

Berlin Summer Colloquium in Philosophy: May 22 – 24, 2026 (FU Berlin)

Organizing Committee: Dina Emundts (FU Berlin), Katharina Kraus (University of Vienna), Karin Nisenbaum (Syracuse University), Kristin Primus (UC Berkeley)

Friday, May 22 th FU Berlin Habelschwerdter Allee 30	Saturday, May 23 rd FU Berlin Habelschwerdter Allee 30	Sunday, May 24 th FU Berlin Habelschwerdter Allee 30
9:30 Opening Remarks		
10:00 – 10:50 Kyla Ebels-Duggan (Northwestern University)	10:00 – 10:50 Anne Pollok (University of Mainz)	10:00 – 10:50 Julia Borcherding (University of Cambridge)
11:10 – 12:00 Banafsheh Beizaei (Brown University)	11:10 – 12:00 Laura Papish (George Washington University)	11:10 – 12:00 Josefine Klingspor (University of Pittsburgh)
12:00 – 13:50 Lunch break	12:20 – 13:10 Angela Breitenbach (University of Cambridge)	12:20 – 13:10 Larissa Wallner (Free University of Berlin)
13:50 – 14:40 Janum Sethi (University of Michigan, Ann Arbor)	13:10 – 15:00 Lunch break	13:10 – 15:00 Lunch break
15:00 – 15:50 Dina Emundts (FU Berlin)	15:00 – 15:50 Caroline Bowman (Columbia University)	15:00 – 15:50 Karen Koch (University of Basel)
17:30 – 19:00 Reception Torstraße, 175, 10115, Berlin, 4.OG Links	KEYNOTE: 16:10 – 17:00 Sally Sedgwick (Boston University)	16:10 – 17:00 Jelscha Schmid (University of Heidelberg)
19:00 Dinner	18:00 Dinner	18:00 Dinner
Chairing Morning: Karin Nisenbaum	Chairing Morning: Larissa Berger	Chairing Morning: Kristin Primus
Chairing Afternoon: Ana María Miranda Mora	Chairing Afternoon: Dina Emundts	Chairing Afternoon: Ana Pedroso

Presentations:

Friday:

Kyla Ebels-Duggan: *Kant and Murdoch on love and the value of humanity*

Banafsheh Beizaei: *The argumentative structure of Groundwork III*

Janum Sethi: *Kant on the Problem of Induction*

Dina Emundts: *Is there a duty to develop one's own talents? On Kant and Fichte*

Saturday:

Anne Pollok: *The Vocation of Woman*

Laura Papish: *Kant in Relation to Indigenous America*

Angela Breitenbach: *Kantian Climate Justice*

Caroline Bowman: "Hegelian Autonomy and Internalized Oppression"

KEYNOTE Sally Sedgwick: "Hegel on the 'Untruth' of Kantian Substance".

Sunday:

Julia Borcharding: *A Remarkably Gifted Woman: A New Look at the Leibniz-Masham Exchange*

Josefine Klingspor: *Spinoza and the Doctrine of Perpetual Production*

Larissa Wallner: *Kantian Reflections on Liberation*

Karen Koch: *On the A Priori in Schelling*

Jelscha Schmid: *Fichte on Embodiment and Perceiving Others*