

# Radboud Annual Continental Philosophy Conference 2025: Canon and Critique

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## FRIDAY, March 14

- 08.45–09.00 *Opening of the Conference*
- 09.00–10.00 **Keynote talk: Franz Knappik (University of Bergen)/Daniel James (TU Dresden)**  
Canon Critique and Collective Memory
- 10.00–10.35 **Marie Louise Krogh (Leiden University)**  
A Telling Silence? Approaches to race and colonialism in the canon of critical philosophy
- Coffee Break*
- 10.50–11.25 **Erik Brownrigg (York University, Canada)**  
Reinterpreting Inheritance: Bachelard, Adorno, and Derrida's Challenge to the Canon of Continental Philosophy
- 11.25–12.00 **Peter W. Milne (Seoul National University)**  
Writing 'After': Lyotard and the Canon
- 12.05–12.40 **Joseph Tanke (University of Hawai'i, Mānoa)**  
Styles of Radical Displacement: Foucault and the Decolonial Imperative
- Lunch break*
- 13.40–14.15 **Manuel Tangorra (KU Leuven)**  
Decolonizing the Canon? Insights from Contemporary Hegel Scholarship
- 14.15–14.50 **Waseem Akhtar Usmani (KU Leuven)**  
Postcolonial Islam: Iqbal's Critique of Hegel's Logic
- 14.55–15.30 **Andréa Delestrade (London School of Economics)**  
Internal Critiques of Eurocentrism and the Self-Referentiality Problem: Contaminating the Canon in the Phenomenological Tradition(s)
- Coffee Break*
- 15.45–16.20 **Friso Timmenga (University of Groningen)**  
Thinking with and against the Continental Canon: A Transformative Phenomenological Pedagogy for Diversifying Philosophy
- 16.20–16.55 **Sophie Withaecx (Maastricht University)**

Aliens, tricksters and goddesses: metaphorical figurations as tools for transforming the philosophical canon

17:05–18:05

**Keynote talk: Stella Sandford (Kingston University)**

“Straying From the Rules”: Transdisciplinarity and the Continental Canon

18:05-18:30

*Concluding discussion*

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