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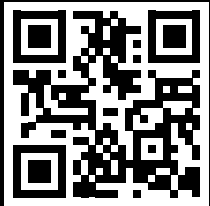
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April 25-27, 2013

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Schloss Herrenhausen

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## Thursday, April 25

13.15 Geert Keil and Ralf Poscher  
Introduction

### THE VALUE OF VAGUENESS

13.30 Stephanie Solt and Manfred Krifka  
Linguistic Ways and Benefits of  
Being Vague

14.30 *Coffee*

14.45 Nora Kluck  
Vagueness, Perception and Memory:  
The Example of Color Words

15.30 Dietmar von der Pfordten  
On Vague Concepts and Their Handling

16.15 *Coffee*

16.30 Hrafn Asgeirsson  
On the Instrumental Value of Vagueness  
in the Law

17.30 Timothy Endicott  
Vagueness and Interpretation

19.00 *Reception*

## Friday, April 26

### PHILOSOPHY OF LAW

9.30 Joan J. Moreso  
Gaps, Holes and Leaks

10.30 *Coffee*

10.45 Daniel Gruschke  
On Rhetoric in Jurisprudence

11.30 Andree Weber  
The Non-Conservativeness of Legal  
Definitions

12.15 *Lunch*

### PHILOSOPHY OF MEDICINE: IS MENTAL HEALTH A MATTER OF DEGREE?

13.45 Geert Keil and Ralf Stoecker  
Introduction: Health and Disease as  
Thick, Vague Cluster Concepts

14.30 Allen Frances  
The Vague Boundary Between Normality  
and Mental Disorder

15.45 *Coffee*

16.00 Rico Hauswald  
Diagnostic Inflation or Definitional  
Inflation? Reflections on the Nature of  
Psychiatric Categories

17.00 Lara Keuck  
Why Not Normal is Not Necessarily  
(Mentally) Disordered. On the Need for  
Clinical Judgement

19.30 *Conference Dinner*

## Saturday, April 27

### STRATEGIC VAGUENESS

9.30 Kees van Deemter  
Why Be Vague?

10.15 David Lanius  
Strategic Vagueness in the Law

11.00 *Coffee*

### DISAGREEMENT IN LAW

11.15 Ralf Poscher  
Why We Argue About the Law

12.00 Dennis Patterson  
Commentary

12.30 Final Discussion

13.00 *Lunch*