



THE HISTORY OF HUMAN FREEDOM AND DIGNITY
IN WESTERN CIVILIZATION



Freedom as Key Category in Origen and in Modern Theology

Organization

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Opening Lecture
Thursday, 25 October 2018
Katholisch-Theologische Fakultät
Johannisstr. 8–10, KTh I

- 16.30–18.30 10th Anniversary of the
Origen Research Center
Volker GERHARDT, Berlin
Freiheit als philosophische und
theologische Schlüsselkategorie

Workshop

Friday, 26 October 2018
Agora-Hotel, Bismarckallee 5

Panel I *Historic Milestones*

- 09.00-10.00 Christian HENGSTERMANN, Bochum
Freedom as the “True Self”: Christian
Libertarianism as Rational Agent Causa-
lity in Origen
- 10.00-11.00 Christian PELZ, Bochum
“Freedom as the Keystone of the Whole
System of Pure Reason.” The Impor-
tance of Freedom in Immanuel Kant’s
Theology
- 11.30-12.30 Vito LIMONE, Milan
A Case of Reception of Origen and
Origenism in German Idealism: F. W. J.
Schelling

... and in Modern Theology

- Panel II* *Modern Milestones*
- 15.00-16.00 Elisa ZOCCHI, Münster
The Mystery of Freedom: Hans Urs
von Balthasar on Origen’s Doctrine
of Freedom
- 16.30-17.30 Martin BREUL, Cologne
Free Will in Origen and Habermas:
Towards a Postmetaphysical Notion
of Freedom

Saturday, 27 October 2018
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Panel III *Freedom in Contemporary Theology*

- 09.00-10.00 Johannes GRÖSSL, Würzburg
The Faithful Soul United with the Logos:
Origenism in Modern Christologies
- 10.00-11.00 Julian TAPPEN, Cologne
Is God Free to Forgive? Reflections on
the Subject of Eschatological Action
- 11.30-12.30 Aaron LANGENFELD, Paderborn
Is Theology Bound to Defend Libertar-
ianism?

Venue: Agora Hotel, Room 1ab
Bismarckallee 5 (**Zugang:** Bismarckallee 11B)
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