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1. Wednesday, December 7, 2005, 8.00 pm

Opening Lecture in Memory of Professor Mara Beller

**Don Howard**, University of Notre Dame, Indiana

Revisiting the Bohr-Einstein Dialogue

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2. Monday, January 2, 2006, 6.00 pm

**Béla** **Kapossy**,University of Fribourg and the University of Lausanne

The Open City: Eighteenth-Century Debates on the Political and Economic Integration of Foreigners

*Commentator*:**Snait Gissis**, Tel Aviv University

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3. Monday, January 30, 2006, 6.00 pm

**Itamar Pitowsky,**The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

The Extended Church-Turing Thesis and Quantum Computation

*Commentator*:**Oron Shagrir**,The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Tel Aviv University

4. Wednesday, March 8, 2006, 8.00 pm

**Juliet Floyd**, Boston University

Some Philosophical Questions about Gödel's Completeness Theorem

*Commentator*:**Mark Steiner**,The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

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5. Monday, March 20, 2006, 6.00 pm

**Tim Maudlin**, Rutgers University

Two Problems about Evaporating Black Holes

*Commentator:* **Avshalom Elizur**, Bar-Ilan University

Tel Aviv University

6. Wednesday, April 5, 2006, 8.00 pm

**Giora Hon**, University of Haifa

Living Extremely Flat: The Poor Life of John von Neumann's Automaton

*Commentator:*  **Eli Dresner**, Tel Aviv University

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

7. Monday, June 5, 2006, 6.00 pm

**Margaret Morrison**, University of Toronto

Unification Revisited: The Role of Dynamical Principles

*Commentator***: Orly Shenker**, The Open University of Israel

Tel Aviv University

8. Mon.-Thurs., June 12-15, 2006

The Origins and Nature of Computation

The Twenty-First Annual International Workshop

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Details will be announced separately.

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