

The Legacy of Fr John Meyendorff, Scholar and Churchman (1926-1992)

International Conference 9-11 February 2012, to be held at St Sergius
Orthodox Theological Institute, 93 Rue de Crimée, 75019 Paris



PROGRAM

Languages: French and English. The time prescribed for the lectures is twenty minutes, in order to leave ten minutes for questions and remarks.

Thursday 9 February

14h00 Registration

14h30 Opening remarks by His Eminence Archbishop Gabriel, Rector of the Institute and the Very Reverend Nicolas Cernokrak, Dean

I Theology

15h00 **Keynote Lecture:** Joost van Rossum (St Sergius), *Père Jean Meyendorff : Une vie dédiée à la science et à l'Eglise*

15h30 Jean-François Colosimo (St Sergius), *La christologie pascale de Jean Meyendorff*

16h00 Pause

16h30 Metropolitan Kallistos (Ware), Oxford, *Fr John Meyendorff and "Neo-Patristic Synthesis"*

17h00 Fr. Nikolaos Loudovikos (Thessaloniki), *John Meyendorff and the Possibilities of a Modern Patristic Synthesis*

17h30 Ivana Noble (Prague), *Patristic Synthesis or Non-Synthetic Dialectics ? A Critical Evaluation of John Meyendorff's Contribution*

18h00 Vespers

Friday 10 February

10h00 Goran Sekulovski (St Sergius), *Père Jean Meyendorff, lecteur de Denys l'Aréopagite*

10h30 Fr Andrew Louth (Durham), *Dionysius, Maximus, Palamas – and Meyendorff?*

11h00 Pantelis Kalaitzidis (Volos), *Jean Meyendorff et Jean Romanidès : deux approches divergentes de la théologie palamite*

11h30 Pause

12h00 Sergej Horuzhy (Moscow), *The Reception of Palamas' Thought and Its Development in Contemporary Philosophy*

12h30 Stoyan Tanev (Odense, Denmark), *Divine Sophia and Energeia in 14th and 20th Century Orthodox Theology*

13h00 Lunch



II Liturgy and Iconology

14h30 André Lossky (St Sergius), *La Fête de la Transfiguration comme témoin de la Lumière*

15h00 Fr. Nicolas Ozoline (St Sergius), *Père Jean Meyendorff, théologien de l'icône*

15h30 Fr. Stephan Bigham (Montreal, Canada), *L'art roman : le dernier art occidental de caractère iconique*

16h00 Pause

III Church History

16h30 Pavel Pavlov (Sofia), *St Gregory Palamas' View on Islam : Byzantine Insights for Contemporary Society*

17h00 Marie-Hélène Congourdeau (Paris), *Nicolas Cabasilas et sa défense de Grégoire Palamas contre les « inepties » de Nicéphore Grégoras*

17h30 Marie-Hélène Blanchet (Paris), *Les enjeux du terme « katholikos » à Byzance à la fin du Moyen-Age : une querelle confessionnelle*

18h00 Vespers

18h30 Table ronde and Reception

Saturday 11 February

10h00 Alexander Dvorkin (Moscow), *Western Influences on Church Life in Muscovy in the First Half of the Sixteenth Century*

10h30 Constantin Vétochnikov (Paris), *Les missions patriarcales en pays russe du 14^e et 15^e siècles*

11h00 Oleg Kobtzeff (Paris), *La signification pour l'historiographie de l'œuvre de Jean Meyendorff*

11h30 Pause

IV The Orthodox Church Today and Yesterday

12h00 Fr. Nicolas Lossky (St Sergius), *Père Jean Meyendorff et le mouvement œcuménique*

12h30 Nicolas Kazarian (St Sergius), *Père Jean Meyendorff et le COE*

13h00 Lunch

14h30 Michel Stavrou (St Sergius), *Le rôle du Patriarcat Œcuménique dans la vision ecclésiologique du Père Jean Meyendorff*

15h00 Paul Meyendorff (Crestwood, New York), *Fr John Meyendorff's role in the Autocephaly of the Orthodox Church in America*

15h30 Final remarks and Panychida

Sunday 12 February 2012

15h00 Annual Séance Solennelle. A Doctorate *honoris causa* will be bestowed on His Eminence Amfilohije (Radović), Archbishop of Cetinje and Metropolitan of Montenegro and the Littoral. He is the author of a Doctoral Thesis on Saint Gregory Palamas, the French translation of which will be presented on this occasion.

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