

# SEMINAR FOR AUSTRO-GERMAN PHILOSOPHY

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HUMAN ACTION AND THE SOCIAL SCIENCES

A colloquium to be held in the University of Manchester on Saturday and Sunday, 10-11 November, 1979.

Programme

## Saturday

- 11.00 Prof. Philip Pettit, University of Bradford  
(on the methodology of the social sciences)
- 13.00 Lunch
- 14.30 David Ramsey Steele, University of Hull: Misesian Apriorism  
(Austrian Economics and the Nature of the Truths  
of the Social Sciences)
- 16.00 Debate on the role of the a priori in the social sciences
- 18.00 Dinner

## Sunday

- 11.00 Jeremy Shearmur, University of Edinburgh  
Inside the Social Atom
- 13.00 Lunch
- 14.30 Symposium: On the glue holding together the social molecule  
(Barry Smith, Manchester and Peter Simons, Bolton)
- 16.00 Kevin Mulligan, University of Hamburg  
Social Syntax

Venue: Senior Common Room, 1st floor of Tower, Owens Park, 293 Wilmslow Road, Fallowfield, Manchester. Owens Park is a large student residence complex on the A34, 3 miles South of Manchester city centre, 1½ miles South of the main University of Manchester campus (Wilmslow Rd. is a continuation of Oxford Rd.); it can be reached by bus nos. 40-49 inclusive, from Picadilly and Arndale Bus Stations. A limited amount of accommodation is available in Manchester. All inquiries to Barry Smith at 061-273 3333 (Ext. Dept. of Philosophy) daytime, 061-225 5555 (Ext. 218) evenings. There is no fee for participation. All those interested are welcome.

Chairman: K. Mulligan (Hamburg), Secretary: Dr. B. Smith (Sheffield), Treasurer: Dr. P. M. Simons (Bolton).

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