Navigating Impasses in Bioethics: Rethinking Ill/Health

Day Symposium on Friday 4 December 2015
Venue: St Edmund’s College, CB3 0BN Cambridge

9.30am (Okinaga Room) Welcome: Philip McCosker, Director of the Von Hügel Institute

9.40 -11.10am Session 1
Chair: David Elliot

Thana Campos: The human Right to Health and the Conflation Problem
Jonathan Herring: Health as Vulnerability; Interdependence and Relationality
David Albert Jones: Jettisoning ‘the Sanctity of Life Principle’

11.10 – 11.30 am Coffee break

11.30 – 1pm Session 2
Chair: Trevor Stammers

Sally Atkinson: Health or Illness, Person or Patient: Blurring the Lines in the Development of Pre-Symptomatic Biomarkers for Dementia
Gianmarco Contino: Health Medicalisation and Shared Responsibility
Christina Lamb: Conscientious Objection: Understanding the Right of Conscience in Health and Health Care Practice

1 – 2 pm (Huddleston Room) Buffet Lunch

2 – 3.30 pm Session 3
Chair: Thana Campos

Lidia Ripamonti: Disabled, Different, or both? Health and Neurodiversity
David Elliot: Defining the Relationship between Health and Well-being in Bioethics
Trevor Stammers: Meaning in Madness? Theological and Personal Reflections on Mental Illness

3.30 – 3.45 pm Final Remarks and Conclusion