

## **International Workshop: Public Reason and Bioethics (Programme)**

### **Day 1:**

Welcoming remarks:

- 11:00 a.m. Kai-Yee Wong, Acting Chair, Department of Philosophy, CUHK  
Derrick Au, Director, CUHK Centre for Bioethics  
Hon-Lam Li, PI of the project “Public Reason and Bioethics”
- 11:15 a.m. *Keynote:* Alastair Campbell: “Bioethics and Public Reason: How the History of Bioethics Has Led to the Need for Some Concept of Public Reason”
- 12:30 p.m. Lunch

### **(A) The Liberal Conception of Public Reason**

- 2:30 p.m. Terence Tai, “Kant's Conception of Public Reason”
- 3:00 p.m. Hon-Lam Li, “The Rawlsian-Scanlonian Conception of Public Reason, and Its Implications for Physician-Assisted Death and Other Bioethical Issues”

### **(B) The Confucian Conception of Public Reason**

- 4:00 p.m. Ruiping Fan, “Confucian Conceptions of Public Reason and Bioethics”

### **(C) The Natural Law Conception of Public Reason**

- 5:00 p.m. Dominic Farrell & Joseph Tham, “The Natural Law Tradition, Public Reason, and Bioethics”

### **Day 2:**

- 11:30 a.m. Michael Campbell: “The Very Idea of Public Reason”
- 12:30 p.m. Lunch
- 2:30 p.m. Alastair Campbell & Li & Tai, Reply to Fan
- 2:45 p.m. Alastair Campbell & Li & Tai, Reply to Tham & Farrell
- 3:00 p.m. Fan, Reply to Alastair Campbell & Li & Tai
- 3:15 p.m. Fan, Reply to Tham & Farrell
- 3:30 p.m. Tham & Farrell, Reply to Alastair Campbell & Li & Tai
- 3:45 p.m. Tham & Farrell, Reply to Fan
- 4:00 p.m. Alastair Campbell & Li & Tai, Rejoinder
- 4:20 p.m. Fan, Rejoinder
- 4:40 p.m. Tham & Farrell, Rejoinder
- 5:00 p.m. Michael Campbell, Review & Summing Up