

Special Issue

Events and Processes: Rethinking Time, Creativity, and Reality in Continental and Process Philosophy

Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue of the journal *Philosophies* invites papers that address the concepts of events and processes and how they enable us to rethink "Time, Creativity and Reality in Continental and Process Philosophy". Events and processes have been at the center of work in 20th and 21st-century continental philosophy and process thought, unsettling our ready-made conceptualizations. Some conceptions challenge traditional frameworks in ontology, epistemology and metaphysics. Gilles Deleuze says "I've tried in all my books to discover the nature of events; it's a philosophical concept, the only one capable of ousting the verb 'to be' and its attributes". For Whitehead, process becomes the fundamental category, and in Bergson, duration takes ontological priority. How have these traditions defined and distinguished events and processes? How have these concepts enabled a reconsideration of time/space, mind/body, life/consciousness, causality/creativity, and how we think about reality? This Special Issue invites original research on events and processes within the continental and process traditions.

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