Austrian Writers and Philosophers

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A Conference on the Relations between Austrian Philosophy and Literature

May 12-14, 2000

University of Toronto Woodsworth College Room 126 119 St. George Street



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Program

Friday Afternoon, May 12, 2000

3.00 p.m. Introductory Address

3.30 p.m. RUDOLF HALLER (University of Graz) Wittgenstein: Poetry and Literature

4.30 p.m. Wendelin Schmidt-Dengler (University of Vienna)

Austria's Plato

5.30 p.m. Reception

7.00 p.m. Franz Josef Czernin

Reading from his work (German)

Saturday Morning, May 13, 2000

Coffee and Croissants

10:00 a.m. Wolfgang Huemer (University of Toronto)

Phenomenological Reduction and Aesthetic

Experience: Husserl Meets Hofmannsthal

10:45 a.m. John Gibson (University of Toronto) Wittgenstein and Literary Skepticism

11:30 a.m. Coffee Break

11:45 a.m. BARRY SMITH (SUNY at Buffalo)

Meinong and the Phantasy-Machine

12:45 p.m. Lunch Break

Saturday Afternoon, May 13, 2000

- 2:30 p.m. Dale Jacquette (Pennsylvania State University)

 David Lewis on Meinongian Logic of Fiction
- 3:30 p.m. Newton Garver (SUNY at Buffalo)
 "Mir fällt zu Hitler nichts ein." "Wovon man nicht sprechen kann, darüber muß man schweigen.": The 'Silence' of Kraus and Wittgenstein
- 4:30 p.m. Coffee Break
- 4:45 p.m. Mark E. Blum (University of Louisville)

 The 'Soft Law' of Austrian Historical Logic since
 the Enlightenment in the Arts and Sciences
- 5:45 p.m. Mark Grzeskowiak (University of Toronto) A 'Symposium' as Architext? Hermann Broch's Schlafwandler Trilogie and Discourse of Art and Philosophy in the Modern Novel

8:30 p.m. Dinner

Sunday Morning, May 14, 2000

Coffee and Croissants

- 10:00 a.m. Heather Jill Scott (University of Chicago)

 Oedipus Endangered: The Rise of Atrean Incest in

 Musil's Mann ohne Eigenschaften
- 10:45 a.m. RANDALL DIPERT (SUNY at Buffalo)

 Mathematics in Musil

11:45 a.m. Coffee Break

12:00 p.m. Fred Wilson (University of Toronto)

The Vienna Circle and Freud