BRUNO DE FINETTI, RADICAL PROBABILIST

International Workshop October 26-28, 2006 via Marsala 24, Bologna

Thursday 26 October

5 - 6 p.m.

Fulvia de Finetti (Rome): "Some links between Bruno de Finetti and the University of Bologna"

6 p.m.

Giordano Bruno, Fulvia de Finetti, Maria Carla Galavotti, Donald Gillies and Giulio Giorello will discuss the volume of Bruno de Finetti *L'invenzione della verità* (1934), Milano: Cortina, 2006.

Friday 27 October

9 - 10 a.m.

Patrick Suppes (Stanford Univ.): "Philosophical and psychological foundations of de Finetti's thought"

10 - 11 a.m.

Colin Howson (LSE): "De Finetti: coherence and consistency"

11 - 11.30 a.m.

Break

11.30- 12.30 a.m.

Roberto Scazzieri (Univ. Bologna): "The feasibility of normative structures" 12.30 a.m.

Lunch

2.30 -3.30 p.m.

Philip Dawid (UCL): "Empirical validation of probability assessments" 3.30 - 4.30 p.m.

Eugenio Regazzini (Univ. Pavia): "De Finetti and the concept of mean value" 4.30-5 p.m.

Break

5 - 6 p.m.

Aldo Montesano (Univ. Bocconi): "De Finetti's anticipation of the Arrow-Pratt measure of risk aversion"

Saturday 28 October

9 -10 a.m.

Alberto Mura (University of Sassari): "Probability and the logic of de Finetti's 'trievents'"

10 -11 a.m.

Grazia letto Gillies (London South Bank Univ.): "Why de Finetti's views on economics are very relevant today"

11 -11.30 a.m.

Break

11.30 - 12.30 a.m.

Sandy Zabell (Northwestern Univ.): "De Finetti on subjective probability and Quantum Mechanics"

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