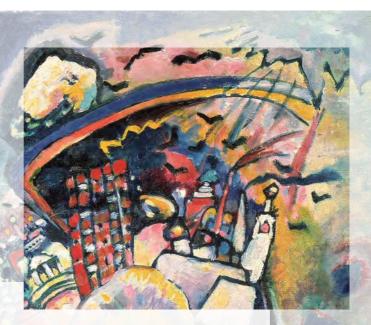
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# **Building the House of Wisdom**

Sergii Bulgakov - 150 Years After His Birth International Conference Fribourg - September 2-4, 2021

University of Fribourg (CH), Fordham University (USA), Volos Academy for Theological Studies (Greece), hosted by the University of Fribourg, Switzerland

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Sergii Bulgakov, Portrait by Sister Joanna Reitlinger, Paris 1936 (private collection of C. Eltchaninoff, Paris)

Sergii Bulgakov is one of the preeminent theologians of the 20th century. The international conference on the occasion of his 150th birthday (16th/28th July 1871 – 13th July 1944) aims to promote the reception of his work in Eastern and Western academic life. The conference wants to explore Bulgakov's contribution to meeting the challenges of the modern world and to build bridges between East and West.

The colloquium will bring young researchers from different theological disciplines and different ecclesiastical traditions into conversation with established Bulgakov specialists.

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# **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2**

- **9:00** Registration / Coffee
- 9:30 Welcome address by the organisers
- 10:00 Keynote
- **11:00** Coffee break
- 11:30 Lecture
- 12:15 Lecture
- **13:00** Lunch
- 14:30 Lecture
- 15:30 Short break
- **15:45** Panel I
- 17:45 Coffee break
- 18:15 Lecture
- 19:00 Lecture
- 20:00 Welcoming Reception

# **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3**

- 9:00 Panel II
- 11:00 Coffee break
- 11:30 Lecture
- 12:30 Lunch
- 14:00 Lecture
- 14:45 Short break
- 15:00 Panel III
- 17:00 Coffee break
- 17:30 Lecture
- 18:15 Short break
- 18:30 Lecture
- 19:45 Dinner

# **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4**

- **9:00** Panel IV **11:00** Coffee bre
- **11:00** Coffee break
- 11:30 Lecture
- **12:30** Lunch
- **14:00** Panel V
- 16:00 Coffee break
- 16:30 Lecture
- 17:15 Short break
- 17:30 Lecture
- 18:15 Final Discussion
- 19:00 Closing Reception