

NINTH INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL PHILOSOPHY CONFERENCE

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July 30 to August 2, 1992

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DAVIDSON, NORTH CAROLINA

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Thursday, July 30

- 2:00- 6:30 P.M. Registration: VAIL COMMONS (*upper level*)
5:45- 6:45 P.M. Reception: VAIL COMMONS (*Harrison Room*) Cash Bar
6:30- 7:30 P.M. Dinner: VAIL COMMONS (*Pope Room*) Regular line service
7:30- 9:30 P.M. Opening Session: CHAMBERS (*Gallery*)
Welcome: Rosemarie Tong, Davidson College
Invited Address
Chair: James Sterba, Notre Dame, President, NASSP
Speaker: Rosemarie Tong, Davidson College
"Feminine and Feminist Approaches to Ethics"

Friday, July 31

- 7:15- 8:30 A.M. Breakfast: VAIL COMMONS
8:30-10:00 A.M. Plenary Session: CHAMBERS (~~Gallery~~) *DOME ROOM*
Invited Address
Chair: Joseph Betz, Villanova University
Speaker: Tom Regan, North Carolina State University
"Ivory Tower Should not a Prison Make"

MORNING INTERMISSIONS Coffee and Doughnuts: CHAMBERS (*2nd floor hall*)

- 10:15-11:45 A.M. Concurrent Sessions: CHAMBERS (*2nd floor*)
- A. Chambers 221
OWNING OUR OWN BODIES AND OUR CHILDREN'S
Chair: Robert N. Van Wyk,
University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown
1. "Modern Bodies: The Surrogate Mother and The Terminator",
Drew Leder, Loyola College in Maryland
 2. "Who Owns Our Children?",
Jacob Joshua Ross, Tel Aviv University, Israel
- B. Chambers 215
EXERCISE, SPORT AND POLITICS
Chair: James Gould, University of South Florida
1. "Aerobics as Political Schooling",
Theodore R. Schatzki, University of Kentucky
 2. "Re-Thinking Big Time Intercollegiate Athletics:
Toward a 'Communitarian' Approach",
Ira H. Peak, Jr., University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- C. Chambers 224
TWO AMERICAN SOCIAL PHILOSOPHERS
Chair: Leo Penta, Villanova University
1. "Dialogical Dimension of the Person in G.H. Mead",
Lourdes Goadillo, University of Murcia, Spain
 2. "William J. Potter's View of Reality",
W. Creighton Peden, Augusta College
- 12:00- 1:00 P.M. Lunch: VAIL COMMONS
- 1:15- 2:45 P.M. Concurrent Sessions: CHAMBERS (*2nd floor*)
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PHILOSOPHY AND SOCIETY
Chair: William C. Pamerleau, Purdue University
1. "The Use and Abuse of Ancient Political
Philosophy in Contemporary Social Theory",
John Carvalho, Villanova University

2. "Philosophical Analysis of Ideology",
Ramesh Chandra Sinha, Patna University, India

B. Chambers 215

OUR NATURAL ENVIRONMENT I

Chair: Wendy Donner, Carleton University, Canada

1. "Public Goods and Environmental Problems",
Baylor Johnson, St. Lawrence University
2. "A 'Transgenic Dinner'? Social and Ethical Issues in
Biotechnology and Agriculture",
Laura Westra, University of Windsor, Canada
3. "Should 'Real' Environmentalists be NeoLuddites?"
William Aiken, St. Andrews University, Scotland

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POWER

Chair: Scott Landers, San Diego State University

1. "Power, Relationship and Social Change",
Leo Penta, Villanova University
2. "Power and Empowerment: Reflections on Thomas
Wartenberg's **The Forms of Power** and the Feminist
Movement",
William McBride, Purdue University
3. "Political Liberty and Constitutional Government: Separation
of Powers Revisited",
Vukan Kuic, University of South Carolina

3:00- 4:30 P.M.

Concurrent Sessions: CHAMBERS (2nd floor)

A. Chambers 221

WOMEN'S EXCLUSION FROM POLITICS AND SCIENCE

Chair: Drew Leder, Loyola College of Maryland

1. "Gender and Justice: The Need for New
Paradigms: An Outline",
Iris Marion Young, University of Pittsburgh
2. "Issues of Gender and Race in the Philosophy of Science",
Janet A. Kourany, University of Notre Dame

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THE CRITICISM OF LIBERALISM

Chair: William Sweet, St. Francis Xavier Univ., Canada

1. "Varieties of Liberalism and 'Traditional Values',"
Robert N. Van Wyk,
University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown
2. "Liberal Purposes and Community",
David A. Duquette, St. Norbert College

C. Chambers 224

MORAL REASONING

Chair: Janice McLane, Villanova University

1. "Social Conflicts, Moral Dilemmas, and Priority Principles",
Shyli Karin-Frank, Israel
2. "Reason and Awareness in Ethics: Querying the
Philosopher's Desire for Safety through Reasoning",
Helmut Wautischer,
California State University, Long Beach
To be read by a substitute.

5:00- 6:00 P.M.

Business Meeting: CHAMBERS (~~GALLERY~~) *DOME ROOM*

6:00- 7:00 P.M.

Reception: VAIL COMMONS (Harrison Room)

7:00- 8:30 P.M.

Dinner: VAIL COMMONS (Harrison Room)

Saturday, August 1

7:15- 8:30 A.M. Breakfast: VAIL COMMONS

8:30-10:00 A.M. Concurrent Sessions: CHAMBERS (2nd floor)

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FREEDOM AS GOAL OR AS ILLUSION

Chair: Randall Curren, University of Rochester

1. "Technological Politics, Player Pianos and Human Freedom",
Brian B. Clayton, Gonzaga University
2. "Discourses of Liberation and Discourses of Transformation",
Chauncey Colwell, Villanova University

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CENSORSHIP AND PORNOGRAPHY

Chair: Irwin Goldstein, Davidson College

1. "Why Pornography is Valuable",
James Gould, University of South Florida
2. "Pornography and Censorship",
David W. Ward, Widener University
3. "Plato on Censorship,"
Matt Silliman, North Adams State College

C. Chambers 224

THE ECLIPSE OF COMMUNITY AND THE DISSOLUTION OF THE SOCIAL

Chair: William McBride, Purdue University

1. "Community, Contingency and Inquiry: Dewey and the Problems of Rorty's Public",
Terry Moseley, Purdue University
2. "The Explosive Dissolution of the Social",
James P. Cadello, Regis University

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10:15-11:45 A.M. Plenary Session: CHAMBERS (~~GALLERY~~) *DOME ROOM*

Invited Address

Chair: Iris Marion Young, University of Pittsburgh

Speaker: Susan Brison, Dartmouth College

"Surviving Sexual Violence: A Philosophical Perspective"

12:00- 1:00 P.M. Lunch: VAIL COMMONS

1:15- 2:45 P.M. Concurrent Sessions: CHAMBERS (2nd floor)

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THE OTHER

Chair: Baylor Johnson, St. Lawrence University

1. "Social Philosophy and Intersubjectivity",
Adriaan Peperzak, Loyola University, Chicago
2. "Kant, Coercion and The Other",
Sally J. Scholz, Purdue University

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DOMINATION, WOMEN AND PAIN

Chair: Tibor Machan, Auburn University

1. "Victim/Victimizer: Women's Bodies as the Locus for Pain",
Janice McLane, Villanova University
2. "Feminist Ethics and Sadomasochism",
Patrick N. Hopkins, Washington University

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FOUCAULT AND RIGHTS

Chair: Chauncey Colwell, Villanova University

1. "Rights and Power: Foucault and Contemporary Rights Theories",
Regina Coeli Fitzpatrick, Regis University
2. "Marx and Foucault on Rights",
Elizabeth Kiss, Princeton University

3:00- 4:30 P.M. Concurrent Sessions: CHAMBERS (2nd floor)

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OUR NATURAL ENVIRONMENT II

Chair: Laura Westra, University of Windsor, Canada

1. "Animal Rights and the Case of Native Hunters",
Wendy Donner, Carleton University, Canada
2. "Why Human Beings Should Come First",
Tibor Machan, Auburn University
3. "Violence Against Nature",
James Sterba, University of Notre Dame

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JUSTICE: KANT AND RAWLS

Chair: John Carvalho, Villanova University

1. "A Theory of Justice, Once Again",
Daniel F. Montaldi, Gonzaga University
2. "Cast Down Your Buckets Where You Are: Diversity,
Community, and the Recovery of Social Justice",
Edwin Goff, Villanova University
3. "Rawls and Kant on Civil Disobedience,"
Tamara L. Siegel, Purdue University

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**THREE CURRENT ISSUES — ADVERTISING,
THE GULF WAR, GENETIC DISCRIMINATION**

Chair: David A. Duquette, St. Norbert College

1. "How Advertising Harms Us,"
Kendall D'Andrade, Shawnee State University
2. "The Arrogance of Power Revisited:
The U.S. and the Persian Gulf War",
Joseph Boucher, Villanova University
3. "Genetic Information, Uncertainty, and Discrimination,"
Mehran Sam, University of Toronto, Canada

5:00- 6:30 P.M. Plenary Session: CHAMBERS (~~Gallery~~) *DOME ROOM*

Invited Address

Chair: Edwin Goff, Villanova University

Speaker: Bernard Boxill, Univ. of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
"Some Criticisms of Consent Theory"

6:30 P.M. Dinner and Evening Entertainment: Out on our own

Sunday, August 2

7:15- 8:30 A.M. Breakfast: VAIL COMMONS

8:30-10:00 A.M. Concurrent Sessions: CHAMBERS (2nd floor)

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HUMAN AUTONOMY, HUMAN RIGHTS

Chair: David Ward, Widener University

1. "Liberalism, Bosenquet, and the Theory
of the State",
William Sweet, St. Francis Xavier Univ., Canada

2. "Democratic Socialism and Human Rights",
Joseph Betz, Villanova University

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ISSUES IN JURISPRUDENCE

Chair: Daniel F. Montaldi, Gonzaga University

1. "One Concept of Rules,"
Scott Landers, San Diego State University
2. "The Treatment of Freedom of Speech in European
Jurisprudence,"
Paloma Durán, Universidad Jaime I, Spain

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EFFICIENCY AS A VALUE

Chair: Adriaan Peperzak, Loyola University, Chicago

1. "On Efficiency, Historical and Moral
Considerations in Social Philosophy,"
C.L. Sheng, Tamkang University, Taipei, Taiwan
2. "Is There an Efficiency-Equity Trade-off Problem?,"
Alistair M. Macleod, Queens University, Canada

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SELF-EVIDENT JUSTICE, SELF-DECEPTION

Chair: Matt Silliman, North Adams State College

1. "That 'From Each According to His Ability, To Each According
to His Need' is a Self-Evident First Principle of Justice,"
Anthony Coccia, Villanova University
2. "Kant and Self-Deception,"
David N. James, Old Dominion University

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PUNISHMENT AND EDUCATION

Chair: Alistair Macleod, Queens University, Canada

1. "Bentham's Panopticon,"
Charles Belden-England, Villanova University
2. "Justice and Common Care in Plato's **Laws**,"
Randall R. Curren, University of Rochester

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**COMMUNICATION-BASED ETHICS AND
SOCIAL PHILOSOPHY**

Chair: David Anderson, College of Charleston

1. "Nietzsche as Social Philosopher; On the
Communicative 'Genius of the Species',"
Tom Heeney, College of Charleston
2. "An Existential Critique of Discourse Ethics",
William C. Pamerleau, Purdue University

12:00- 1:00 P.M. Lunch: VAIL COMMONS