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Programme

Thursday 4 May 2017

Session 1 (Chair: Carolyn Price)

2.00 pm Manuel Dries
Affirming what there is: nihilism and its Early Romantic response.

2:45 pm Derek Matravers
On literary genre: *abstract fiction and non-fiction.*

3:30 pm **Tea break**

Session 2 (Chair: Sophie-Grace Chappell)

4.00 pm Sean Cordell
What is an Institutional Moral Agent?

4.45 pm Jon Pike
Against conventionalism in the philosophy of sport.

7.00 pm **Dinner**
Restaurant, Chicheley Hall

Friday 5 May 2017

Session 3 (Chair: Cristina Chimisso)

9.00 am Carolyn Price
Two faces of regret.

9.45 am Alex Barber
I'm sorry, I thought you were someone else.

10.30 am **Tea break**

Session 4 (Chair: Sean Cordell)

11.00 am Cristina Chimisso
The evolution of historical epistemology: a journey towards materialism

11.45 pm Sophie-Grace Chappell
Simples and complexes in the Theaetetus.

1.00 pm **Lunch**
Restaurant, Chicheley Hall

End of official programme