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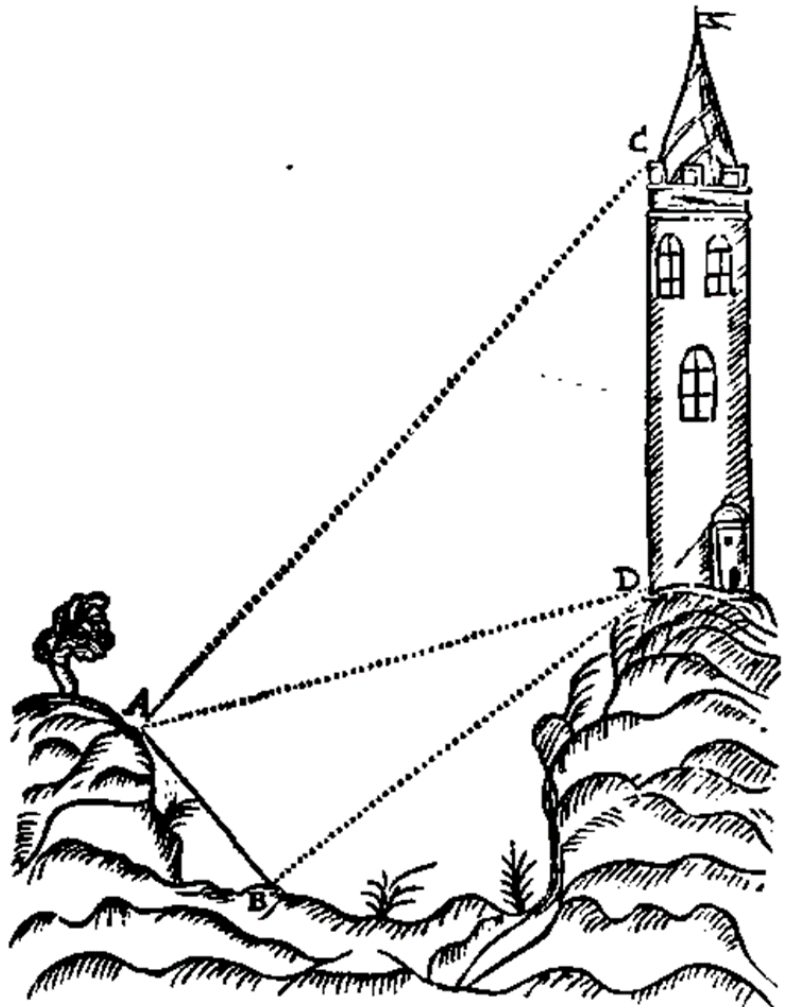
18-19 October 2017

Leibniz and Hobbes: A Complex Relationship Inspiration, Opposition, Incorporation

Crociera Alta di Giurisprudenza - Via Festa del Perdono, 7
Università degli Studi di Milano

Invited Speakers:

Luca Basso
Philip Beeley
Mattia Brancato
Gonzalo Bustamante Kuschel
Stefano Di Bella
Douglas Jesseph
Gianfranco Mormino
Osvaldo Ottaviani
Gianni Paganini
Marine Picon
Francesco Piro
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18 October

10.00 – *Introduction*

Section I – *Theology, Reason and Language*

10.30-11.30 – Gianni Paganini (Piemonte Orientale): *Thomas Hobbes on possible worlds and theodicy*

11.30-12.30 – Gonzalo Bustamante Kuschel (Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez, Santiago de Chile): *Rhetoric, language and critical rationality in Hobbes*

Section II - *Mathematics and the Royal Society*

14.00-15.00 – Douglas Jesseph (Florida): *Hobbes and Leibniz on Indivisibles*

15.00-16.00 – Francesco Piro (Salerno): *Hobbius Repuerascens. Leibniz on Hobbes' anti-Wallis late works*

16.15-17.15 – Mattia Brancato (CNRS/Aix-Marseille Université): *The Whole and the Part: Hobbes and Leibniz on Elements' Common Notion 5*

17.15-18.15 – Philip Beeley (Oxford): *Leibniz, Hobbes and the Royal Society*

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Section III - *Physics*

9.30-10.30 – Federico Silvestri (Milano): *The Early Leibniz and Mechanicism: The case of Optics*

10.30-11.30 – Gianfranco Mormino (Milano): *Hobbes's Conatus and Aristotle's Continuum: Two Sources of Leibniz' Early Physics*

Section IV – *Politics*

11.30-12.30 – Luca Basso (Padova): *Leibniz and Hobbes on Natural Law*

Section V – *Logic and Ontology*

14.00-15.00 – Marine Picon (ENS Lyon): *“Principia prima vera esse facimus”*: Leibniz and the “Hobbesian difficulty”

15.00-16.00 – Osvaldo Ottaviani (SNS Pisa): *Conditional Propositions and Existential Import: Hobbes and the Young Leibniz*

16.00-17.00 – Stefano Di Bella (Milano): *Predication and Ontological Economy in Leibniz and Hobbes*

17.00-17.30 – *Conclusions*

