Grounding and Analycity*

12:30-13:30 de Donato & Falguera: *Scientific Theories and Ontological Commitment*

13:30-15:00 Lunch Break

15:00-16:00 T. Hofweber: *Realism About What There Is, But Idealism About What Is The Case*

16:00-17:00 M. Plebani: *Ontological Disagreement and Communication in Mathematics*

17:00-17:30 Coffee Break

17:30-18:30 F. Amijee: *Relativized Fundamentality*

21:00

Feb 15

Chair: Pablo Rychter & Alfonso Muñoz-Corcuera

P. van Inwagen: *Two Problems for a Truth-Centered Ontology*

J. Keller: *A Theory of Ontological Commitment*

J. Hawthorne: *The New Chisholm's Paradox*

C. Martínez-Vidal: *Putnam and Contemporary Fictionalism: A Common View on Abstract Objects*

S. Musgrave: *Is Quinean Ontology Rational?*

A. Cortens: *Big Things for Nihilists*

M. Sambrotta: *Ontological Claims as Evaluations*

Conference Dinner

Feb 16

Chair: Isaiah Lin

A. Thomasson: *Keeping Ontology Easy*

J. Cumpa: *The Neo-Sellarsian Approach to the Question of Ontology*

J. Schaffer: *Heavy Ontology, Light Ideology*

S. Yablo: *Are Ontological Questions Really Only About *HOW* Things Exist?*



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