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Graduate Workshop

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“Umberto Eco”

via Marsala 26

1 July 2019

- 9:00-13:00 **Morning Session** Chair Sebastiano Moruzzi (UniBo)
- 9:00-9:30 Greetings: Carlo Gentili (UniBo) and Monica Azzolini (UniBo)
- 9:30-10:30 Achille Varzi (Columbia University), *Truth, facts, and conventions*
- 11:00-12:00 Luca Ciotti (UniBo), *Physics and mathematics*
- 12:00-13:00 Anna Maria Lorusso (UniBo), *Truth and facts in the ‘onlife infosphere’*

Afternoon Session Chair Francesco Bianchini (UniBo)

- 15:00-18:30 Caspar Wilson (King’s College London), *Realism, the equivalence principle, and Austin*
Discussant: Filippo Ferrari (University of Bonn)
- 16:30-17:30 Céline Henne (University of Cambridge), *The realist intuition and its epistemic grounds*
Discussant: Giorgio Volpe (UniBo)
- 17:30-18:30 Tobias Alexius (University of Uppsala), *Pluralism about scientific facts, absent fundamentality*
Discussant: Sebastiano Moruzzi (UniBo)

2 July 2019

- 9:30-13:00 **Morning Session** Chair Claudio Paolucci (UniBo)
- 9:30-10:30 Göran Sonesson (University of Lund), *On lying, truth-telling and anything in-between. On some uses of semiotics for life, society, and science*
- 11:00-12:00 Corrado Roversi (UniBo), *Institutional facts (and truths about them)*
- 12:00-13:00 Pia Campeggiani (UniBo), *Narrative, vividness, and Platonic concerns: An enactive approach*
- 15:00-18:30 **Afternoon Session** Chair Daniele Donati (UniBo)
- 15:00-16:00 Urko Gorriñobeaskoa (University of the Basque Country), *The contingency of the scientific-humanistic culture distinction. A historical approach to the Two Cultures problem*
Discussant: Francesco Bianchini (UniBo)
- 16:30-17:30 Celestine Kezie (Pan-Atlantic University, Lagos), *Truth, objectivity and constitutive interests in Nigerian print media: Towards virtue journalism*
Discussant: Daniele Donati (UniBo)
- 17:30-18:30 Maria Shakhrai, *Rendering the historical truth of camp reality: Jorge Semprún’s literary-historical perspective*
Discussant: Diego Donna (Unibo)

3 July 2019

- 9:30-13:00 **Morning Session** Chair Luisa Lugli (UniBo)
- 9:30-10:30 Bruno Verschuere (University of Amsterdam), *A cognitive take on deception and lie detection*
- 11:00-12:00 Stefano Fanti (UniBo), *Of standard of reference and accuracy: the problem of truth in imaging*
- 12:00-13:00 Eleonora Caramelli (UniBo), *Science-based and non-science-based models of the aesthetic appreciation of nature*
- 15:00-18:30 **Afternoon Session** Chair Matteo Martelli (UniBo)
- 15:00-16:00 Roberto Paura (University of Perugia), *Science in the age of hyper-reality*
Discussant: Claudio Paolucci (UniBo)
- 16:00-16:30 Andrea Roselli (Durham University), *Realists waiting for Godot?*
- 16:30-17:30 *The verisimilitudinarian and the cumulative approach to scientific progress*
Discussant: Gustavo Cevolani (IMT Lucca)
- 17:30-18:30 Francesco Antonio Zaccarini, *Objectivity without realism*
Discussant: Emanuele Ghedini (UniBo)

With the participation of

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