

# Revenge: A Key to the requirements of Moral Repair

International Conference at Beckmannshof, Ruhr-Universität Bochum  
July 11<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> 2024

Organized by Prof. Dr. Maria-Sibylla Lotter (Ruhr-Universität Bochum), Dr. Saskia Fischer (Leibniz Universität Hannover)

Wednesday, July 10<sup>th</sup>

20:00 Welcome Dinner at the Hotel Lottental)

Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup>

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09:15 – 09:20 Maria-Sibylla Lotter (Ruhr-Universität Bochum):  
Welcome to the lecturers and students

Panel I: Psychological, Cultural and Social Perspectives on Revenge

*Moderation: Maria-Sibylla Lotter*

09:20 – 10:20 Mario Gollwitzer (München): *Psychological Perspectives on Revenge, Retribution, and Punishment*

*Coffee Break*

10:40 – 11:40 Philipp Schmidt (Heidelberg): *Revenge and Self-confidence*  
*Short Break*

11:50 – 12:50 Victor Igreja (Queensland): *Poiesis of revenge in post-civil war Mozambique*

12:50 Lunch

14:00 – 15:00 Daniel Ilger (Frankfurt/Oder): *Revenge on the player? The poetological self-destruction of The Last of Us Part II*

15:00- 15:30 *Coffee Break*

*Moderation: Oliver Hallich*

15:30 – 16:30 Reinhard Merkel (Hamburg) : *Revenge and retribution in international law of armed conflict*

16:45- 17:45 Alice MacLachlan (York University/Kanada): *Petty Payback and Civil Revenge*

19:30 Dinner (Restaurant Lottental)

Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup>

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*Moderation: Saskia Fischer*

09:15 – 10:15 Paula Satné (Leeds): *Two forms of revenge*

*Short Coffee Break*

Panel II: Summary discussion of the articles already submitted.

10:35 – 11:35 Short presentations and discussion of the articles by Oliver Hallich (*Revenge versus Retribution*) and Maria-Sibylla Lotter (*Revenge and Moral Repair*)

*Short Break*

*Moderation II: Martina Herrmann*

11:45 – 12:45 Short presentation and discussion of the articles by Günther Schlee (*Revenge in the Context of Collective Identification*) and Bernadette Descharmes (*There are Two Sides to Every Story: Revenge and Cohesion in Classical Athens*)

12:45 Lunch

14:00 – 15:00 Short presentations and discussion of the articles by Saskia Fischer (*“Kill them now, or later?” Vengeful Women and The Arts*) and Sebastian Schirrmeister (*Nekome: Revenge in Post-Shoah Jewish Writing*)

15:00 End of conference