



THE DEPARTMENT OF GERMAN STUDIES
at Brown University is pleased to announce:



THE 2011 BRAUER LECTURE AND SEMINAR

Professor Andrew Benjamin (Monash University)

LECTURE

Leben und Glück: Notes on Walter Benjamin and Hölderlin

Wednesday, October 26, 2011, 5:30 p.m.
Brown-RISD Hillel, 80 Brown Street

LUNCHTIME SEMINAR

Where are the animals? On Kant's *Critique of Practical Reason*

Thursday, October 27, 2011, 12:00 noon
German Department Library, 190 Hope Street

Lunch will be provided. Please sign up by contacting
Wendy Perelman at wendy_perelman@brown.edu



ANDREW BENJAMIN is Professor of Critical Theory and Philosophical Aesthetics as well as Director of the Research Unit in European Philosophy at Monash University (Melbourne, Australia). He is the author of 17 books to date, among them *Translation and the Nature of Philosophy* (1989), *Art, Mimesis, and the Avant-Garde* (1991), *What is Abstraction?* (1996), *Philosophy's Literature* (2001), *Disclosing Spaces: On Painting* (2004), *Of Jews and Animals* (2010), and *Writing Art and Architecture* (2010). He is currently completing a new book, *Working with Walter Benjamin*.