



SYMPOSIUM PROGRAMME

Human Enhancement: What should be permitted?

20-21 October 2009, Brocher Centre, Geneva, Switzerland



TUESDAY 20 OCTOBER 2009

Enhancement in sport

- 0930 – 1020: **Anti-doping: Not the only matter of concern for elite sport**
Bengt Kayser (*Director, Institut des Sciences du Mouvement et de la Médecine du Sport, University of Geneva*)
Respondent: **Mike McNamee** (*Professor of Applied Ethics, Swansea University, Wales*)
- 1020 – 1110: **TBC**
Tom Murray (*President of The Hastings Center*)
Respondent: **Bennett Foddy** (*Postdoctoral Fellow in Bioethics, Princeton University*)
- 1140 – 1220: **Ethics of Genetics in Sport**
Sigmund Loland (*Professor of Sport Philosophy, Norwegian University for Sport and Physical Education*)
Respondent: **Ingmar Persson** (*Professor of Practical Philosophy, Gothenburg University, Sweden*)
- 1220 – 1300: **Regulatory Issues**
Verner Moller (*Professor, Department of Sport Science, University of Aarhus, Denmark*)

Life-extension

- 1400 – 1450: **The Foreseeability of Real Anti-Aging Medicine: Focusing the Debate**
Aubrey de Grey (*Chief Science Officer, « SENS » Strategies for Engineered Negligible Senescence*)
Respondent: **Gaia Barrazetti** (*Researcher, EPFL, University of Lausanne*)
- 1450 – 1530: **Anti-ageing: Results of a Swiss study**
Astrid Stuckelberger (*Institut de Médecine Sociale et Préventive, University of Geneva*)
- 1600 – 1650: **Prevention and Life Extension**
Eric Juengst (*Professor of Medical Ethics, Oncology, and Philosophy of Science, Center for Biomedical Ethics, Case Western Reserve University*)
Respondent: **Massimo Reichlin** (*Professor of Moral Philosophy, Università Vita-Salute San Raffaele, Milano*)

Conference dinner

- 2000 - 2230: **Café Papon,**
1 Rue Henry-Fazy
1204 Genève

WEDNESDAY 21 OCTOBER 2009

Neuro-enhancement

- 0930 – 1010: **Cognitive Enhancement and Increased Responsibility**
Nicole Vincent (*Postdoctoral Researcher, TU Delft*)
- 1010 – 1100: **The 'Moral Improvement' Criterion for Neuroenhancements**
Tom Douglas (*Christ Church Senior Scholar, University of Oxford*)
- 1120 – 1210: **Human Psychology, Scientific Progress and Moral Enhancement**
Julian Savulescu (*Uehiro Chair in Practical Ethics, University of Oxford*) &
Ingmar Persson (*Professor of Practical Philosophy, Gothenburg University, Sweden*)
- Respondent: **Tom Buller** (*Associate Professor in Philosophy, University of Alaska Anchorage*)
- 1210 – 1300: **Oversight of Cognitive Enhancement in Young People**
Irina Singh (*Wellcome Trust University Lecturer in Bioethics and Society, London School of Economics and Political Science*)
- Respondent: **Alexandre Mauron** (*Director, Institut d'éthique biomédicale, University of Geneva*)

General questions

- 1400 – 1450: **TBC**
John Harris (*Lord Alliance Professor of Bioethics, University of Manchester*)
- Respondent: **Andy Miah** (*Chair of Ethics and Emerging Technologies, University of the West of Scotland*)
- 1450 – 1540: **Critique of Human Enhancement**
Paul Root Wolpe (*Professor, Department of Psychiatry, University of Pennsylvania*)
- Respondent: **Andy Miah** (*Chair of ethics and emerging technologies at the University of the West of Scotland*)
- 1610 – 1700: **TBC**
Hank Greely (*Deane F. and Kate Edelman Johnson Professor of Law, Stanford University*)
- Respondent: **Margareta Baddeley** (*Director Civil Law Department, University of Geneva*)