

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON APPLIED ETHICS

Contemporary ethical challenges

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The Conference is organized by Praxis Research
Team of Centre of Philosophy of the University of
Lisbon and Portuguese Society for Environmental
Ethics

PRESENTATION

The dynamics of scientific and technological
progress in our society raises ethical issues which
demand a philosophical reflection on multidisci-
plinary grounds. This conference aims at discus-
sion the contemporary ethical challenges, bringing
together perspectives from different areas of
knowledge such as Ethics, Philosophy of Nature
and Environment, Technology, Biology, Law.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

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PROGRAM

Morning Session

9:45 OPENING

MIGUEL TAMEN Director of the Faculty Letters of the University of Lisbon

JOSÉ GOMES ANDRÉ Coordinator of Praxis Group

JORGE MARQUES DA SILVA SEA Vice President

10:00 CATHERINE LARRÈRE

Quelles éthiques pour les relations entre les humains et la biodiversité? Le principe diversité

CHAIR: António Queirós

10:40 Debate

11:00 Coffee break

PANEL I - ENVIRONMENT AND NON-HUMAN ANIMALS

11:15 MIKKO PUUMALA

Ethics in the Anthropocene: Are Individual Rights Self-Defeating?

11:35 PEDRO TIAGO FERREIRA

Are legal rights needed to protect non human animals?

11:55 DIANA SOEIRO

The United Nations' 2030 Agenda "Act Globally, Engage Locally": Virtual ecology, spatial justice and well-being

CHAIR: Sofia Vaz

12:15 Debate

12:30 Lunch

Afternoon session

14:00 RAPHAEL LARRÈRE

Les Biotechnologies: Évaluation Morale et Critique Sociale des Promesses et des Pratiques

CHAIR: António Queirós

14:30 Debate

PANEL II - TECHNOLOGY and BIOTECHNOLOGY

14:45 FEDERICA MERENDA

The Artificial Intelligence of Autonomous Weapons Systems (AWS): ethical issues and legal challenges raised by taking humans out of the loop

15:05 HEIDI FUREY

Against The Crowd-Sourcing Approach to the Ethics of Autonomous Vehicles

15:25 LEANDRO GAITAN

Human rights and posthumans. Francis Fukuyama revisited

CHAIR: Lavínia Pereira

15:45 Debate

PANEL III - TECHNOLOGY and BIOTECHNOLOGY

16:00 WALTER VEIL

Human Enhancement and the Threat of Inequality

16:20 PEDRO RAMOS

Ethical and technical challenges in genome editing

CHAIR: Sandra Escobar

16:40 Debate

17:00 Coffee Break

PANEL IV - MEDICAL ETHICS

17:15 LUKAS J. MEIER

Technological Progress ... and Death

17:35 STEVEN GOUVEIA

Conceptual and ethical problems in current medical practice: about the distinction between "kill" and "letting die"

17:55 RICARDO R. SANTOS AND MIGUEL BARBOSA

Can a fraudulent scientific article be a real risk to people? - An ethical approach to retraction in clinical research.

CHAIR: Maria José Varandas

18:15 -Debate

18:30 FINAL COMMUNICATION

M^a DO CÉU PATRÃO NEVES

19:00 - Close

