

Paris, October 17, 2008

Dear Members and Friends of the Husserl Circle,

We are pleased to announce that the 39th Annual Meeting of the Husserl Circle will be organised by the Institut d'Histoire et de Philosophie des Sciences et des Techniques (IHPST) in Paris, France, from Monday, June 22, through Thursday, June 25, 2009. The venue is the Paris branch of the Polish Academy of Sciences, which has generously offered to open its doors to us.

Should you wish to participate in the meeting by delivering a paper, the deadline for submissions is March 15, 2009.

Papers should have a reading time of no more than 30 minutes, and will be followed by 15 minutes of comments by an invited respondent and 15 minutes of plenary discussion.

The convenors will be following the Husserl Circle's policy of only considering submissions presented by members in good standing (i.e., current with dues for the last two years--2007 and 2008).

Papers (or a substantial abstract) should be sent directly to us (either by e-mail attachment, airmail or fax) so that it is received by the deadline. Happily, the number of submitted papers has been growing with each meeting, but that also means that decisions may have to be made by the Scientific Committee about which papers to include.

Decisions will be announced by mid-April 2009. The members of the Scientific Committee are: Rudolf Bernet (Leuven), James Mensch (Saint Francis Xavier), Gianfranco Soldati (Fribourg), Wioletta Miskiewicz (IHPST), and Mark van Atten (IHPST).

The Paris branch of the Polish Academy of Sciences ([www.academie-polonaise.org](http://www.academie-polonaise.org), in French and in Polish) is in the 16th arrondissement, near the Arc de Triomphe and the Champs-Élysées. The early 19th century building once belonged to the Marquis de Clermont-Tonnerre, who frequently welcomed his friend Marcel Proust there.

The address of the venue is 74 rue Lauriston, F-75016 Paris. There are several subway stations within walking distance, in particular Charles de Gaulle (lines 1,2, and 6), Victor Hugo (2), Boissière (6), and Iéna (9).

Full information on public transport in Paris, including connections to and from the airports Roissy Charles de Gaulle (CDG) and Orly (ORY), is available at <http://www.ratp.fr/> (in six languages). Another useful website on the airports is <http://www.aeroportsdeparis.fr/Adp/en-GB/Passagers/>

We are currently trying to obtain a discount from hotels near the conference site or close to a convenient subway line. We will have further details on this soon. In the meantime, you may wish to consult the Paris Tourist Information website <http://en.parisinfo.com/> which, among many other things, has an online hotel booking system. When looking for a hotel, keep in mind that the Paris subway is efficient, and that lines 1,2,6, and 9 all have stops near the venue.

We look forward to seeing you in Paris in June 2009.

Sincerely,

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