May 19–21, 2011

All sessions take place in the attic (Dachgeschoss) of the Law School (Juridicum), Schottenbastei 10–16, 1010 Vienna.

Thursday, May 19

12:45 – 13:00 Welcome Address by the Rector of the University of Vienna, o. Univ.-Prof. Dr. Georg Winckler

13:00 – 14:30 Joseph Raz (Columbia/Oxford): ‘Sovereignty and Legitimacy in International Relations’

15:00 – 16:30 Thomas Mertens (Leiden/Nijmegen): ‘Human Rights between Legitimacy and Legality’

16:45 – 18:15 Liam Murphy (NYU): ‘The Normativity of Law’

Friday, May 20

09:00 – 10:30 Klaus Günther (Frankfurt/Main): ‘Authority and Legitimation’

10:45 – 12:15 Fabienne Peter (Warwick): ‘Epistemic Foundations of Political Liberalism’

14:00 – 16:30 Raymond Critch (Vienna): ‘How Legitimacy Works’ (Distortions-of-Normativity Project)

15:00 – 16:30 David Velleman (NYU)/Herlinde Pauer-Studer (Vienna): ‘The SS-Judge Konrad Morgen’ (Distortions-of-Normativity Project)

Saturday, May 21

09:00 – 10:30 Kristen Rundle (LSE): ‘Law and Daily Life: Lessons for Legal Philosophy from 1933–1938’

10:45 – 12:15 David Fraser (Nottingham): ‘Evil Law, Evil Lawyers?: Authority, Legality, Legitimacy from the “Justice Case” to the Torture Memos’

13:15 – 14:45 Carolyn Benson (Vienna)/Julian Fink (Vienna): ‘The Nazi Use of Analogy and Ideal Law’ (Distortions-of-Normativity Project)

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