2.30 – 4.00 pm
Bioethics and Human Rights: The Global Situation
Chair: Manfred Nowak, University of Vienna, Austria
Jürgen Wallner, Austrian Bioethics Commission
Bioethics in Austria and its European Context
Christiane Druml, Austrian Bioethics Commission, and the Medical University of Vienna, Austria
Bioethics in Africa
Michael Makanga, European and Developing Countries Clinical Trials Partnership, The Hague, Netherlands
The Legacy of the Nuremberg Code and the Approach to Bioethics in China
Renzong Qiu, Institute of Philosophy, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Peking, China

4.00 – 4.30 pm
Coffee Break

4.30 – 6.00 pm
To Use or Not to Use: A Final Panel
Moderation:
Sabine Kleinert, The Lancet, UK
Human Tissues and Body Parts from the Nazi Era
Sabine Hildebrandt, Harvard University, USA
Using Research Findings from the Nazi Era
Florian Schmaltz, Max Planck Institute for the History of Science, Berlin, Germany
Rename or Remember? Confronting the Challenge of Eponyms and Memory in Medical Science
William E. Seidelman, University of Toronto and Beer-Sheva, Israel
Victims of Nazi Crimes and Austrian Medicine
Markus Müller, Medical University of Vienna, Austria

6.00 – 6.30 pm
Concluding Remarks
Thursday, 2nd March 2017

10.00 am
Welcome
Christiane Druml, Austrian Bioethics Commission, and the Medical University of Vienna, Austria
Markus Müller, Rector of the Medical University of Vienna, Austria

10.30 am – 12.30 pm
Post-War Prosecutions for ‘Medical War Crimes’
Chair: Andrea Bronner, Austrian Bioethics Commission
Volker Röelcke, Justus-Liebig University of Giessen, Germany
The Nuremberg Medical Trial and the Origins of the Nuremberg Code
Paul Weindling, Oxford Brookes University, UK
Post-War Trials in Austria
Herwig Czech, Documentation Centre of the Austrian Resistance, and the Medical University of Vienna, Austria
Post-War German-Conducted Trials
Aleksandra Loewenau, University of Calgary, Canada
Jewish Medical Ethics During the Holocaust
Miriam Offer, Western Galilee College, Israel

12.30 – 2.00 pm
Lunch Break

2.00 – 4.00 pm
From Prosecutions to Medical Ethics
Chair: Thomas Fruhwald, Austrian Bioethics Commission
Paul Weindling, Oxford Brookes University
West and East German Euthanasia Trials Since 1945
Edith Raim, Vienna Wissenschaftliche Institute
Medical Ethics in Post-War Germany
Volker Röelcke, Justus-Liebig University of Giessen, Germany
The Impact of Nazi Medical Crimes in Israel
Rakefet Zaisshak, University of Edinburgh, UK
The Tainted Eponym: Transgression and Memory in Medical Science
William E. Seidelman, University of Toronto and Beer-Sheva, Israel

4.00 – 4.30 pm
Coffee Break

4.30 – 5.30 pm
Keynote
Chair: Christiane Druml, Austrian Bioethics Commission, and the Medical University of Vienna, Austria
Michael Hubenstorfer, Medical University of Vienna, Austria
Bioethics Before and After the Code
Jonathan Moreno, University of Pennsylvania, USA

5.30 – 6.30 pm
Exhibition Opening
Contemporary Artists on Medical Ethics from the Nazi Doctors’ Trial to the Present
Andrew Weinstein, Department of the History of Art, SUNY, New York, USA

Friday, 3rd March 2017

8.30 – 10.30 am
The National Impact of the Nuremberg Code
Chair: Herwig Czech, Documentation Centre of the Austrian Resistance, and the Medical University of Vienna, Austria
Helmut Denk, Austrian Academy of Sciences
The Sewering Affair
Gerrit Hohendorf, Technical University of Munich, Germany
The French Case
Christian Bonah, University of Strasbourg, France
Florian Schmaltz, Max Planck Institute for the History of Science, Berlin, Germany

10.30 – 11.00 am
Coffee Break

11.00 am – 1.00 pm
From Ethics Codes to Bioethics: International Initiatives to Codify Bioethics
Chair: Isidoros Karatzas, European Commission, Brussels, Belgium
Thomas Szekeres, Austrian Chamber of Physicians, and the Medical University of Vienna, Austria

The Role of the Council of Europe
Elmar Doppelfeld, Former Chair of the ‘Steering Committee on Bioethics (CDBI), Member of the German delegation on the Committee on Bioethics (DH-BIO) of the Council of Europe
The World Medical Association and its Declaration of Helsinki
Urban Wiesing, University of Tubingen, Germany

The UNESCO Universal Declaration on Bioethics and Human Rights, Some Reflections
Stefano Semplici, University of Rome Tor Vergata, Italy, Former Chair of the UNESCO International Bioethics Committee

The Hippocratic Oath and its Interpretations after WW II
Thomas Rütten, Newcastle University, UK

1.00 – 2.30 pm
Lunch Break