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SUGGESTED READING

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SATURDAY 27 NOVEMBER 2010
2.45pm Registration
3.00pm ‘Ought’
RALPH WEDGWOOD
4.30pm Tea / coffee
5.00pm Goodness
KRISTER BYKVIST
6.30pm Bar open
7.00pm Dinner
8.15pm Rationality
RALPH WEDGWOOD

SUNDAY 28 NOVEMBER 2010
8.15am Breakfast (residents only)
9.30am Reason
KRISTER BYKVIST
10.45am Coffee / tea
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