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Main theme: Authority – Ethos – Values

Statement that we live in unique times is naturally a truism. Such statement can be made in any times as entitled and allowed. What matters is whether it is justified. In order to indicate the uniqueness or at least the specificity of the given times, one must identify issues shaping those times. We believe they include in particular: authority, ethos and values that are honored, cultivated and enforced by people. Paradoxically, the authorities, ethos and values are identified historically, as past but important in present (as frame of reference).

For some reasons, contemporaneity seems to be poor in authorities, ethos and values. A lot of factors contribute to such situation. To determine at least some of the reasons or rationales seem to be an interesting scientific challenge. It is even more interesting to determine the consequences of the deficit and the absolute „challenge” lies in the contemporary identification of authorities, ethos and values. The problem is of universal importance, it is located beyond any divisions, it touches many countries and social groups. It is of interdisciplinary nature in science.

Taken the above into consideration, and minding any other rationales faced by the academics, we invite you to submit papers dealing directly or indirectly to the problems listed below:

- problem of authority in different fields (social, scientific, axiological, methodological)
- disciplines, areas, persons that should be accompanied by ethos
- factors relating to the shape, obstacles, difficulties in the functioning of authority/ethos/values



- crisis of authority/ethos/values
- original reflections on the authority, ethos, values
- substitutes of the authority, ethos, values
- image creation and the authority, ethos, values
- other.

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