ANNUAL CONFERENCE | October 10-11, 2010

Heritage Room | University Club | 425 East University Drive, Tempe
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10

11:45 a.m.  meet in hotel lobby
noon – 1:00 p.m.  Lunch | Traditions Room
1:15 – 1:30 p.m.  Welcome
Hava Tirosh-Samuelson (Arizona State University)
Norbert Samuelson (Arizona State University)
1:30 – 3:30 p.m.  Genes, Volition and Addiction: The Boundaries of Moral Responsibility
Kenneth L. Kendler (Virginia Commonwealth University)
Respondent: Norman Adler (Yeshiva University)
3:30 – 4:00 p.m.  Break
4:00 – 6:00 p.m.  Reduction and Emergence in Genetic and Neural Systems: From Cells to Mind
Ralph Greenspan (Kavli Institute for Brain and Mind, University of California, San Diego)
Respondent: Yehuda Gellman (Ben Gurion University of the Negev, Beer Sheba Israel)
6:15 – 7:00 p.m.  Business Meeting I
Elliot Dorff (American Jewish University) and Hava Tirosh-Samuelson (Arizona State University)
7:15 – 8:30 p.m.  Dinner | Traditions Room

MONDAY, OCTOBER 11

8:00 a.m.  meet in hotel lobby
8:15 – 8:45 a.m.  Breakfast | Traditions Room
9:00 – 11:00 a.m.  The Genetics of Psychiatric Disorders and Psychological Traits: Scientific Progress and Philosophical Challenges
Douglas Levinson (Stanford University)
Respondent: Tsvi Blanchard (Fordham University and Humboldt University, Berlin)
11:15 a.m. – noon  Business Meeting II
Elliot Dorff (American Jewish University) and Hava Tirosh-Samuelson (Arizona State University)
12:15 – 1:45 p.m.  Lunch | Traditions Room
2:00 – 3:30 p.m.  Neuroethics and Neurotheology: A Jewish Reflection
Paul Root Wolpe (Emory University)
3:30 – 4:00 p.m.  Break
4:00 – 6:00 p.m.  Panel—Judaism and the Health Sciences
Stuart Apfel (Yeshiva University)
Alan Astrow (Maimonides Medical Center)
Karin Eli (Oxford University)
Joel Ziff (Cambridge College)
6:15 – 7:30 p.m.  Dinner | Traditions Room