Dear students of the University of Bern,

The Center for Space and Habitability (CSH) invites you to participate in the CSH Science and Religion Forum. The Forum aims to bring scientists, philosophers and theologians together to engage in constructive, interdisciplinary discussions on a broad range of topics once a year.

The CSH Science and Religion Forum: Limits of Science – Opportunities for Religion?

7th and 8th November 2019
08:15 - 18:00
Gurten/Bern, Room «Ussicht & Wytsicht»
Language English
Registration required

Science and religion have often been perceived as contradictory. Supporting a more harmonious picture of their relationship, some authors have argued that scientific inquiry has principled limitations and thus leaves territory to religion and theology, for instance regarding the meaning of existence and human values.

But does this division lead to a stable situation in which science and religion fulfill different tasks, thus complementing each other? Or does the proposed partitioning fail? Where exactly are the limits of scientific inquiry? And to what extent is religion or theology in a position to step in and to deal with concerns not addressed by the sciences? And where is there common ground?

The 2019 conference aims to address such questions, focusing on four areas:
- cosmology
- values
- the meaning of life and the first-personal standpoint
- applied social science research confronted with religion.

Scholars from various natural and social sciences, theology and philosophy are gathering to engage in truly cross-disciplinary exchange. Our aspiration is to identify themes of common interest and re-negotiate the borderlines between science and religion.

More information and registration: www.csh.unibe.ch/forum

Öffentlicher Vortrag von Prof. Dr. Eugen Drewermann im Rahmen des CSH Science and Religion Forums

Mittwoch, 6. November 2019, 19.30 Uhr
Aula, Hauptgebäude Universität Bern, Hochschulstrasse 4, 3012 Bern
Anmeldung nicht erforderlich, Eintritt frei
Im Rahmen der Veranstaltung «CSH Science and Religion Forum» zum Thema «Limits of Science – Opportunities for Religion?» findet ein öffentlicher Vortrag von Theologe und Schriftsteller Prof. Dr. Eugen Drewermann unter dem Titel «Religion und Wissenschaft» statt.

Drewermann ist einer der bekanntesten und profiliertesten Theologen und Schriftsteller im deutschen Sprachraum. Seine Werke umfassen ein breites Spektrum von Tiefenpsychologie, Bibellexegese, Märcheninterpretationen, Friedens- und Tierethik bis Naturwissenschaften, Technik und Literatur.

Begrüßung durch Prof. Dr. Isabelle Noth vom Institut für Praktische Theologie der Universität Bern.