



Fachbereich Philosophie

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18:15 bis 19:45, G 307

Im Rahmen des PHILOSOPHISCHEN KOLLOQUIUMS findet am
Donnerstag, 6. Juni, folgender Vortrag statt:

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Nominalistic Truth makers

According to nominalism, the only thing we find at the bottom of reality are concrete particulars, i.e. individual objects like boats and beets. The view is attractive in its parsimony, but faces a steep challenge in providing truthmakers for predicative statements of the form “ x is F ” solely in terms of concrete particulars. For example, “This beet is purple” and “This beet is spherical” are both true, but what makes them true seems different – yet the only concrete particular of relevance seems to be this beet. Should we give up on nominalism? I don’t think so, and in this talk will present a way for the nominalist to meet her truthmaker challenge.

Alle Interessierten, insbesondere auch Studierende, sind herzlich eingeladen.

nächster Vortrag: 13. Juni

Ursula Wolf, Universität Mannheim

Das Wunsch-Meinungs-Modell und die Kontroverse zwischen Externalisten und Internalisten

