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1 *Wednesday, October 30, 2013, 8:00 p.m.*

Lecture in Memory of Professor Mara Beller

Michel Janssen, University of Minnesota

**Arches and Scaffoldings: Continuity and Discontinuity in Building
Relativity and Quantum Theory**

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2 *Wednesday, November 13, 2013, 8:00 p.m.*

Ute Deichmann, Ben-Gurion University

**The Beginnings of Israeli-German Collaborations in
the Sciences – Motivations, Scientific Benefits, and
Hidden Agendas**

Commentator: **Ofer Ashkenazi**, The Hebrew University
of Jerusalem

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3 *Monday, November 25, 2013, 6:00 p.m.*

Steven Epstein, Northwestern University

**Sexual Health as Buzzword: Competing Stakes,
Proliferating Meanings, and the Politics of Niche
Standardization**

Commentator: **Dani Filc**, Ben-Gurion University

Tel Aviv University

4 *Monday-Thursday, December 2-5, 2013*

**Intuition and Reason, an International Conference on the
Work of Charles Parsons**

Tel-Aviv and Jerusalem

(Details will be announced separately)

5 *Wednesday, January 15, 2014, 8:00 p.m.*

Mauricio Suarez, Complutense University

Propensities and Pragmatism

Commentator: **Ittay Nissan-Rozen**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

6 *Wednesday, March 12, 2014, 8:00 p.m.*

Eva Jablonka, Tel Aviv University

Memory and Heredity: The Epigenetic Connection

Commentator: **Snait Gissis**, Tel Aviv University

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

7 *Monday, May 12, 2014, 6:00 p.m.*

Kathleen Okruhlik, The University of Western Ontario

Values and Epistemic Voluntarism

Commentator: **Boaz Miller**, Tel Aviv University

Tel Aviv University

8 *Wednesday, May 28, 2014, 8:00 p.m.*

Carl Hoefer, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Chance and Determinism in Physical Theories

Commentator: **Meir Hemmo**, University of Haifa

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

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