

Open Texture. A Research Workshop.

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Schedule

Do, 18.9.			Fr, 19.9.		
1	10:00 – 11:30	Derek Ball Temporal externalism and open texture	5	10:00 – 11:30	Christian Nimtz Open Texture. A view from Vagueness
		COFFEE BREAK			COFFEE BREAK
2	11:45 – 13:15	Céline Henne Open texture and the function of conceptual analysis	6	11:45 – 13:15	Justin D’Ambrosio Clouds and Credences: A probabilistic approach to underspecification
		LUNCH BREAK			LUNCH BREAK
3	14:30 – 16:00	Dan Lassiter Open texture via social-meaning-first metasemantics	7	14:30 – 16:00	Mark Bowker Open texture with minimal propositions
		COFFEE BREAK			COFFEE BREAK
4	16:15 – 17:45	Daniel Gutzmann Mechanisms for semantic creativity: what we can learn from diachronic semantics			
	20:00	CONFERENCE DINNER			