

The Many Faces of Logic

A Workshop with Johan van Benthem

Evening Lecture

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"From Being to Becoming, Logical Dynamics Today"

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Logical dynamics pursues the central idea that actions and events that produce information and change agents' states are first-class citizens in the domain of logic, with a structure of their own that fits seamlessly with that of traditional notions such as proposition, proof, or theory. We will discuss some history of this move from statics to dynamics, show how it connects logic with other disciplines in new ways, give a taste of recent results, and convey some new philosophical, mathematical and computational issues that arise in this perspective.



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