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Participant Options

	In-Person Presentation Full voucher	In-Person Presentation Basic Voucher	In-Person Audience Full voucher	In-Person Audience Basic Voucher
Presentation	X	X	Attending	Attending
Paper to Atrium	X	X		
3 LUNCHES	X		X	
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One year access to the Atrium	X	Х	X	X
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PAPER TO THE FINAL PUBLICATION	If selected	If selected		
FEE (IN USD)	149	89	95	35

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Presentation		
PAPER TO ATRIUM	Х	
3 lunches		
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GENERAL INFORMATION

The Conference aims at gathering scholars from the fields of philosophy, linguistics, philology, literature, anthropology, and theology to examine the notions of logos and person and their rich relations throughout history. The interaction between scholars from different areas is an essential characteristic of this Conference.

TOPICS OF INTEREST

- 1. From logos to person: The intellectual history of these notions from antiquity to nowadays, particularly (though not exclusively) in the Greek, Hebrew, Arabic, and Latin traditions.
- 2. Languages and personal identity: Learning to speak as a key element in personal development. To what extent shapes a specific language the way of thinking?
- **3.** Self-identity and inter-relations. Memory and verbal expression as a key factor in shaping individual and collective identity. Does learning a new language have a bearing on an adult as a person?
- **4.** Are words vehicles of thoughts? Does being a person imply being-in-relation? Are there non-human persons? Is personal growth possible?
- **5.** The Word of God. The role of words in the act of creation. Person & Sacred Scripture: Implies divine Revelation a personal God? Prayer as monologue, formula, invocation, or dialogue in the three monotheistic traditions.

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