

Winter Semester 23/24 (Oct.-Feb.)

“Doing Theology in the German Context”

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„Ethics in a religious context face a double challenge“

On the one hand, they must be recognisably related to the ideas of divine revelation and religious traditions of a particular religious community and thus show a certain profile. On the other hand, they are dependent on arguing rationally and being comprehensible in a way that resonates beyond the boundaries of their religious community. The latter is especially true for Christian ethics in post-secular societies, because Christians feel co-responsible for the fate of the societies in which they live and therefore their theology and ethics must be „political“ in a broader sense. In our lectures, we present how Protestant and Catholic ethics in Germany are trying to meet these challenges and what conflicts and development perspectives arise in the process.



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