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All sessions will be held at the Sheraton Society Hill Hotel at 1 Dock St., Philadelphia, PA 19106. A map of the hotel's location and other information can be found at www.sheraton.com/societyhill.

Hotel Accommodations

Lodging for conference participants has been arranged at the downtown Sheraton Society Hill Hotel, One Dock Street (off 2nd & Walnut Streets), Philadelphia PA 19106. Phone: 1-800-325-3535. Fax (215) 238-6652. Ask for the SPEP room block. Conference rate: \$149 (single & double); Additional Persons \$20. Hotel includes fitness center, saunas, indoor pool. The hotel is located adjacent to the waterfront and set within America's most famous square mile, blocks from the liberty bell, independence hall, world class restaurants, night clubs, theaters, and shopping.

NOTE: ROOM RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY 12:00 a.m. ON 9/11/2006.
Mention SPEP conference rate.

Travel Information

Directions for all modes of transportation are also posted on the SPEP web site: www.spep.org.

Air

Philadelphia International airport is a US Airways hub, but it is also served by most airlines. One-way cab fare from the airport to the hotel is \$25 flat rate. The Center City Shuttle is located on the baggage claim level (look for sign). They typically stop at the Sheraton Society Hill between the hours of 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. on the half hour. USA LIMOUSINE is \$8.00 per person. Call 1-800-872-6070 for pickup arrangements. The SEPTA (regional rail) Airport Line connects the airport with Center City (25 minute trip. Exit at Market Street East. Walk 8 blocks east and 2 blocks south to the hotel at 2nd and Walnut or take a cab).

Train and Bus

Amtrak provides extensive service to Philadelphia's 30th Street Station (30th and Market Streets). For schedules and fares, contact Amtrak at 800-USA-RAIL or www.amtrak.com. Greyhound provides transcontinental bus service through Philadelphia at its terminal at 10th and Filbert Streets. Walk 8 blocks east and 3 blocks south to the hotel at 2nd and Walnut or take a cab. From the train station, you can take the Market-Frankford Subway-Elevated Eastbound to the Second Street stop and walk two blocks south or take a cab.

Car

From Philadelphia International Airport: Take Interstate 95 North to Exit 20 (Columbus Boulevard). Turn left at the traffic light onto Columbus. Turn left turn at the sixth light, for Dock Street. Turn right at the stop sign. The hotel is on the right-hand side.

From East: Take Ben Franklin Bridge from Camden, stay in the right lane. Take the first right off of bridge to Sixth Street then follow Sixth Street to Market Street and turn left. Follow Market to Second Street and turn right. Follow Second Street to Dock Street and the hotel is on the left.

From North: Take Interstate 95 South to Exit 20 (Columbus Boulevard). At the bottom of the ramp, turn left onto Columbus Boulevard. Follow for 3 traffic lights to Dock Street and turn left. Continue to a dead end and turn right. The hotel will be on the right.
From West: Take Pennsylvania Turnpike to 76 East (Exit 326 - Valley Forge). Follow 76 East to 676 East (Exit 344 - Central Philadelphia). Continue on 676 East to Interstate 95 South. Take I-95 South to Penn's Landing (Exit 20). At the bottom of the ramp, turn left onto Columbus Boulevard. Follow to Dock Street and turn left. Continue to the dead end and turn right. The hotel is on the right-hand side.

Childcare Service

Contact Elizabeth Irvine (elizabeth.a.irvine@villanova.edu) by September 1, 2006 for information about childcare service during the conference or call CCIS (Child Care Information Services of Philadelphia) at 215-271-0570.

Audiovisual Equipment

To make arrangements for audiovisual equipment, contact Elizabeth Irvine (elizabeth.a.irvine@villanova.edu) by September 1, 2006.

Abstracts of Papers

Abstracts provided by authors will be available at registration. Speakers should email electronic versions of abstracts to James Risser, jrisser@seattleu.edu, by September 1, 2006.

Publishers' Book Exhibit

A publishers' book exhibit will be held in the Hamilton Room at the Sheraton Society Hill hotel beginning at Noon of Thursday. It will run from 8:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. on Friday and from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday. The display is organized in cooperation with publishers specializing in scholarship influenced by continental philosophy and literary, social, and political theory. Publishers offer discounts on books ordered at the exhibit.

Web Site

The complete program, with updates and corrections, is available on the SPEP web site: <http://www.spep.org>.

Publication Notice

SPEP retains the right of first review for papers presented at the annual meeting. Each presenter should bring two copies of her or his paper to turn in to the registration table at the time of registration. Decisions about publication will be based on this version. If the paper is selected for publication, there will be an opportunity for minor revisions. Decisions regarding publication will be communicated by mid-January 2007.

Program Notes

The Nietzsche Society, the Ancient Philosophy Society, the North American Society For Philosophical Hermeneutics, the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, the Society for Continental Philosophy and Theology, the Society for the Philosophic Study of Genocide and the Holocaust, the Society for the Study of Difference, the Society for Social and Political Philosophy: Historical, Continental, and Feminist Perspectives, the Society for Continental Philosophy in a Jewish Context, the Society for Phenomenology and the Human Sciences, and the International Association for Environmental Philosophy are meeting in conjunction with SPEP.

Executive Committee Elections

Cynthia Willett's term of office as member-at-large expires this year. The Executive Committee nominates both Amy Allen of Dartmouth College and Margaret McLaren of Rollins College for a three-year term as a **member-at-large**.

Amy Allen is Associate Professor of Philosophy and Women's and Gender Studies at Dartmouth College. She is the author of *The Power of Feminist Theory: Domination, Resistance, Solidarity* (Westview, 1999) and *The Politics of Our Selves: Power, Autonomy, and Gender in Contemporary Critical Theory* (Columbia University Press, forthcoming). She has also written essays on Foucault, Butler, Arendt, and Habermas that have been published in journals such as *Constellations*, *Philosophy and Social Criticism*, *Continental Philosophy Review*, and *Hypatia*. She served on the Committee on the Status of Women for SPEP (2001-2004).

Margaret A. McLaren holds the George D. and Harriet W. Cornell Chair of Philosophy at Rollins College where she is Professor of Philosophy and Chair of Women's Studies. She is the author of *Feminism, Foucault, and Embodied Subjectivity* (State University of New York Press, 2002). Her articles on gender issues, Foucault, Sartre, feminism, virtue ethics and feminist ethics have appeared in several anthologies and in journals such as *Social Theory and Practice*, *Philosophy Today* and *Hypatia*. She served on SPEP's Committee on the Status of Women (2003-2005). Her areas of research are contemporary French philosophy, feminist theory, ethics and social and political philosophy.

Registration Fee and Membership Dues

Faculty membership dues: \$60

Faculty conference registration fees: \$25

Student membership dues: \$20

Student members will have no additional fee for conference registration.

Annual SPEP Lecture and Reception at the Eastern APA Meeting

The sixth annual SPEP lecture at the Eastern Division APA meeting will be delivered this year by Charles Scott (Vanderbilt University): "Normalization and Democratic Sensibility." There will be a response by Ladelle McWhorter (University of Richmond) and the session will be moderated by Gail Weiss (The George Washington University). The Eastern APA meeting will be held December 27-30, 2006 in Washington, D.C. at the Marriott Wardman Hotel. Immediately following the lecture, SPEP will host a reception for all members and friends of continental philosophy. The location of the lecture and reception will be announced on the SPEP web site later this summer and also at the Philadelphia meeting.

Call for Papers

The forty-sixth annual meeting will be hosted by DePaul University at the Westin River North in Chicago, Illinois, November 8-10, 2007. Instructions for submitting papers and proposals will be sent to members of SPEP in the fall and will also be available on the SPEP web page at <http://www.spep.org>. The deadline for submissions will be Friday, February 2, 2007.

Notes of Appreciation

On behalf of the Society, the Executive Committee would like to express its thanks to Walter Brogan and Elizabeth Irvine for local arrangements, to Sarah Vitale, book exhibit organizer, the Offices of the Vice President for Academic Affairs and the Dean of Arts and Sciences, Villanova University, and to the faculty, staff, and student volunteers from the Philosophy Department at Villanova University.

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**FORTY-FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING
HOSTED BY VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY**

**SHERATON SOCIETY HILL HOTEL
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA**

October 12-14, 2006

Publishers Book Exhibit

Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Saturday: 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Hamilton Room

Registration

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

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THURSDAY AFTERNOON 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. (T.I)

- Session 1**
Reynolds *The Promise of Memory: History and Politics in Marx, Benjamin, and Derrida* (SUNY Press)
Moderator: Kym Maclaren, Northern Arizona University
Speaker: Andrew Cutrofello, Loyola University, Chicago
Speaker: Jonathan Maskit, Dennison University
Respondent: Matthias Fritsch, Concordia University
- Session 2**
E2 *Foucault on Freedom* (Cambridge University Press)
Moderator: Anne Pomeroy, Richard Stockton College of N.J.
Speaker: Laura Hengehold, Case Western University
Speaker: Jana Sawicki, Williams College
Respondent: Johanna Oksala, Helsinki University
- Session 3**
Flower *The Inhuman Condition: Looking for Difference after Levinas and Heidegger* (Kluwer Academic Publishers)
Moderator: Syliva Benso, Sienna College
Speaker: Wayne Froman, George Mason University
Speaker: Jill Robbins, Emory University
Respondent: Rudolph Visker, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven
- Session 4**
Cook *Visible Identities: Race, Gender, and the Self* (Oxford University Press)
Moderator: Kathleen Wright, Haverford College
Speaker: Lucius T. Outlaw, Jr., Vanderbilt University
Speaker: Gail D. Weiss, The George Washington University
Respondent: Linda Alcoff, Syracuse University
- Session 5**
A1 **The Contemporary Import of Hegel's Aesthetics**
Moderator: Tom Brockelman, LeMoyné College
"On the Lyrical Presentation of History: Hegel and the Modern Poem,"
Ammon Allred, Villanova University
"The Public Design of the Shape of Spirit: Hegel and Contemporary
Architecture," J. C. Berendzen, Loyola University, New Orleans
"Radical Passivity, Resistance, and Art: Agamben's Unworking Of
Hegel's Aesthetics," Theodore George, Texas A&M University
- Session 6**
A2 **From Beginning to End's': New Work on Sovereignty, Promising,
and the Future of Humanity**
Moderator: James J. Winchester, Georgia College and State University
"Forgetting the Subject," Christa Davis Acampora, City University of
New York, Hunter College
"Overcoming the Sovereign Individual: Toward an Ethics of Eternal
Return," Keith Ansell Pearson, University of Warwick
"The Survivors of Morality," Daniel Conway, Penn State University
"The Sovereign Individual," Lawrence Hatab, Old Dominion University
"Is God Dead in Nietzsche's *Genealogy*?" Paul S. Loeb, University of
Puget Sound
"A Promise Made is a Debt Unpaid," Mark Migotti, University of
Calgary

THURSDAY AFTERNOON 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. (T.I) Continued

Session 7 **Life, Judgment, and Temporality**
E1 Moderator: Theodore Kisiel, Northern Illinois University
 “The Desire of Dasein: Heidegger’s Interpretation of Aristotle’s Oresix
 and the Fundamental Biology of Life,” Josh Hayes, Santa Clara
 University
 “Scientific Versus Philosophical Judgements: A Key Distinction in
 Heidegger’s Phenomenological Research,” Chad Engelland, John Carroll
 University
 “Envisioning Revisions of Heidegger’s Temporal Theory: Facticity and
 Been-ness,” Peter Heron, University of Ottawa

Session 8 **New Efforts at Containment**
Claypoole Moderator: Shannon Mussett, Utah Valley State College
 “Disciplining the Public: Enemy Combatants, Same-Sex Marriage, and a
 New Kind of U.S. Containment,” Carmen R. Lugo-Lugo and Mary K.
 Bloodsworth-Lugo, Washington State University
 “Containing Psychological Disorder in Memoir,” Abigail Gosselin,
 Washington State University
 “Protecting Civilization from the Hostiles: Ward Churchill, Cultural
 Wars (on Terror), and the Silencing of Dissent,” C. Richard King,
 Washington State University

Session 9 **Cavaillès and the Legacy of Phenomenology**
Bromley Moderator: Burt Hopkins, Seattle University
 “Transforming Necessity: From Transcendental Logic and Back Again,”
 Kem D. Crimmins, Fordham University
 “Derrida’s Defense of Husserl and Radicalization of Cavaillès,”
 Adam Konopka, Fordham University
 “Ontology and Mathematics from Cavaillès to Badiou,”
 Jared Woodard, Fordham University

THURSDAY AFTERNOON 3:45 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. (T.II)

Session 1 ***Heidegger and Aristotle: The Twofoldness of Being*** (SUNY Press)
Cook Moderator: François Raffoul, Louisiana State University
 Speaker: Thomas Sheehan, Stanford University
 Speaker: Daniel Dahlstrom, Boston University
 Respondent: Walter Brogan, Villanova University

Session 2 ***The Philosophy of Claude Lefort*** (Northwestern University Press)
E1 Moderator: Nathan Ross, DePaul University
 Speaker: Patrick Burke, Gonzaga University
 Speaker: Tom Flynn, Emory University
 Respondent: Bernard Flynn, Empire State College

Session 3 ***Feminism and the Abyss of Freedom*** (University of Chicago Press)
E2 Moderator: Mary Rawlinson, Stony Brook University
 Speaker: Noëlle McAfee, University of Massachusetts, Lowell
 Speaker: Sharon Meagher, University of Scranton
 Respondent: Linda M. G. Zerilli, Northwestern University

THURSDAY AFTERNOON 3:45 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. (T.II) Continued

**Session 4
A1**

Edmund Husserl and Eugen Fink (Yale University Press)
Moderator: Mary Jeanne Larrabee, DePaul University
Speaker: Nicholas de Warren, Wellesley College
Speaker: Tom Nenon, University of Memphis
Respondent: Ronald Bruzina, University of Kentucky

**Session 5
A2**

The Colonization Of Psychic Space: A Psychoanalytic Social Theory Of Oppression (University of Minnesota Press)
Moderator: Shannon Lundeen, Penn State University
Speaker: Robert Bernasconi, University of Memphis
Speaker: Hugh Silverman, Stony Brook University
Respondent: Kelly Oliver, Vanderbilt University

**Session 6
Flower**

Situating Agamben in Continental Philosophy: Encounters with Arendt, Foucault, and Deleuze
Moderator: David Pettigrew, Southern Connecticut State University
“The ‘Banality of Evil’ as the Pretext for the Bio-Political: Agamben’s Departure from Arendt,” Lissa Skitolsky, Luther College
“Contesting Sovereignty: Between Foucault’s Governmentality and Agamben’s Biopolitics,” Beth Dunn, University of Memphis
“Zones of Indiscernibility: The Life of a Concept from Deleuze to Agamben,” Erinn C. Gilson, University of Memphis

**Session 7
Reynolds**

Paul Ricoeur: Religion at the Limits of Philosophy
Moderator: Mark Gedney, Gordon College
“Rethinking Moral Religion: Ricoeur on Kant’s ‘Philosophical Hermeneutics of Religion,’” Eddis Miller, University of Pennsylvania
“At the Brink of Conscience: Rethinking the Relationship between Phenomenology and Hermeneutics in Ricoeur’s Philosophy of Religion,” Adam Graves, University of Pennsylvania
“The Dialectic of Reciprocity and Excess in Ricoeur’s Late Philosophy of Religion,” Mark I. Wallace, Swarthmore College

**Session 8
Bromley**

The Importance of German Dialectical Thought for Contemporary Socioeconomic Problems
Moderator: Patricia Locke, St. John’s University
“Recognition, Relationship, and Rights: Fichte and Hegel on the Problem of Limits,” Jane Dryden, Fordham University
“The Genesis and Demands of the Politics of Recognition: Towards a Marxist Hegelianism and a Hegelian Marxism,” David Borman, Fordham University
“The Ramifications of Economic Participation: A Dialectical Appraisal,” David Zoller, Fordham University

THURSDAY AFTERNOON 3:45 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. (T.II) Continued

**Session 9
Claypoole**

Revoltes Loquies: The Philosophical Provocations of Jacques Ranciere

Moderator: Fouad Kalouche, Albright College

“On Ranciere’s ‘Distribution of the Sensible’,” William Haver, Binghamton University

“Equality as a Foucaultian Value: The Relevance of Ranciere,” Todd May, Clemson University

“Politics as Subjectification: Rethinking the Political in the Word of Ranciere and Badiou,” Jason Read, University of Southern Maine

**Thursday 8:00 p.m.
PLENARY SESSION
Ballroom**

Welcome: John Carvalho, Villanova University

Moderator: James Risser, Seattle University

“Towards a New Concept of Existence”

Alain Badiou

École Normale Supérieure, Paris

**Thursday 10 p.m.
SPEP RECEPTION
Outside of the Ballroom**

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Cash bar & light refreshments

FRIDAY MORNING 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (F.I)

**Session 1
A1**

Scholar’s Session: John McCumber

Moderator: Steve Watson, Notre Dame University

Speaker: John Protevi, Louisiana State University

Speaker: Robert Williams, University of Illinois, Chicago

Respondent: John McCumber

**Session 2
E2**

Ricoeur Memorial Session

Moderator: Don Ihde, Stony Brook University

Speaker: David Pellauer, DePaul University

Speaker: David Rasmussen, Boston College

Speaker: Patrick Bourgeois, Loyola University New Orleans

Speaker: Richard Kearney, Boston College

FRIDAY MORNING 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (F.I) Continued

**Session 3
E1**

Race, Class, and Katrina

Moderator: Shannon Sullivan, Penn State University

Speaker: Darrell Moore, DePaul University

Speaker: Ronald Sundstrom, University of San Francisco

Speaker: Mariana Ortega, John Carroll University

**Session 4
Cook**

A Symposium on Comedy and Philosophy

Moderator: Rick Lee, DePaul University

Speaker: Bernard Freydberg, Slippery Rock University

Speaker: John Sallis, Boston College

Speaker: Dennis Schmidt, Penn State University

**Session 5
Bromley**

Adorno's Critical Rescue

Moderator: Kathleen Wright, Haverford College

“Adorno's Rehabilitation of *Mimēsis* as the Term of Mediation,” Dilek Huseyinazadegan, DePaul University

“Beyond Dialectics: Adorno's Critique of the Hegelian Dialectic,” Sina Kramer, DePaul University

“The Cognitive Power of Suffering in Adorno's *Negative Dialectics*,” Jana McAuliffe, DePaul University

“The Redemption of Experience as Spontaneity,” Joseph Weiss, DePaul University

**Session 6
A2**

Gadamer and Transcendence: Objects, the Good, God

Moderator: Richard Palmer, MacMurrury College

“The Role of Language in Object Transcendence: A Gadamerian Response to Dreyfus and McDowell,” David Vessey, University of Chicago

“Hermeneutics's Good,” Lauren S. Barthold, Gordon College

“The Ethics of Philosophical Hermeneutics and the Challenge of Religious Transcendence,” Jens Zimmerman, Trinity Western University

**Session 7
Flower**

Political Phenomenality, Marxism, and the Praxis of Phenomenology

Moderator: Dana Belu, California State University Dominguez Hills

“On the Falseness of ‘False Consciousness’: Reification and Schizophrenic Apperception,” Bryan A. Smyth, McGill University

“A Phenomenology of Fetishism: Alienated Production and the Appearance of ‘Race,’” Anna Carastathis, McGill University

“The Phenomenologist as Producer: Revolutionary Form in Marx and Benjamin,” William Clare Roberts, Washington & Jefferson College

**Session 8
Reynolds**

Sensible Ideas in Merleau-Ponty

Moderator: Talia Welsh, University of Tennessee, Chattanooga

“Beneath Platonism: Temporality and the Musical Idea According to Merleau-Ponty,” Jessica Wiskus, Duquesne University

“The Role of Nature in Merleau-Ponty's Ontological Rehabilitation of the Sensible,” Brett Buchanan, Laurentian University

“Contact/Improv: A Synaesthetic Rejoinder to Derrida's Reading of Merleau-Ponty,” April Flakne, New College of Florida

FRIDAY MORNING 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (F.I) Continued

**Session 9
Claypoole**

Hannah Arendt: Thinking Through the Burden(s) of Our (Own) Time

Moderator: Robert Dostal, Bryn Mawr College

“Stateless Persons and Minorities: Disciplined Bodies and Regulated Populations,” Dianna Taylor, John Carroll University

“Modern Rightlessness: Relating Arendt’s *The Origins of Totalitarianism* to the Question of Human Rights,” Serena Parekh, University of Connecticut

“Forgiving Difference: Resentment, Neo-Humanism and Fundamental Gratitude in Arendt’s *The Origins of Totalitarianism*,” Stephen Schulman, Ball State University

Friday 12:15 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

**THE ARON GURWITSCH MEMORIAL LECTURE
A1/A2**

Sponsored by the Center for Advanced Research in Phenomenology

Moderator: William McKenna, Miami University of Ohio

“Phenomenology and the Categories of Experience”

László Tengelyi

Bergische Universität Wuppertal

FRIDAY AFTERNOON 12:00 p.m.– 2:00 p.m.

E1/E2

Special Session Co-Sponsored by SPEP and the Committee on the Status of Women: “Australian Feminist Philosophy”

Chair: Alan D. Schrift, Grinnell College

Speaker: Rosalyn Diprose, University of New South Wales

Speaker: Robyn Ferrell, Melbourne University

FRIDAY AFTERNOON 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. (F.II)

**Session 1
Cook**

Kristeva’s Revolutions

Moderator: Margret Grebowicz, Goucher College

“Kristeva’s Uncanny Revolution: Imagining the Meaning of Politics,” Jeff Edmonds, Vanderbilt University

“Julia Kristeva and the ‘We’ of Revolt,” Peter Gratton, Chicago State University

FRIDAY AFTERNOON 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. (F.II) Continued

- Session 2**
Reynolds **Foucault and Discursivity**
Moderator: Edward McGushin, St. Anselm College
“Foucault, Kant, and the Principle of Discursive Contestation,”
Marc Djaballah, University of Memphis
“Foucault’s ‘Fragments of an Autobiography,’” Chloé Taylor, University
of Toronto
- Session 3**
E1 **Phenomenology, Sexuality, Difference**
Moderator: Karen Gover, Bennington College
“Transsexuality, Phenomenology, and Discourse,” Lanei M. Rodemeyer,
Duquesne University
“Aristotelian *dunamis* and Sexual Difference: An Analysis of *adunamia*
and *dunamis meta logou* in *Metaphysics* Theta,” Emanuela Bianchi,
University of California, Berkeley
- Session 4**
Flower **Bodies and Immanence**
Moderator: James Tudio, California State University at Stanislaus
“A Rumor of Zombies: Deleuze and Guattari on Death,” Brent Atkins,
Roanoke College
“The Topology of Deleuze’s *Spatium*,” Louise Burchill, Université
d’Evry Val d’Essonne
- Session 5**
Claypoole **Heidegger’s Encounter with German Idealism**
Moderator: Richard Capobianco, Stonehill College
“Heidegger’s Encounter with Schelling: Freedom in the *Beiträge*,” Ryan
S. Hellmers, Metropolitan State College of Denver
“Disclosing and Pure Imagining: Heidegger’s Ontological Reading of
Kant,” Emilia Angelova, Trent University
- Session 6**
Bromley **Naturalizing Nietzsche and Heidegger**
Moderator: Martha Woodruff, Middlebury College
“Lost in Translation: On the Question of Nietzsche’s Naturalism,” Joseph
Swenson, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
“Against Socialist Accounts of Dasein,” David Snyder, Rice University
- Session 7**
E2 **Sartre on Responsibility and Agency**
Moderator: Geraldine Finn, Carleton University
“Shame, Laughter, and Play,” Shlomo Cohen, The Hebrew University
“Humanity’s Verifying Mission, Willful Ignorance, and Sartre’s City of
Ends,” Paul Gyllenhammer, St. John’s University
- Session 8**
A1 **Levinas, Derrida and the Frankfurt School**
Moderator: Christopher Fox, Newman College
“Mourning, the Messianic, and the Specter: Derrida’s Appropriation of
Benjamin in *Specters of Marx*,” Jill Peterson Adams, Syracuse University
“Reconsidering Adorno and Levinas’ Political Abstinence,” Nick Smith,
University of New Hampshire

FRIDAY AFTERNOON 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. (F.II) Continued

- Session 9** **Derrida Beyond the Ego**
A2 Moderator: Eric Nelson, University of Massachusetts, Lowell
 “The Community of Witnesses: Derrida Inheriting Husserl and
 Blanchot,” Marie-Eve Morin, University of Winnipeg
 “Anti-Psychologism and the Path Beyond Reductive Egology in
 Husserl,” John K. O’Conner, Boston College

FRIDAY AFTERNOON 4:15 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. (F.III)

- Session 1** **Drive: A Psychoanalytical or Metaphysical Concept?**
Bromley Moderator: Allen Scult, Drake University
 Speaker: Rudolf Bernet, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven
 Respondent: Edward Pluth, California State University, Chico
- Session 2** **Being Given: Marion, Derrida and the New Phenomenology**
Cook Moderator: B. Keith Putt, Samford University
 Speaker: John D. Caputo, Syracuse University
 Respondent: Merold Westphal, Fordham University
- Session 3** **Deleuze’s ‘Passion for the Real’: *Anti-Oedipus* and the Lacanian**
E1 **Tradition**
 Moderator: Dan Seltzer, Duquesne University
 Speaker: Daniel W. Smith, Purdue University
 Respondent: Dorothea E. Olkowski, University of Colorado
- Session 4** **Paul Ricoeur and the Nazis**
Flower Moderator: Scott Campbell, Nazareth College
 Speaker: David Kaplan, University of North Texas
 Respondent: Fahang Erfani, American University
- Session 5** **A Weak Cousin No Longer: Gadamer’s Rhetorical Imaginary as the**
Claypoole **Inversion of Philosophy**
 Moderator: Jamey Findling, Newman College
 Speaker: John Arthos, Denison University
 Respondent: Daniel Tate, Saint Bonaventure University, NY
- Session 6** **From Identity to Alterity Politics**
Reynolds Moderator: Lesley MacAvoy, Eastern Tennessee University
 Speaker: Diane Perpich, Vanderbilt University
 Respondent: Shannon Winnubst, Southwestern University
- Session 7** **Systematically Distorted Subjectivity? Habermas and the Critique of**
A1 **Power**
 Moderator: Michael Sullivan, Emory University
 Speaker: Amy Allen, Dartmouth College
 Respondent: James Swindal, Duquesne University

FRIDAY AFTERNOON 4:15 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. (F.III) Continued

**Session 8
A2**

Beyond the Madonna: Reconsidering Irigaray's Aesthetics

Moderator: Ellen Feder, American University

Speaker: Elaine P. Miller

Respondent: Tina Chanter, DePaul University

**Session 9
Frampton**

Why Bother? On the Use and Abuse of Comparing Kant and Husserl

Moderator: Kristi Sweet, Grand Valley State University

Speaker: Julia Jansen

Respondent: Janet Donohoe, State University of West Georgia.

**Session 10
E2**

The Poor Phenomenon: Marion and the Problem of Forgiveness

Moderator: Fred Evans, Duquesne University

Speaker: Anthony Steinbock

Respondent: Felix O. Murchadha, National University of Ireland, Galway

Friday 5:45 p.m.
SPEP BUSINESS MEETING
Ballroom
Agenda available at Registration

Friday 7:00 p.m.
RECEPTION
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SATURDAY MORNING 9:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. (S.I)

**Session 1
Cook**

Arendt at 100

Moderator: Anne O'Byrne

Speaker: Jay Bernstein, New School of Social Research

Speaker: Neve Gordon, Ben-Gurion University, Israel

Speaker: Fred Dallmayr, University of Notre Dame

**Session 2
E2**

Thinking Subjectivity – Phenomenology in the Nordic Countries

Moderator: John Drummond, Fordham University

Speaker: Sara Heinamaa, University of Helsinki, Finland

Speaker: Hans Ruin, Södertörn University College, Stockholm, Sweden

Speaker: Dan Zahavi, University of Copenhagen, Denmark

SATURDAY MORNING 9:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. (S.I) Continued

Session 3

A1

Psychoanalysis in Continental Philosophy

Moderator: Robin James, University of North Carolina, Charlotte
“From Nature With Love: The Problem of Subjectivity in Adorno and Freudian Analysis,” Sara Beardsworth, Southern Illinois University
“Between Death and Machinic Becomings: Marcel Proust and the Genesis of Thought,” Valentine Moulard, University of Memphis
“Intimating Political Phenomenology, or ‘What is Politics?’ for Kristeva,” Stacy K. Keltner, Kennesaw State University

Session 4

A2

Joy and Celebration in Recent French Philosophy (Nancy, Lacoue-Labarthe, and Irigaray)

Moderator: Pleshette DeArmitt, University of Memphis
“On the Lightness of Thinking: Nancy and Hyperion’s Joy,” Jason M. Wirth, Seattle University
“Mimetic Joy: A Contribution to Lacoue-Labarthe’s Theory of Mimēsis,” Elizabeth Sikes, Seattle University
“Celebrating the Tradition: Feminine *Jouissance* and the New Poetics of Sexual Difference in Irigaray and Kathy Acker,” Jena Jolissaint, Oglethorpe University

Session 5

Reynolds

Deleuze, Badiou, and Ranciere on Literature and the Work of Art

Moderator: Gary Aylesworth, Eastern Illinois University
“To Be a Man Without References: The End of Tragedy and the Task of the Comic,” J. Eric Butler, Villanova University
“Truth and Master: Badiou Reads Mallamaré,” Alexi Kukuljevic, Villanova University
“‘I dream of war...of utterly unforeseeable logic’: Rancière Reads Rimbaud,” Sid Littlefield, Gordon College

Session 6

Flower

Ἀπολογία for Fundamental Ontology: Truth, Deliberation, and Intersubjectivity

Moderator: Robert Scharff, University of New Hampshire
“Heidegger and Truth as Beholdenness,” Will Smith, Rice University
“Heidegger on Self-Choice: The Significance of Truth in Practical Deliberation,” Matt Burch, Rice University
“Encountering Others: Saying Now and the Temporal Co-Constitution of World,” Irene McMullin, Rice University

Session 7

E1

Between Race and Queer Theory

Moderator: Elizabeth Butterfield, Southern Georgia University
“Foucault’s Analysis of Racism: Biopower, Abnormality, and Eugenics,” Ladelle McWhorter, University of Richmond
“Race and the Undoing of Performativity,” Ann Murphy, University of New South Wales
“The Uses and Abuses of the Race/Sexuality Analogy,” Leigh Johnson, Penn State University

SATURDAY MORNING 9:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. (S.I) Continued

**Session 8
Claypoole**

Deleuze and Modern Rationalism

Moderator: John Carvalho, Villanova University

“Going to the Movies with Leibniz and Deleuze: Cinema and the Baroque,” Dennis E. Skocz, Independent Scholar

“Expression, Immanence, and Constructivism: ‘Spinozism’ and Gilles Deleuze,” Thomas Nail, University of Oregon

“Through a Lens Singly: Deleuze, Spinoza, and the Univocal Practice of Philosophy,” Adrian Switzer, University of Portland

**Session 9
Bromley**

Social Disorders

Moderator: Hasana Sharp, McGill University

“Strangers and Natives: Gadamer and Colonial Discourse,” Cynthia D. Coe, Central Washington University

“How are White People Produced?” David S. Owen, University of Louisville

“The Pathology of Reification as a Second-Order Social Disorder and the Tasks of Critical Social Theory,” Christopher F. Zurn, University of Kentucky

**Saturday 12:00 Noon
ANDRÉ SCHUWER LECTURE
A1/A2**

Sponsored by the Simon Silverman Phenomenology Center
Duquesne University

Moderator: Daniel Martino, Director of the Simon Silverman
Phenomenology Center

**“On Giorgio Agamben's Naked Life: The State of
Exception and the Law of the Sovereign”**

Walter Brogan
Villanova University

SATURDAY AFTERNOON 1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. (S.II)

**Session 1
A2**

Scholar's Session: David Wood

Moderator: Galen Johnson, University of Rhode Island
Speaker: Edward Casey, Stony Brook University
Speaker: Ted Toadvine, University of Oregon
Respondent: David Wood, Vanderbilt University

**Session 2
Reynolds**

Feminism and Corporeality: Sensings, Letters, Sexes

Moderator: Nancy Holland, Hamline University
“Husserl and the Fluidity of Bodies: A Feminist Reading of *Ideas II*,”
Alia Al-Saji, McGill University
“The Epistolary Body in the Elisabeth-Descartes Correspondence:
Elisabethan *Cogito Interruptus* as a Feminist Rewrite of Cartesian *Ego
Cogito*,” Kyoo Lee, LaGrange College
“A Puppetry of Sexes: Feminism and the Generational Body,” Mary Beth
Mader, University of Memphis

**Session 3
E1**

Philosophical Animals: Heidegger, Adorno and Unruly Beasts

Moderator: Brian Schroeder, Rochester Institute of Technology
“Heidegger's Animals,” Stuart Elden, [University of Durham](#), UK
“Animal is to Kantianism as Jew is to Fascism: Adorno's Bestiary,”
Eduardo Mendieta, Stony Brook University
“Unruly Creatures, ‘The Terrorist, the Hijab, and Muslim Culture’,”
Falguni A. Sheth, Hampshire College

**Session 4
Cook**

**Diversity Committee Roundtable
Strategic Essentialism and Women of Color**

Chair: Donna-Dale Marcano, Trinity University
“Putative War, Putative Peace: Strategic Essentialism and the
Epistemology of Global Citizenship,” Namita Goswami, PhD, DePaul
University
“The Question of Authenticity,” Emily Lee, PhD, California State
University
“Black Identity, Feminist Politics,” Anika Mann, PhD, Morgan State
University

**Session 5
A1**

Panel Discussion: What's New in New Critical Theory?

Moderator: Jeff Paris
Speaker: Bill Martin, DePaul University
Speaker: Martin Beck Matustik, Purdue University
Speaker: Lewis Gordon, Temple University
Speaker: Patricia Huntington, Loyola University, Chicago

**Session 6
E2**

Derrida's Sovereignty

Moderator: Richard A. Lynch, Wabash College
“Derrida's ‘Laïcité’,” Michael Naas, DePaul University
“The Master Himself: Or, Yet Another Round on Rogues....,” Kas
Saghafi, University of Memphis
“The Drive for Sovereign Mastery and Beyond,” Elizabeth Rottenberg,
DePaul University

SATURDAY AFTERNOON 1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. (S.II) Continued

**Session 7
Flower**

Immanence and Truth

Moderator: Doug Donkel, University of Portland

“Anxiety, Immanence, and Incarnation: Henry and Kierkegaard,” Jeffrey A. Hanson, Boston College

“Reduction or Subtraction: Marion, Badiou & the Recuperation of Truth,” Adam S. Miller, Collin County Community College

“The Vexations of Religious Ethics: With Kierkegaard Beyond Fundamentalism and Liberalism,” Annika Thiem, University of California, Berkeley

**Session 8
Claypoole**

Conceptual Content and Ideality in Husserl

Moderator: Steven Crowell, Rice University

“Construction and Constitution, or: What is the Content of Experience? Husserl versus the Neo-Kantians,” Sebastian Luft, Marquette University

“How Does Husserl Make Sense? On Phenomenology and Conceptual Content,” Michael Shim, John Carroll University

“Ideal Meaning and Narrative. How Ricoeur Solves Husserl's Puzzle,” Pol Vandavelde, Marquette University

**Session 9
Bromley**

Beauvoir on Ethics and the Other: A Reappraisal

Moderator: Jo-Ann Pilardi, Towson University

“Simone de Beauvoir on Pluralism and Normative Justification: The Space in between Transcendent Objectivity and Relativism,”

Matthew C. Eshleman, University of Toledo

“Ethics of Ambiguity,” Douglas Lewis, University of Minnesota

“Solipsism and the Relational Self in Beauvoir's Wartime Philosophy,” Margaret Simons, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville

**Saturday 5:00 p.m.
PLENARY SESSION
Ballroom**

Moderator: Robert Gooding-Williams, University of Chicago

**“Sovereign Hesitations:
Liberalism in Derrida's *Rogues*”**

Wendy Brown
Department of Political Science
University of California, Berkeley

Minutes of the 2005 Business Meeting

Kelly Oliver called the business meeting to order at 5:57 p.m. on Friday, October 20, 2005.

1. The minutes of the 2004 meeting at the Boston Park Plaza were submitted and accepted without correction.
2. David Crownfield was appointed parliamentarian.
3. Kelly Oliver expressed gratitude to Shannon Musset, Pierre Lamarche, the Philosophy Department, and all the student assistants from the Utah Valley State College for their hard work as local hosts.
4. John Rose presented the following statistical information for the 2005 meeting: The Executive Committee received 309 papers for consideration; of these, 108 were submitted by women. The Executive Committee accepted a total of 115 papers; of these, 32 were submitted by women. There are 263 participants on the program; of these, 91 are women. Approximately 450 people registered for the meeting.
5. John Rose presented the budget and treasury report. The opening balance as of September 1, 2004 was \$75,289. The Society received an income of \$44,048 for a total of \$119,337. The expenses through August 31, 2004 were \$36,898. Excluding the emergency reserve fund, the year-end balance was \$82,348.
6. Peg Birmingham recognized Lawrence Hass who spoke in memoriam of Martin Dillon. Peg Birmingham then recognized David Wood spoke in memoriam of Wolfe Mays.
7. Peg Birmingham recognized Walter Brogan on behalf of Villanova University, who gave a brief report about the arrangements for SPEP October 14-16, 2006. He announced that the meeting would be held at Sheraton Society Hill Hotel at 2nd and Pine. The room rate is \$149 for up to quadruple occupancy. There will be childcare arrangements available.
8. Peg Birmingham recognized Elizabeth Rottenberg on behalf of DePaul University and Northwestern University, who gave a brief report about the arrangements for SPEP November 7-10, 2007. She announced that it would be held at Westin River North in Chicago, facing Marina City. The room rate is \$169 for up to quadruple occupancy.
9. Peg Birmingham invited members to consider hosting the 2008 meeting and future meetings. She asked that those interested in hosting a meeting contact any member of the Executive Committee.
10. The term of Peg Birmingham expires with this meeting. On behalf of the Executive Committee and the Society, Jim Risser expressed appreciation to Peg Birmingham for her many contributions to SPEP as At-Large Member of the Executive Committee.
11. The term of Kelly Oliver expires with this meeting. On behalf of the Executive Committee and the Society, Jim Risser expressed appreciation to Kelly Oliver for her many contributions to SPEP as Co-Executive Director.
12. Jim Risser conducted the elections for the open positions on the Executive Committee. For the at-large member, the Executive Committee nominated Robert Gooding-Williams and Eduardo Mendieta. Robert Gooding-Williams was elected.
13. For the Co-Director position, the Executive Committee nominated Peg Birmingham. Peg Birmingham was elected to the position by acclamation.

14. Len Lawlor recognized Margaret McLaren who reported for the Committee on the Status of Women. The Committee co-sponsored a session with the Executive Committee on "Derrida and Feminism." Margaret McLaren nominated Diane Perpich to fill McLaren's expired term. Falguni Sheth was nominated from the floor and declined to run. Diane Perpich was elected to the position by acclamation.
15. Len Lawlor recognized John Lysaker who reported that the Advocacy Committee wanted to explore further ways to help graduate students at SPEP and to gather information on publishing at it pertains to SPEP. Noëlle McAfee was then nominated to replace Ladelle McWhorter and was elected to the position by acclamation.
16. Len Lawlor recognized Alejandro Vallega of the Diversity Committee. Olufemi Taiwo was nominated to replace Yoko Arisaka and was elected by acclamation.
17. Cindy Willett made several announcements on behalf of the Executive Committee: a) members are welcome to make suggestions for nominations to the Executive Committee; and b) SPEP will sponsor a talk at the Eastern division meeting of the APA Sunday December 28, 2005. Ed Casey will be speaking, Gary Shapiro will comment, Veronique Foti will moderate.
18. Cindy Willett invited new business and announcements from the membership: a) Betsy Benke announced that Ron Bruzina won the Edward Ballard Book Prize for *Edmund Husserl and Eugene Fink: Beginnings and Ends in Phenomenology, 1928-1938*. b) Anna-Teresa Tymieniecka announced the World Phenomenology Institute's meeting in Poland.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:42 p.m.

SOCIETIES MEETING IN CONJUNCTION WITH SPEP

THE NIETZSCHE SOCIETY Thursday 9:00am-12:00pm, Flower

Chair: George Leiner, St Vincent College

"Nietzsche and the Kyoto School," Sumio Takeda, Kinjo Gakuin University,
Nagoya, Japan and Brian Schroeder, Rochester Institute of Technology

"Realism without Rééalism: A Neglected Side of Nietzsche," Robin Small,
University of Auckland, New Zealand

"Nietzsche's Emergence on the French Philosophical Scene: An Institutional
Analysis," Alan Schrift, Grinnell College

2006 Nietzsche Society Program Committee

David B. Allison, SUNY Stony Brook; Debra Bergoffen, George Mason
University; Gary Shapiro, University of Richmond
Babette E. Babich, Executive Secretary

THE ANCIENT PHILOSOPHY SOCIETY (APS)

Cook

Thursday 9:00am-12:00pm

Moderator: Aryeh Kosman, Haverford College

“‘Only in the Court of Beauty Is Human Life Worth Living’
(Plato *Symposium* 211D),” Alexander Nehamas, Princeton University

“Before Good and Evil: Tragic Values in Greek Poetry.”
Lawrence Hatab, Old Dominion University

THE NORTH AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR PHILOSOPHICAL HERMENEUTICS

(NASPH)

Reynolds

Thursday 10:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.

“Hermeneutics of the Artwork,” John Sallis, Boston College

A Discussion of Hans-Georg Gadamer’s “Word and Picture”

Moderators: Richard Palmer, MacMurry College,
and J. M. Baker, University of the Arts

THE SOCIETY FOR CONTINENTAL PHILOSOPHY AND THEOLOGY (SCPT)

A1

Thursday 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.

A Panel on John D. Caputo’s *The Weakness of God*

Moderator: Sharon Baker, Messiah College

Panel Participants:

Catherine Keller, Drew University

Peter Ochs, University of Virginia

Carl Raschke, Denver University

Respondent: John D. Caputo, Syracuse University

**CONTINENTAL PHILOSOPHY IN A JEWISH CONTEXT GROUP
(CPJC)**

Flower

Saturday 7:00 -9:00 p. m.

**A Program to Commemorate the Centennial of the Birth of Emmanuel
Levinas**

Moderator: Oona Eisenstadt, Pomona College

"Beyond Profligacy and Parsimony: Emmanuel Levinas' Ethics of Expenditure," Edith Wyschogrod, Rice University

James Hatley, Salisbury University, will lead a discussion of Levinas' talmudic reading "Beyond the State in the State." We will focus on the talmudic text. Everyone around the table is welcome to participate.

Light food and strong drink will be provided.

For readings and updates, see <http://cpjc.mcmaster.ca>

Business meeting Sunday 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Sunday 9:00 a. m.

We will meet in the hotel lobby and proceed to a restaurant for breakfast, over which we will conduct this year's business meeting.

**THE SOCIETY FOR SOCIAL AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY:
HISTORICAL, CONTINENTAL, AND FEMINIST PERSPECTIVES (SSPP)**

A2

Thursday 9:00am-12:15pm

Rethinking Democracy

Moderator: Graciela Lechuga-Solis,

Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana, Xochimilco, México

"Rawls, Foucault, Michael Moore and 50 Cent on the Terms of Democratic Discourse," Michael Brownstein, Penn State University

"Derrida and the Inventions of Democracy,"

Peter Gratton, Chicago State University

"Concrete Analysis and Democratic Decision Making (Notes Towards an Althusserian Critical Theory)," William S. Lewis, Skidmore College

Business Meeting Moderator: Hasana Sharp, McGill University

THE SOCIETY FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF AMERICAN PHILOSOPHY

(SAAP)

E1

Thursday 9:00am-12:00pm

Emersonian Friendship

Moderator: Shannon Sullivan, Penn State University

“Emerson and Skepticism: A Reading of ‘Friendship’,”

Russell Goodman, University of New Mexico

“Commended Strangers, Beautiful Enemies: On the Faces of Emersonian

‘Friendship’,” John Lysaker, University of Oregon

Commentator: Michael Sullivan, Emory University

THE SOCIETY FOR THE PHILOSOPHIC STUDY OF

GENOCIDE AND THE HOLOCAUST (SPSGH)

E2

Thursday 9:00am-12:30pm

Feminism and Genocide

“Introduction to ‘Feminism and Genocide’,” James R. Watson,
Department of Philosophy, Loyola University, New Orleans

“A Question Concerning ‘White’ Slavery,” Bettina G. Bergo,
Département de Philosophie, Université de Montréal, Montréal

“Should Rape Be Considered a Form of Genocide?” Claudia Card,
Department of Philosophy, University of Wisconsin, Madison

“Nativity and Destruction: Implications for the Concept of the Political,”
Robin Schott, Department of Philosophy of Education,
Danish University of Education, Copenhagen

THE SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF DIFFERENCE (SSD)

Bromley

Thursday 9:00am-12:00pm

Humanity, Individuality and Difference

Moderator: Douglas L. Donkel, University of Portland

“The Differences Between Us,” Hugh J. Silverman, Stony Brook University

“Otherness and Difference,” Brian Treanor, Loyola-Marymount University

“The Breaking of Conscience: Hegel and Nietzsche on Individuality and Community,”
Owen Ware, University of Toronto

“Differences in Reason-Giving,” Eric Thomas Weber,
Southern Illinois University Carbondale

“Un-marking and Re-marking the Borders *between* Humanity and Animality:
Towards Understanding Corporeal Differentiability,” Arsalan Memon, Stony Brook
University

“Marking Difference: Viz-Expressions,” Nathaniel Bobbitt, Founder Nabslab

**THE SOCIETY FOR PHENOMENOLOGY AND THE HUMAN SCIENCES
(SPHS)**

*Registration will be held in the foyer from 3pm-6pm Thursday
and from 9am-4pm on Friday and Saturday*

**Thursday
1:00-3:00pm
Frampton**

Pedagogical Stances in the Walk with Technology

Chair: Stacey Irwin, Millersville University

“Realness in the Face of Technology,” Kathryn Egan, Brigham
Young University

“Co-ordinating Teaching and Learning,” Chris Nagel,
University of California, Stanislaus

“Interface Pedagogy: Post-cards from the Edge,” Cynthia
Whitesel, Lincoln University of Pennsylvania

“Transcending Technological Destinations,” Alan Vincent,
Montgomery College

“Assume the Position: Who Does My Student Think Me to
Be?” Stacey Irwin, Millersville University

SPHS Program Continued

**Thursday
3:15-5:15pm
Frampton**

Toward a Phenomenological Science of the Senses

Chair: Anthony Steinbock, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale
“Petting a Pet: Toward a Phenomenology of a Child’s Experience of Touch,” Erik Garrett, Duquesne University
“Found Sound: Music, Manipulation and the Enactive Dimensions of Deep Listening,” Joel Krueger, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale
“Scent, Smell, and Sense: A Phenomenological-cultural Inquiry,” Lenore Langsdorf, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale
“Racial Seeing and the Educated Palette: A Liberatory Phenomenology of Racial Perception,” Michael Monahan, Marquette University
“The Taste of Consumption,” Sol Neeley, Purdue University
Discussant: Anthony Steinbock, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale

**Thursday
5:30pm
Frampton**

SPHS Business Meeting

**Friday
9:00-12:00pm
Frampton**

Phenomenology of Personal and Spiritual Transformation

Chairs: Valerie Bentz, Fielding Graduate University, and Philip Lewin, Grand Valley State University
“The Phenomenology of Koan Meditation in Zen Buddhism,” Jerry Grenard, USC
“Healing Narcissism: From Regression to Transformation,” Ann Gleig, Rice University
“Phenomenological Study of the Role of Spirituality in Adult Education Leaders,” Jeanette Fleming, University of Georgia
“Understanding Spiritual Abuse,” Lisa Oakley, Manchester Metropolitan University, United Kingdom
“Edith Stein’s Understanding of the Spiritual Subject,” Michael Andrews, Seattle University
“Transpersonal Knowledge and Integral Human Development,” Andre Avramchuk, Fielding Graduate University
“Psychoactive Substances and Human Experience,” Peter Addy, Fielding Graduate University
“Presence and Absence: The Body and the End of Life,” Niel Rosen, Catholic University of America
Discussants: Valerie Bentz, Fielding Graduate University, and Philip Lewin, Grand Valley State University

SPHS Program Continued

**Friday
2:00-4:00pm
Frampton**

Postphenomenology and the Contemporary Life-world
Chairs: Paul Richer, Duquesne University
“Globalization and Technology: What is to Become of Phenomenology?” Paul Richer, Duquesne University
“What is Postphenomenology?” Don Ihde, SUNY/Stony Brook
“Unruly Perception,” Catherine Hesse, Denmark Pedagogical University
“The Technological Mediation of Morality,” Peter-Paul Verbeek, Twente University, Netherlands
“Does Globalization Empower?” Evan Selinger, Rochester Institute of Technology

**Friday
4:15-5:30pm
Shippen**

Postmodern Insinuations
Chair: Marc LaFountain, West Georgia University
“Phenomenology and Baudrillard: Supersize Me,” Marc LaFountain, West Georgia University
“Phenomenology and Bataille on the Experience of Non-knowledge,” Ken’ichi Kawano, Waseda University, Japan
“The Ideology of the Machine: Virilio, Deleuze and Guattari,” Irina Boca, Carleton University, Canada

**Friday 8:30 p.m., Frampton
SPHS Plenary Session
THE ALFRED SCHUTZ MEMORIAL LECTURE**

Moderator: George Psathas, Boston University

“A Continuing Dialogue with Alfred Schutz”

Hisashu Nasu
Waseda University, Japan

**SPHS RECEPTION
10:00 p.m., Frampton**

SPHS Program Continued

- Saturday
9:00-10:45am
Frampton** **New Schutzian Analyses**
Chair: Lester Embree, Florida Atlantic University
“Developing a Schutzian Political Phenomenology:
Intersubjectivity, Work, Project and Incongruities of Temporal
and Spatial Strata,” Gary Backhaus
“Is the Life-world Politically Neutral?” Michael Barber, St.
Louis University
“Explications of Schutz,” Lester Embree, Florida Atlantic
University
“Internet and the Life-world: Updating Schutz’s Theory of
Mutual Knowledge,” Shanyang Zhao, Temple University
- Saturday
11:00-11:45am
Frampton** **The Future of Phenomenology and Human Science
Round-table discussion**
Moderators: Valerie Bentz, Fielding Graduate University,
Philip Lewin, Grand Valley State University, and Paul Richer,
Duquesne University
- Saturday
1:30-2:45pm
Frampton** **Cross-cultural Issues in Qualitative Research**
Chair: David Williams, Brigham Young University
“Identity and Social Problems,” Chihaya Kusayagi, Otsuma
Women’s University, Japan
“Being Raced Black: Existential Phenomenological and
Discourse Analysis,” Azizi Seixas, University of Dallas
“Levinas’ Phenomenology of the Ethical Relation: Implications
for Cross-cultural Formal Evaluation,” David Williams and
Kristine Wipple, Brigham Young University
- Saturday
3:00-4:45pm
Frampton** **Gender Bends Human Science**
Chair: Marga Ryersbach, University of West Florida
“Ethnography of Suffering: The Infinity of the Other and Feminist
Methods,”
Sarah MacMillen, University of Notre Dame
“Foucault’s Critique of the Science of Sexuality,” Sokthan
Yeng, DePaul University
“Queer Praxis: A Study of Borderline Sexualities,”
Marga Ryersbach, University of West Florida
“Lesbian Experiences of Chronic Illness and Disabilities,”
Elizabeth Walden and Kathleen Haney, University of Houston,
Downtown

**THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PHILOSOPHY
(IAEP)
Tenth Annual Meeting
October 14-16, 2006, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania**

Facilities, Accommodations and Registration

All sessions will be held at the Sheraton Society Hill, One Dock Street, Philadelphia PA 19106. Group, overnight accommodation rates are available at the hotel for \$149 plus 14 % tax for single or multiple occupancy. Call 1-800-325-3535 to reserve. To receive these rates, participants must identify themselves as attending the IAEP/SPEP conference and make their reservations by September 11, 2006. Conference registration will take place on Saturday evening from 7:30 to 8:00 p.m. and on Sunday morning from 9:00-10:00 a.m. outside the Hamilton Room.

**Saturday 8:00 p.m.
IAEP KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Hamilton Room**

Moderator: Kenneth Maly
University of Wisconsin-La Crosse and University of Toronto

**Place and Placelessness in the Natural City:
Giving Voice to Children**

Ingrid Stefanovic
University of Toronto

**IAEP RECEPTION
Saturday 9:30 p.m.
Hamilton Room**

Sunday, October 15th, 2006

**9:00-10:00am
IAEP REGISTRATION
Hamilton Room**

IAEP Program Continued

Sunday 9:00am-10:30am

Session 1
Hamilton Room **Ecological Thinking, Engaged**
Moderator: Lori Brown, University of Oregon
“Moral Implications of Industrialized Countries' Environmental Impact on the Third World: An Argument for Ecological Awareness,” Mark Reid, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
“Intimacy without Proximity: Encountering Grizzlies as Companion Species,” Jake Metcalf, University of California, Santa Cruz
“Applying Systemic Thinking for Teaching Disturbed-Land Reclamation in Brazil,” James Jackson Griffith, Federal University of Viçosa, Brazil

Session 2
Shippen Room **Buddhism and Ecological Awareness**
Moderator: Taylor Hammer, Stony Brook University
“Is Nothing Sacred” Nothingness and Nature,” Brian Schroeder, Rochester Institute of Technology,
“Interdependence and Its Role in the Conceptualization of Environment,” Mark. H. Dixon, Ohio Northern University
“Buddhism and the Unity of Humans and Nature,” Simon P. James, University of Durban

10:30am-10:45am, Coffee Break

Sunday 10:45am-12:15pm

Session 1
Hamilton Room **Reaching Out from Science**
Moderator: Dennis Skocz, Independent Scholar, Washington, D.C.
“Nature, Domination, and the Dialectic of Enlightenment,” Eric Sean Nelson, University of Massachusetts, Lowell
“Biomimicry: A Philosophical and Environmental Analysis,” David Macauley, Penn State University, Delaware County
“Reconstruction of the Philosophy of Science for Ecological Sustainability,” Kubasu Lazarus Nolasco, Insight Research Consult, Kisumu, Kenya

Session 2
Shippen Room **Reconceiving Environmental Philosophy**
Moderator: James Hatley, Salisbury University
“Anthropocentrism Reimagined: Ecology, Language, Aesthetic Experience, and Epistemic Responsibility,” Wendy Lynne Lee, Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania
“Toward a New Phenomenology of the Environment,” Edward S. Casey, Stony Brook University
“Critique of Pure Externalization: The Politics of Environmentalism,” Barbara Muraca, University of Greifswald, Germany, and David Wood, Vanderbilt University

IAEP Program Continued

Sunday 2:00pm-3:30pm

Session 1

Hamilton Room

New Voices at IAEP

Moderator: Chris Diehm, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point
“Cronon's Doubt: Expression and the Phenomenology of Nature,”
Ted Toadvine, University of Oregon

“Conceptual Issues in the Philosophy of Nature: Some Remarks on
Bookchin's Dialectical Naturalism,” Keith Peterson, St. Michael's
College, Vermont

“But the Greatest of These is Simplicity: Revisiting Thoreau,” Brian
Trenor, Loyola Marymount University

Session 2

Shippen Room

Breaking Out of Paradigms: Three Examples

Moderator: Thomas Nail, University of Oregon

“Maimed Away from the Earth: Disabled Bodies and the Wilderness
Ideal,” Sarah Jaquette, University of Oregon

“Speci(es)al (as) Performance: Ecofeminism and the Regulatory
Fiction of Race, Gender, and Species,” Chaone Mallory, University of
Oregon

“Sir Brother Sun, Sister Moon, and Sister Mother Earth: Bringing the
Franciscan Tradition Back into Christian Environmental Ethics,” Angela
Woods, Baylor University

3:30pm-3:45pm, Coffee Break

Sunday 3:45pm-5:15pm

Session 1

Hamilton Room

Architecture, Land, Place

Moderator: David Seamon, Kansas State University

“Toward a Feminist Phenomenology of Place,” Janet Fiskio, University
of Oregon

“Enacting the Layered Landscape: Land, Identity, and Practice in
Contemporary Tibet,” William Edelglass, Colby College

“Catalytic Architectural Ecologies,” Brook Muller, University of Oregon

Session 2

Shippen Room

Heidegger in Earth

Moderator: Ted Toadvine, University of Oregon

“The Silent Call of the Earth,” Will McNeill, DePaul University

“Do We Have Time to Care about the Biosphere?: Uncovering the Time
of Earth and Matter,” Glen A. Mazis, Penn State University, Harrisburg

“Preserving the Earth through Language: Owning and Preserving the
Unowned in Heidegger and Merleau-Ponty,” Eleanor Helms, Fordham
University

**Sunday 5:30pm-6:30pm,
IAEP BUSINESS MEETING**

IAEP Program Continued

Monday, October 16th, 2006

Meeting I Society for Nature, Philosophy, and Religion
Bruce Foltz, Eckerd College, Convener

Session 1 Nature and the Figures of Modernity
9:00-11:15am Moderator: Ingrid Leman Stefanovic, University of Toronto
Frampton Room “The De-naturing Effects of Modernism’s Methodological Naturalism,”
W. S. K. Cameron, Loyola Marymount University
“Thoreau’s Pastorale: Nature and the Meaning of Moral Freedom,”
Christopher Dustin, College of the Holy Cross
“Behema and Behemoth: A Hebraic Inflection to Derrida’s ‘Animots’,”
James Hatley, Salisbury University

Session 2 Heaven and Earth in Christianity and Islam
11:30-1:45pm Moderator: John Kress, University of Tennessee
Frampton Room “Spirit-Nature in Eckhart and Ibn ‘Arabi,” Robert Dobie, LaSalle
University
“Cosmos and Manifestation: The Philosophy of Nature in Maximus,
Florensky, and Ibn ‘Arabi,” Bruce Foltz, Eckerd College
“The Celestial Earth: Plato, Schelling and Mulla Sadra,”
Joseph Lawrence, College of the Holy Cross

Meeting II Environmental and Architectural Phenomenology Network
Shippen Room David Seamon, Kansas State University, Convener and Moderator

9:00am-12:30pm Christopher Alexander’s *The Nature of Order*
“The Human Capacity for Creating Beauty,” Karen Kho, Alameda
County Planner, San Leandro, California
“Grasping the Ineffable,” Jenny Quillien, New Mexico University at
Highlands
“Structures of Wholeness: A Study of Carl Nyrén’s Brahe School
Library, Visingsö, Sweden” Gary Coates, Kansas State University
“The Architecture of Living Thought,” Tim Quick, Independent Scholar,
Victoria, British Columbia
“‘The Hazard of Emergence’: Christopher Alexander’s Theory of
Wholeness as Genuine Belonging,” David Seamon, Kansas State
University

Meeting III Society for Ecofeminism, Environmental Justice, and Social Ecology
Whitpen Room Patricia Glazebrook, Dalhousie University, Convener and Moderator

9:00am–12:30pm “Nature” and Justice
“Must Poverty Be Eliminated to Save Nature?” Frank W. Derrigh, New
York City College of Technology, City University of New York
“Connections: The Place of the Human in Wilderness Ethics,” Florence
Shepard, University of Utah
“An Ecofeminist Perspective,” Karen Warren, Macalaster College
“Justice and Environmental Identity,” Rob Figueroa, Colgate University