

XI Kant Readings

Immanuel Kant Baltic Federal University announces the **XI International Kant Readings: “The Kantian Project of Enlightenment Today”**, dedicated to Kant’s 290th anniversary and to the 230th anniversary of his widely influential essay, “Answering the Question: What is Enlightenment?”

The conference will take place on April 21st – 24th, 2014. The organizing committee suggests the following broad topics for discussion:

1. *What is the meaning of “Enlightenment” in the twenty-first century? The Age of Enlightenment and modernity.*
2. *What constitutes the power of an enlightened reason?*
3. *Social and political problems of today’s world in light of Kant’s treatise.*
4. *Enlightenment and world religions.*
5. *Problems of morality in today’s world.*
6. *Enlightenment, science and education.*
7. *Enlightenment and the evolution of law and legal awareness in contemporary society.*
8. *Aesthetic theory, art and enlightenment.*
9. *Educational functions of mass media and communication.*
10. *Contemporary culture and enlightenment.*

Traditional topics in Kantian studies not immediately connected to the topic of enlightenment are also proposed for discussion in relevant sections of the Readings.

Theses not exceeding three pages (or 6000 characters) are to be submitted as text files (.docx, .doc, .rtf) to kant2014@kantiana.ru no later than February 1st, 2014.

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