Freud and Neurosciences
Investigating the Dialogue between Psychoanalysis and Neurosciences

An International Symposium at the Center for Literary and Cultural Research Berlin
29 – 30 October, 2010

Venue: Zentrum für Literatur- und Kulturforschung, Schützenstr. 18, 10117 Berlin, 3. Et., Trajekte-Tagungsraum 308

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Friday, 29 October, 2010

14.00
Conference Opening: Sigrid Weigel (ZfL)

Psychoanalysis and Neurosciences I

14.30–15.15
Opening Lecture
Marianne Leuzinger-Bohleber (Frankfurt a. M.): Enactments in Transference: Embodiment, Trauma and Depression. What Psychoanalysis Has to Offer to Neurosciences

15.45–17.15
François Ansermet/Pierre Magistretti (Geneva/Lausanne): Neuronal Plasticity, Homeostasis and Somatic States as Key Elements for a Dialogue Between Neuroscience and Psychoanalysis

Edith Seifert (Berlin): "Die medulla oblongata ist ein sehr schönes und ernsthaftes Objekt." A Comparison of Neuroscientific and Psychoanalytical Theories

Interdisciplinary Dream Research

17.45
Heinrich Deserno (Frankfurt a. M./Berlin): Interdisciplinary Perspectives of Dream Research and Dream Interpretation

Tamara Fischmann (Frankfurt a. M.): Dreams, Unconscious Fantasies and Epigenetics

19.30
Key Note Lecture
Mark Solms (Cape Town): What Dreams Are Made Of
Saturday, 30 October, 2010

Psychoanalysis and Neurosciences II

10.00–11.30
Gérard Pommier (Paris): Importance of the Affects to Understand the Relationship between the Psychoanalytical and the Neuroscientific Point of View

Giselher Guttmann (Vienna): Neurobiology of Conscious and Unconscious Control Mechanisms

12.00–12.45
Yoram Yovell (Haifa): Drive and Love: Revisiting Freud's Drive Theory

History of Science

14.00–15.30
Ohad Parnes (ZfL): Between Neuro-Psycho-Analysis and Psycho-Neuro-Immunology: Psychology and Somatic Disease since Freud

Gerhard Scharbert (ZfL): Signs and Souls – French Psychiatry in the 19th Century and the Emergence of Psychodynamics

Epistemology, Culture and Subjectivity: "Mind the Gap"

16.00–18.15
Ulrike Kadi (Vienna): Couch Potato: Some Remarks Concerning the Body of Psychoanalysis

Christine Kirchhoff (ZfL): Serving Various Masters: How Culture Shapes the Apparatus


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