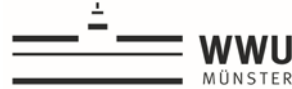




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## Freedom as Key Category in Origen ...

### Opening Lecture

Thursday, 25 October 2018

Katholisch-Theologische Fakultät

Johannisstr. 8–10, KTh I

16.30–18.30 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the  
Origen Research Center  
  
Volker GERHARDT, Berlin  
Freiheit als philosophische und  
theologische Schlüsselkategorie

### Workshop

Friday, 26 October 2018

Agora-Hotel, Bismarckallee 5

*Panel I*      *Historic Milestones*

09.00-10.00 Christian HENGSTERMANN, Bochum  
Freedom as the “True Self”: Christian  
Libertarianism as Rational Agent Causa-  
lity in Origen

10.00-11.00 Christian PELZ, Bochum  
“Freedom as the Keystone of the Whole  
System of Pure Reason.” The Impor-  
tance of Freedom in Immanuel Kant’s  
Theology

11.30-12.30 Vito LIMONE, Milan  
A Case of Reception of Origen and  
Origenism in German Idealism: F. W. J.  
Schelling

## ... and in Modern Theology

*Panel II*      *Modern Milestones*

15.00-16.00 Elisa ZOCCHI, Münster  
The Mystery of Freedom: Hans Urs  
von Balthasar on Origen’s Doctrine  
of Freedom

16.30-17.30 Martin BREUL, Cologne  
Free Will in Origen and Habermas:  
Towards a Postmetaphysical Notion  
of Freedom

Saturday, 27 October 2018

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*Panel III*      *Freedom in Contemporary Theology*

09.00-10.00 Johannes GRÖSSL, Würzburg  
The Faithful Soul United with the Logos:  
Origenism in Modern Christologies

10.00-11.00 Julian TAPPEN, Cologne  
Is God Free to Forgive? Reflections on  
the Subject of Eschatological Action

11.30-12.30 Aaron LANGENFELD, Paderborn  
Is Theology Bound to Defend Libertar-  
ianism?

**Venue: Agora Hotel, Room 1ab**  
**Bismarckallee 5 (Zugang: Bismarckallee 11B)**  
**48151 Münster**