



# Workshop Ordinary language and contextualism

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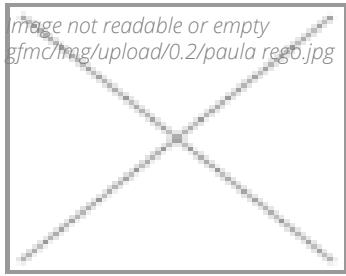
## Workshop

***“Ordinary language and contextualism”***

(Org. Sofia Miguens and Bruno Ambroise\*)

**19 th-21st may 2014**

**Sala de Reuniões | FLUP**



## [CARTAZ]

In philosophy of language contextualism is most often an inspiration to technical work on the implications of pragmatic phenomena for the semantic structure of a language, or its representation in a theory. The aim of this workshop is rather, prescinding from the question of the proper treatment of pragmatic phenomena in a linguistic theory, to consider the implications of occasion-sensitivity for the nature and objectivity of thought. It will focus particularly on the role assigned to sensitivity to occasions in the philosophy of J. L. Austin and of Wittgenstein, and particularly the bearing they see in it for philosophical method. By thus examining its origins in philosophical thought we hope to come better to understand its role, or roles, in current thought.

## [PROGRAMA]

### **DAY 1 - Monday, 19th May**

15h00 - 16H00 | Charles Travis (MLAG), *What Words are For*

16h00 - 16H30 | Reply by Jean-Philippe Narboux (U. Bordeaux 3)

16h30 | General discussion

| Dinner

### **DAY 2 - Tuesday, 20th May**

09h30 - 10h05 | Bruno Ambroise (CNRS/CURAPP), *On Austin and Travis on Truth*

10h05 - 10h20 | Reply by João Santos & Sofia Miguens (MLAG, U. Porto)

10h20 - 10h30 | Break

10h30 - 11h05 | Valérie Aucouturier (VUB/FWO), *Travis and Intentionality*

11h05 - 11h20 | Reply by João Santos (MLAG, U. Porto)

11h20 - 12h30 | General discussion

| *Lunch*

#### **Sala do Departamento de Filosofia**

14H00 - 17H00 | Meeting about the futures events in the context of the GDRI & discussion on the translation of Charles Travis' work into French and Portuguese.

#### **DAY 3 - Wednesday, 21st May**

9h30 - 10h05 | Layla Raïd (U. Picardie/CURAPP), *To mean and "vouloir dire": Wittgenstein's remarks on French grammar*

10h05 - 10h20 | Reply by Sofia Miguens.

10h20 - 11h00 | General Discussion

12h00 | Extra Programme Talk: Dan O'Brien, *More Testimony and Lies'*

| *Lunch*

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