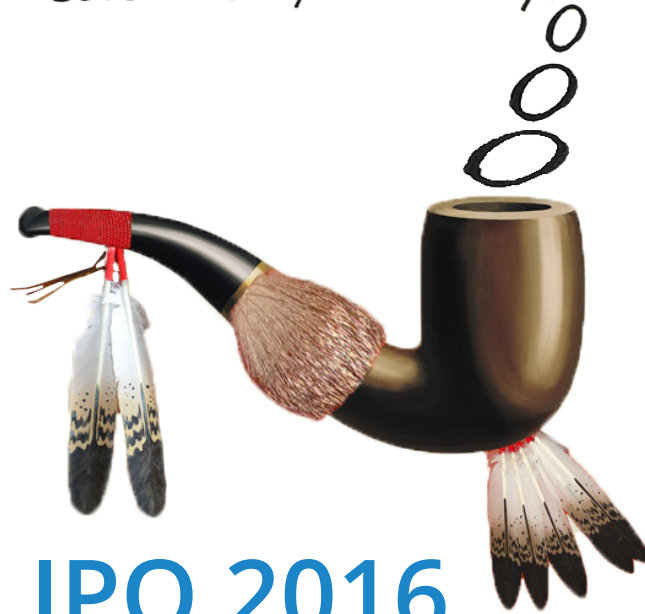




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Thursday May 12

10.00 h. > 18.00 h.

Welcome and Registration at your designated hotel

both next to Ghent City Hall (Dutch: Stadhuis),
both have an entrance in the same street: Hoogpoort, see map
Check your individual papers to see which one is your hotel

Novotel Front Entrance: *Goudenleeuwplein 5*
Novotel Back Entrance: *Hoogpoort 52 see map 5*

NH Gent Belfort Entrance: *Hoogpoort 63*

Contact persons in Hotels: *Philip De Schampelaere* 0032 477 51 91 56
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16.00 h. > 17.30 h.

Meeting of the International Committee and the Steering Board of IPO

Aula Ghent University
Auditorium "Academieraadzaal": ground floor, address Voldersstraat 9 see map 52
(200 meters from the designated hotels and from City Hall)

18.00 h. > 21.30 h.

Opening Ceremony City Hall (see map 5)

In the presence of the Mayor of Ghent, Mr Daniël Termont
Speeches by
The councillor of Education and Youths, Mss. Elke Decruynaere
The chairman of the board of directors of the Ghent Schools *Panta Rhei*, Mr. Paul Standaert
Music: Gerlinde Weze - "Het wijnglas" - Songs from World War I
Introduction IPO War and Peace by Prof. Danny Praet, Ghent University
Music: Gerlinde Weze - "Le temps des cerises"
Lecture by the Director of the Flemish Peace Institute, Mr. Tomas Baum
Music: Gerlinde Weze - "Lili Marleen"
Presentation of the national delegations
Music: Gerlinde Weze - "Till we meet again"
Reception and Walking Dinner

21.30 h.

Evening activity students: study and rest

Evening activity teachers:

Interactive Workshop on the History and Art of Belgian Brewing
Belfort Stadscafé (next to, under the Stadshal)



Friday May 13

Students

08.15 h. Assembly at the Stadshal (open construction next to City Hall and Belfry (Stadhuis; so Stads-hal is not the same as Stad-huis !) and the Belfry-tower)
[see map 2](#)

08.30 h. Departure of the students to the computer rooms in two groups 1 & 2
!! check your IPO papers to know which is your group / computer room !!
[Ghent University, Faculty of Arts and Philosophy \(see map 64\)](#)

09.00 h. Start of the Essay Competition

13.00 h. End of the Essay Competition

13.00 h. > 14.15 h. Lunch sandwiches in University Restaurant Kantienberg,
Second floor (Stalhof 45, see students with IPO T-Shirts)

14.30 h. > 17.00 h. Lectures / Workshops

There are four lectures / workshops, in two parallel sessions
Students can choose freely which lectures / workshops they prefer

14.30 h. > 15.30 h. Parallel Session A

Option 1:

Lecture-room 100.035 (*Faculty-building, Blandijnberg 2, ground floor*)
Prof. Dr. Jan Verplaetse, UGent Law Faculty
Conflict in modern political philosophy: Marie-Joseph de Maistre and Carl Schmitt

Option 2:

Lecture-room 100.017 (*Faculty-building, Blandijnberg 2, ground floor*)
Mr. Tomas Baum, director of the Flemish Peace Institute
Talking about war and peace: from fiction to reality

Break 15.30 h. > 16.00 h.



16.00 h. > 17.00 h. Parallel Session B

Option 1:

Lecture-room 100.035 (*Faculty-building, Blandijnberg 2, ground floor*)

Capt. Michaël Dewyn (Royal Military Academy Brussels)

The Use of Armed Drones and Risk Transfers: In Search of Ethical Principles for the Grey Zone Between War and Peace in the Fight Against Terrorism.

Option 2:

Lecture-room 100.017 (*Faculty-building, Blandijnberg 2, ground floor*)

Eef Cornelissen (Odisee High School Brussels)

Workshop Practical Philosophy: War and peace in literature

17.00 h. Return to Hotel " " Free time

19.30 h. Assembly at the Stadshal, next to Belfry
[Belfry \(see map2\)](#)

20.00 h. Dinner at University Conference Center "Het Pand",
[Onderbergen 1 \(see map 14\)](#)

22.00 h. Documentary IPO 2012 "à propos: Philosophie" by Sebastian Köthe
[Address Sphinx, St. Michielshelling 3 \(see map 10\)](#)



Friday May 13

Teachers

Morning: Lectures / Workshops

08.30 h. Assembly at the Stadshal (open construction next to City Hall and Belfry ([see map 2](#)))

08.45 h. Departure of the teachers to the Faculty of Arts and Philosophy,
Auditorium B, Second Floor, Blandijnberg 2 (see map 64)

09.00 h. Lecture A (Auditorium B)
Dr. Maarten Van Alstein,
Flemish Peace Institute, Brussels
On violence. A Modern Odyssey

10.00 h. Lecture B (Auditorium B)
Prof. Dr. Gertrudis Van de Vijver (Ghent University) & Prof. Dr. Emiliano
Acosta (Ghent University-VUB, Free University of Brussels)
Immanuel Kant on Eternal Peace

11.00 h. – 11.15 h. Coffeebreak

11.15 h. Lecture C (Auditorium B)
Prof. Dr. Helen Frowe
Stockholm University; Director Stockholm Centre for the Ethics of War and Peace
The Ethics of War

12.15 h. – 12.30 h. General rules IPO Essay Evaluation

12.30 h. > 14.00 h. Lunch sandwiches
(University Restaurant Kantienberg, second floor, Stalhof 45, see students with IPO T-Shirts)

Afternoon 14.00 h. > 18.00 h. Essay Evaluation

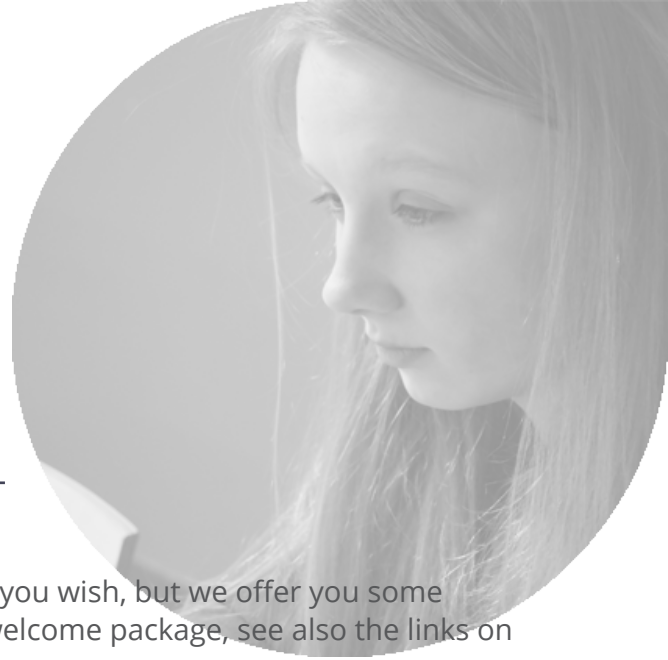
Every teacher receives in her or his individual welcome package the group and the room he or she is assigned to, so check your IPO papers

All reading rooms are on the second floor of the Faculty of Philosophy and Letters,
Second Floor, Blandijnberg 2 (same floor as Aud B)

18.00 h. > 19.00 h. Final Discussion in Aud. B, Second Floor

20.00 h. Dinner at University Conference Center “Het Pand”
Address Onderbergen 1 (see map 14)

22.00 h. Documentary IPO 2012 “à propos: Philosophie” by Sebastian Köthe
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Saturday May 14

Free Visit Ghent: you can visit the city, go shopping, whatever you wish, but we offer you some cultural options (more information will be in your individual welcome package, see also the links on the website)

Optional assembly, Stadshal, at 09.30 h.

Several groups can go to Ghent Musea (SMAK, STAM, etc.) or you can see the Mystic Lamb, Cathedral, with lecture by D. Praet on the philosophy of the Mystic Lamb.

11.15 h. Assembly at the Sint-Michielsbridge ([see map 11, next to cinema Sphinx 10](#))
We crossed this bridge to go to Het Pand for the Friday dinner
So this time do not wait under the Stadshal, but go to the bridge. ([see map 2](#))

11.30 h. Departure buses to Ypres
!! Be on time !! The buses will not wait !!
[Point of departure St.-Jacobs \(at the end of Belfortstraat\)](#)

Lunch (sandwiches and drinks) will be provided on the bus

13.00 h. Arrival Ieper (Ypres)

13.00 h. -14.30 h. Groups 1 & 2 Visit the Museum In Flanders Fields

14.30 h. - 17.00 h. Groups 1 & 2 visit the WWI cemeteries with guides

13.00 h. -16.00 h. Groups 3 & 4 stay on the buses and visit the WWI cemeteries

16.00 h. - 17.00 h. Groups 3 & 4 return from cemeteries and visit the Museum

17.00 h. Dinner at Novotel, [Sint-Jacobsstraat 15, next to Menenpoort, Menin Gate in Ieper-Ypres.](#)

19.00 h. Last Post Ceremony Menenpoort / Menin Gate (do not be late !)

20.30 h. Return to Ghent

22.00 h. Closing Party Sioux café, [Platteberg 8, Ghent \(see map, close to 58\)](#)



Sunday May 15

10.00 Closing Ceremony, Aula, [Ghent University, Voldersstraat 9](#)

Welcome by Danny Praet

Music: *Yasin Fye (student Popelin Lyceum Merelbeke) - Imagine (John Lennon)*

Lecture by the Vice-Rector of Ghent University, Prof. Dr. Freddy Mortier

Music: *Yasin Fye (student Popelin Lyceum Merelbeke) - Mr. President (Pink)*

Lecture by the Secretary-General of FISP, Fédération Internationale des Sociétés Philosophiques,
Prof. Dr. Luca Scarantino

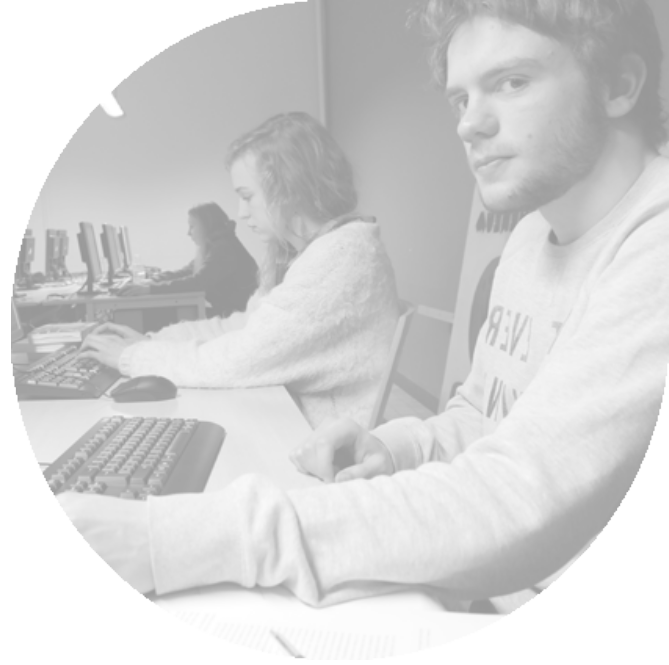
Violence and Intercultural Dialogue: A Philosophical Reflection.

Music: *Els Wollaert (teacher Academy of Arts & Music, Merelbeke)
Canzonetta spirituale sopra la nanna (Tarquinio Merula)*

Award Ceremony

12.00 Reception – Lunch

14.00 Departure delegations



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