



PHILOSOPHY OF BIOMEDICINE ANNUAL MEETING

27-28 OCTOBER, 2010
MOSCOW, RUSSIA

“Theory and Applications”

FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

In 2010 the State Medical Stomatological University of Moscow, and the Institute of Philosophy RAS will organise the Philosophy of Biomedicine annual conference. The Moscow Philosophical Society will be the co-ordinator of the event.

There are four central topics:

- Theoretical Biomedicine and Methodology;
- Biomedicine and Clinical Practice;
- Bioethics, Theory and Research;
- Biotechnologies, Biopolitics and Human Rights.

Abstracts addressing the philosophical dimensions of the following topics can be submitted:

- **Theoretical Biomedicine and Methodology:**
 - Human, biological and mixed methods
 - Models and Paradigms in Biomedicine
 - NBIC convergence and Biomedicine
- **Biomedicine and Clinical Practice:**
 - Biomedical societies: Transdisciplinary aspects
 - Improving clinical practice through empirical ethics
 - Role of theory in clinical practice
- **Bioethics, Theory and Research:**
 - Bioethics of biomedical research
 - The empirical ethics of clinical research
 - Global perspectives on Bioethics
- **Biotechnologies, Biopolitics and Human Rights:**
 - Biotechnologies and human rights
 - Contextualism, cultural diversity, and human rights
 - Biopolitics and health policy making

The program of the conference includes plenary sessions as well as parallel sessions. Persons wishing to present papers at the conference are invited to submit an abstract addressing the philosophical dimensions of the conference topics (500 words maximum) before **May 31, 2010**. Papers will be selected from the abstracts by the Conference Program Committee.

Please send abstracts to:

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