# The Economic and Financial Crisis and the Human Person

## PROGRAMME

**Saturday 8th June – Garden Room**

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| 9.00 - 9.15   | Welcome and introduction  
John Loughlin  
Professor, Director of the Von Hügel Institute, St. Edmund's College and  
Senior Fellow in the Dept. of Politics and International Studies, University of Cambridge |
| 9.15 - 10.45  | SESSION 1             |
|               | “The personalist idea of money. How to change a system too big to fail?”  
Luk Bouckaert, Professor Emeritus, Centre for Economics  
and Ethics, Catholic University of Leuven and President of European SPES Forum |
|               | "Ethics and the limited liability of companies"  
Peter Rona, Senior Fellow, Blackfriars Hall, University of Oxford |
| 10.45 - 11.00 | Break                 |
| 11.00 - 12.30 | SESSION 2             |
|               | “Being Included: Pope Francis, Archbishop Justin Welby  
& the Global Economy”  
Peter Heslam, Director, Transforming Business, University of Cambridge |
|               | “The effect of global downturn on extreme poverty  
from the perspective of CST”  
Jeffry Odell Korgen, Executive Director, Department of Diocesan  
Planning and Communications, Diocese of Metuchen, Piscataway, USA |
| 12.30 - 14.00 | Light lunch           |
| 14.00 - 15.30 | SESSION 3             |
|               | “The Failure of Materialistic Management”  
Laszlo Zsolnai, Professor and Director, Business Ethics Center,  
Corvinus University of Budapest and Co-founder, European SPES Forum |
|               | "Incongruence: Human and Organisational Readiness for Global Crises”  
Mick Blowfield, Senior Fellow, Smith School of Enterprise  
and the Environment, University of Oxford |
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**SESSION 4**

“Homo Communicans and the Economic Life”
Knut Ims, Professor of Business Ethics, Norwegian School of Economics, Bergen

“Faith, Hope and the Global Economy: a Power for Good”
Richard Higginson, Lecturer in Christian Ethics and Director, Faith in Business, Ridley Hall, Cambridge

**SESSION 5**

"Towards a New Theory of the Firm: The Collaborative Enterprise"
Antonio Tencati, Associate Professor, University of Brescia and Bocconi University, Milan

“The crisis, technology and the Human Person”
Hendrik Opdebeeck, Professor of Ethics, University of Antwerp

End of Work

**Sunday 9th June – Garden Room**
(morning tea/coffee will be served)

"Details can be crucial: The Vatican Document on the International Financial Crisis, forward looking imagination and learning from the future as it emerges. An interpretation in the light of Otto Scharmer’s Theory U."
Johan Verstraeten, Professor of Theology, Catholic University of Leuven

General reflection and closing
John Loughlin, Professor, Director of the Von Hügel Institute, St. Edmunds College and Senior Fellow in the Dept. of Politics and International Studies, University of Cambridge