

THE PHILOSOPHY OF BIOLOGY

October 14-15, 2006

PROGRAM

Saturday • October 14, 2006

- 9:30 am Registration & Continental Breakfast
- 10:00 am Louis J. Goldberg & Neil E. Williams
University at Buffalo
On the Ontology of Disease
- 11:00 am Morning Break
- 11:15 am Randall R. Dipert
University at Buffalo
What is a Function?
- 12:15 pm Lunch
(for speakers and pre-paid lunch participants only)
- 1:15 pm David B. Hershenov
University at Buffalo
Organisms, Brains and Their Parts
- 2:15 pm James H. Fetzer
University of Minnesota, Duluth
Evolution: Genetic vs. Cultural
- 3:30 pm Afternoon Break
- 4:00 pm William Wimsatt
University of Chicago
Generative Entrenchment and Evolution: How the Contingent Becomes Necessary
- 6:00 pm Dinner
(for speakers and pre-paid dinner participants only)

Sunday • October 15, 2006

- 9:30 am Continental Breakfast
- 10:00 am Ingvar Johansson
Saarland University, Germany
Functions as Physical Dimensions
- 11:00 am Morning Break
- 11:15 am William Bechtel
University of California, San Diego
Autonomous Biology
- 12:30 pm Lunch
(for speakers and pre-paid lunch participants only)
- 1:30 pm Barry Smith
University at Buffalo
On the Canonical Life
- 2:30 pm Afternoon Break
- 2:45 pm Werner Ceusters
University at Buffalo
Death is a Statistical Matter

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