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OCTOBER 16-17, 2025

ROOM 12 - FPN UNSA



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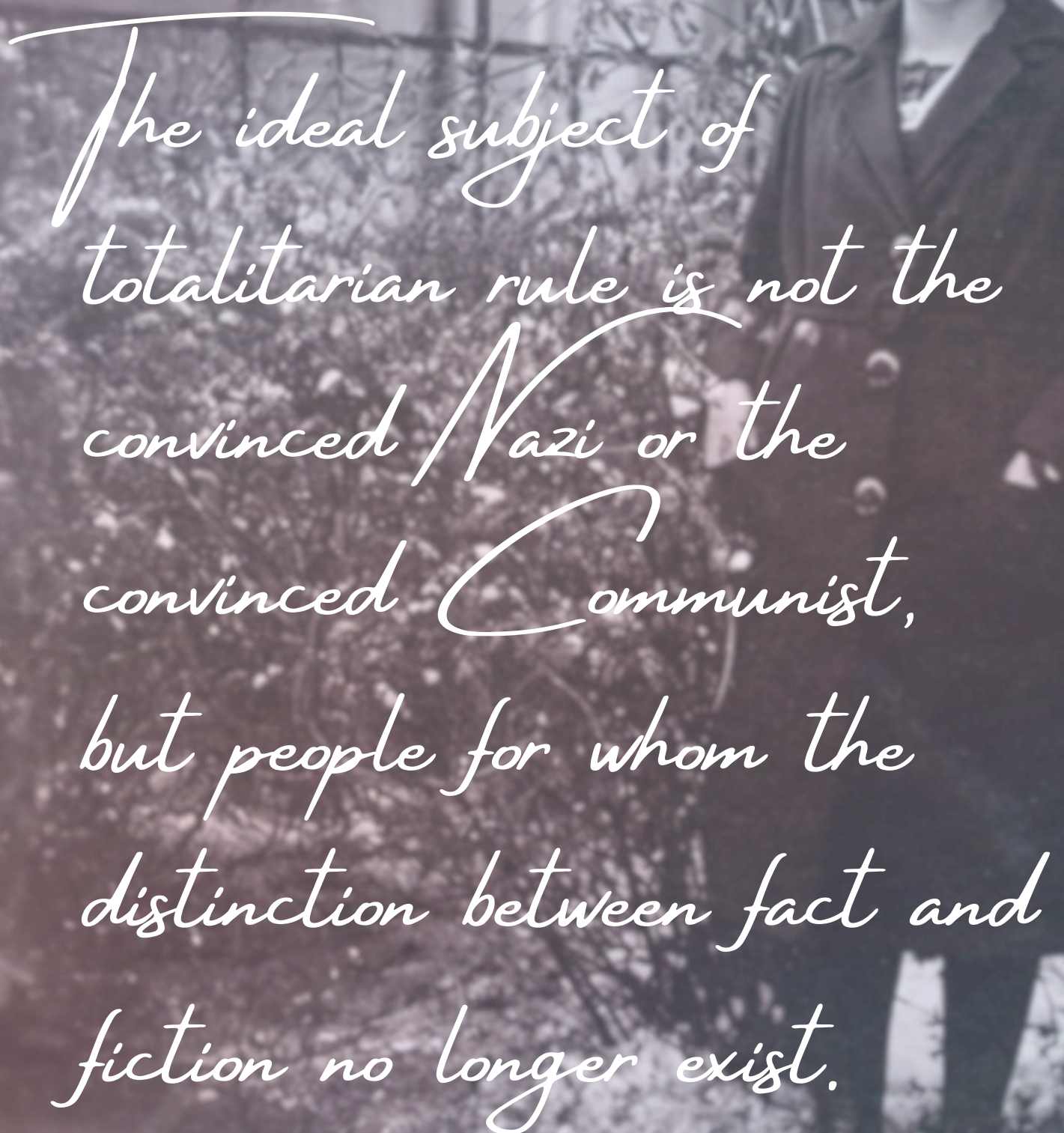


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A woman wearing a dark, wide-brimmed hat and a dark, double-breasted coat stands outdoors. She is looking towards the camera with a slight smile. The background shows a building with vertical lines and bare, spindly trees. The overall tone is muted, with a purple/pinkish tint.

The ideal subject of
totalitarian rule is not the
convinced Nazi or the
convinced Communist,
but people for whom the
distinction between fact and
fiction no longer exist.

DAY 1 [THURSDAY] OCTOBER 16, 2025

Program moderator: Selma Alispahić

09:00 – 09:35

Welcome Addresses

Representative of the Rectorate of the University of Sarajevo
Sarina Bakić, Head of the Department of Sociology
Paola Petrić, Director of the Heinrich Böll Stiftung Office in Sarajevo
H.E. Alfred Grannas, Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany to Bosnia and Herzegovina

09:35 – 10:35

Opening Lecture

The Burden of Our Time: Reflecting on Truth and Politics in the Post-Factual Age
Thomas Lindenberger

10:35 – 10:55

Coffee Break

10:55 – 11:25

Keynote Lecture

Groundless Thought and the Politics of Beginnings: A Journey Through Philadelphia, Paris, and Auschwitz
Nenad Dimitrijević

11:25 – 12:55

Panel I: Plurality, Non-Belonging and Political Existence: Arendt on Totalitarianism, Citizenship and Political Authenticity

Moderator: Dino Abazović

11:25 – 11:40

The Singularity of Totalitarianism and the Plurality of Totalitarian Practices
Nerzuk Ćurak

11:40 – 11:55

Political Authenticity: Hannah Arendt and the Courage of Being Among Others
Nermina Mujagić

11:55 – 12:10

Collapse of *jus civitatis* and *hostes humani generis*
Sanja Bojanić

12:10 – 12:25

The Paradoxical Nature of Human Rights in Arendt's Thought
Pavle Mijović

12:25 – 12:40

The Theory of Political Action as a Key Aspect of Political Life
Amila Ždralović

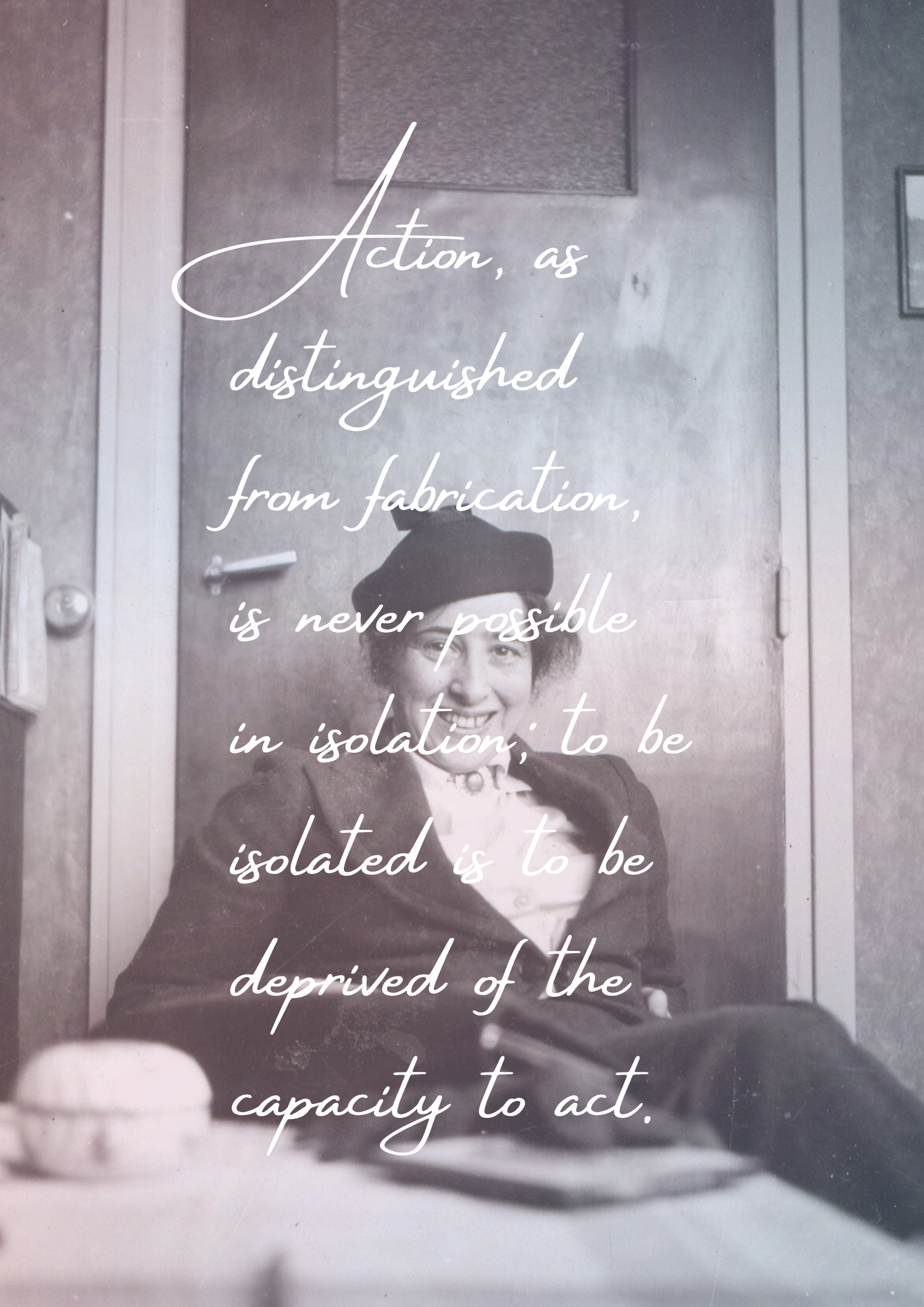
12:40 – 12:55

Discussion

13:00-14:30

Lunch

*Action, as
distinguished
from fabrication,
is never possible
in isolation; to be
isolated is to be
deprived of the
capacity to act.*



DAY 1 [THURSDAY] OCTOBER 16, 2025

14:30-15:45

**Panel II: Culture, Labor and Consumerism:
Arendtian Perspective on the Loss of the World**

Moderator: Valida Repovac Nikšić

14:30-14:45

Homo faber and Singularity: The Role of Labor in New
Regimes of Capitalist Exploitation
Sanela Bašić

14:45-15:00

Literature and Politics: A Contribution to the Culture of
Forgetting
Šaćir Filandra

15:00-15:15

The Crisis of Culture in Hannah Arendt's Thought: Between
Duration and Consumption in Contemporary Society
Sarina Bakić

15:15-15:30

The Concept of Labor and Instrumentalization of Sociality in
Arendt's Critique of Modernity
Elvir Šahić

15:30-15:45

Discussion

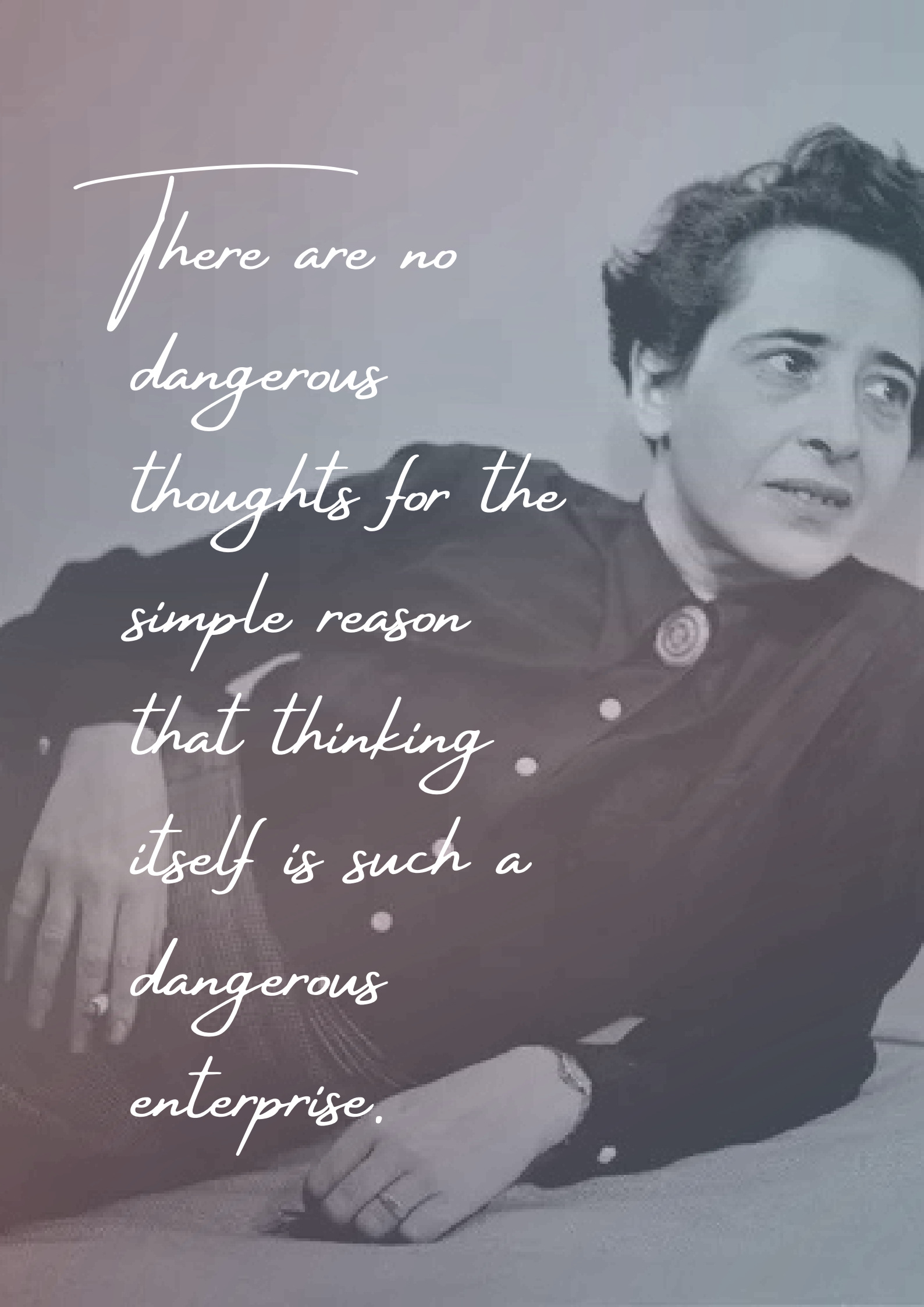
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Coffee Break

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Dinner for the Participants of the Conference

Residence of H.E. Alfred Grannas, Ambassador of the Federal
Republic of Germany to Bosnia and Herzegovina



*There are no
dangerous
thoughts for the
simple reason
that thinking
itself is such a
dangerous
enterprise.*

DAY 2 [FRIDAY] OCTOBER 17, 2025

Program moderator: Selma Alispahić

10:00 – 10:10

Opening of the Second Day

10:10 – 10:40

Keynote Lecture

Hannah Arendt: Responsibility and Judgment
Daša Duhaček

10:40 – 11:55

Panel III: Hannah Arendt in Dialogue: Encounters and Divergences

Moderator: Mirza Emirhafizović

10:40 – 10:55

Hannah Arendt on John Duns Scotus
Mile Babić

10:55 – 11:10

Hannah Arendt and Hans Jonas: Encounters and Divergences
Hrvoje Jurić

11:10 – 11:25

Arendt and Popper: Two Visions of Democracy and the Political
Valida Repovac Nikšić

11:25 – 11:40

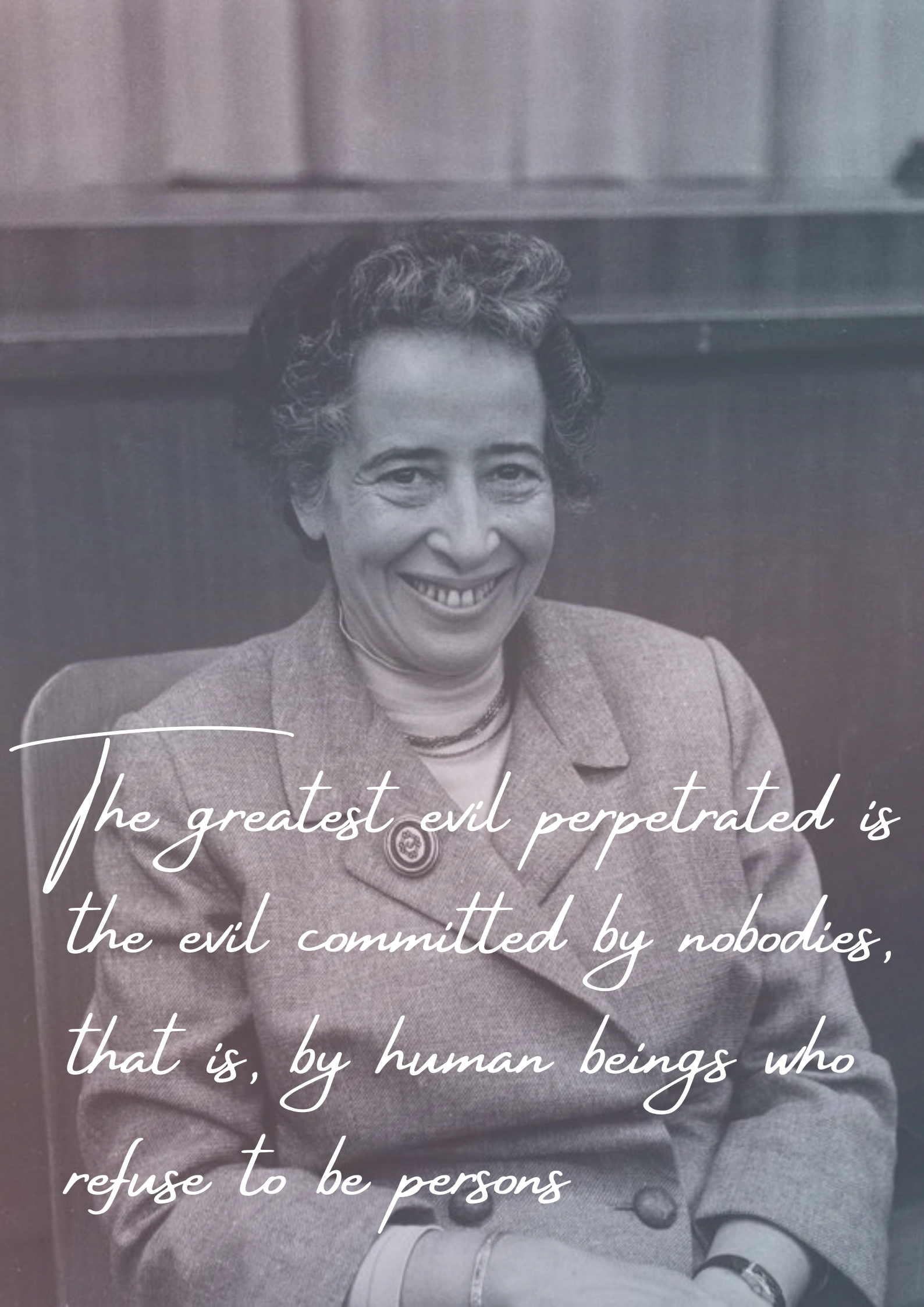
The Aesthetics of Ugliness and Care as Responsibility: The Encounter Between Hannah Arendt and Francisco Goya
Elmana Cerić

11:40 – 11:55

Discussion

11:55 – 12:15

Coffee Break



*The greatest evil perpetrated is
the evil committed by nobodies,
that is, by human beings who
refuse to be persons*

DAY 2 [FRIDAY] OCTOBER 17, 2025

12:15 – 13:30

Panel IV: The Banality of Evil and Political Courage: Challenges of Ethical Action

Moderator: Abdel Alibegović

12:15 – 12:30

Hannah Arendt's Contribution to the Theory of Anti-Fascism: Anti-Fascism as Thoughtful Action
Selma Alispahić

12:30 – 12:45

Why Must We Forgive? From Norm to Decision
Bernard Harbaš

12:45 – 13:00

Conditio inhumana: The Evil of Self-Determination and the State of Fear
Asim Mujkić

13:00 – 13:15

The Banality of Evil and its Contemporary Reception and Reconceptualization. Is Evil Still 'Banal'?
Damir Banović

13:15 – 13:30

Discussion

13:30 – 14:00

Concluding Remarks

Hannah Arendt: Between Auschwitz and Hiroshima
Božidar Gajo Sekulić

14:00

Lunch



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