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**INTERNATIONAL
SOCIAL PHILOSOPHY
CONFERENCE**

***Gender, Equality, and
Social Justice***

University of Portland

Portland, Oregon

July 17-19, 2008

2C. Democracy, Franz 214

Chair: Shane Ralston, University of Montreal

* Marion Smiley, Brandeis University, "Re-thinking 'Paternalism' for a Democratic Welfare State"

Matt Waldschagel, University of Kansas, "Arrow's Theorem and the Defense of Democracy"

2D. Marriage and Equality, Franz 223

Chair: Lissa Skitolsky, Luther College

Matthew Altman, Central Washington University, "Consent, Mail-Order Brides, and the Marriage Contract: the Moral Limitations of Kant's Moral Philosophy"

Elizabeth Brake, University of Calgary, "Minimizing Marriage: What Liberalism Implies for Marriage Law"

2E. National Identities, Minorities, and Democratic Citizenship, Franz 234

Chair: Nate Placencia, University of California, Riverside

Robert Murray, Ryerson University, "Aboriginal Rights and the Canadian Moral Identity"

Jose-Antonio Orosco, Oregon State University, "Latino Intercultural Citizenship, Social Justice, and the Transformation of American Democracy"

2F. Environmental Justice, Franz 231

Chair: Ovadia Ezra, Tel-Aviv University

Steve Vanderheiden, University of Colorado at Boulder, "Climate Policy, National Liability, and Collective Responsibility"

Shelley Wilcox, San Francisco State University, "Is Civic Environmentalism a Satisfactory Urban Environmental Ethic?"

Session 3: 4:30-6:00 p.m.

3A. Oppression and Obligation, Franz 006

Chair: Ami Harbin, Dalhousie University

* Dan Haggerty, University of Scranton, "Speaking for Others: Some Problems and Responsibilities"

* Colleen Stameshkin, Millersville University, "A Feminist View of Obligatory Compassion"

3B. Friendship, Franz 206

Chair: Joseph Kupfer, Iowa State University

† Marisol Brito, University of Minnesota, "Why Friendship? Mill and Male-Female Friendship in the Twenty-First Century"

Lisa Hoelle, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, "Recognizing Goodwill in Cases of Civic Friendship"

3C. Sexuality and Identity, Franz 026

Chair: Helga Varden, University of Illinois

Jami L. Anderson, University of Michigan-Flint, "Self and Body: A Hegelian Analysis of Sex Identity"

* Yolanda Estes, Mississippi State University, "J.G. Fichte's Account of Human Sexuality: Gender Difference as the Basis of Human Equality within a Just Society"

3D. Political Philosophy: Non-west Conceptions, Franz 223

Chair: Brandon Absher, University of Kentucky

Mathew Foust, University of Oregon, "Toward a Transformation of Tradition: A Confucian Contribution to Rethinking the Private/Public Distinction"

Jason Breen, York University, "Beyond the European Game: Rethinking the Wretched of the Earth's History of Violence"

3E. The Rights of Cultural Minorities, Franz 234

Chair: Peter Higgins, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Carrie-Ann Biondi, Marymount Manhattan College, "Protecting Individuals: Multicultural Citizenship versus Freedom of Association"

James W. Boettcher, St. Joseph's University, "Revisiting the Internal Minorities Problem: The Freedmen Controversy"

3F. Just War Theory: Humanitarian Intervention and Occupation
Franz 231

Chair: Christopher Lowry, Queen's University

Jordy Rocheleau, Austin Peay State University, "The Temporalization of Just War Principles and the Shifting Justice of Occupations"

John Exdell, Kansas State University, "Humanitarian Intervention in Just War Theory"

Dinner (on your own)

First Plenary Session: 8:00 - 9:30 p.m.
BUCKLEY CENTER AUDITORIUM

Chair: Sally Scholz, Villanova University

Speaker: Margaret Urban Walker, Arizona State University, "Gender Justice in Repair: Finding Women's Places in Post-Conflict Reparations"

Reception: 9:30 - 10:30 p.m., Buckley 163

Announcement of Graduate Student Awards by Gaile Pohlhaus, chair of the selection committee

Friday, July 18

Registration & Book Display: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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Session 4: 9:00-10:30 a.m.

4A. Oppression, Franz 106

Chair: Maeve M. O'Donovan, College of Notre Dame of Maryland

Andrew F. Smith, Illinois Wesleyan University, "Toleration and the Silence of the Oppressed"

Lisa Tessman, Binghamton University, "Moral Conditions Under Oppression: Dilemmaticity as a Measure of Moral Disrepair"

4B. Ethics of Care I, Franz 018

Chair: Marisol Brito, University of Minnesota

Maurice Hamington, Metropolitan State College of Denver, "Liberté, Égalité, Sororité: How Care Ethics Informs Social Justice"

Ornaith O'Dowd, CUNY Graduate Center, "Care and Revolution"

4C. Moral Reasoning, Franz 005

Chair: Josh Houston, Vanderbilt University

Doug Paletta, University of Pennsylvania, "Normative Assumptions and Contractarianism"

Theresa Weynand Tobin, Marquette University, "Reasonable to Whom? Making Reasons Reasonable in a Diverse and Unequal World"

4D. Feminist Critiques of Liberalism, Franz 034

Chair: Nancy Snow, Marquette University

Hye-ryoung Kang, University of Nevada Reno, "A Feminist Critique of 'Idealized' non-ideal Justice in Rawls' *Law of Peoples*"

Lisa Schwartzman, Michigan State University, "Culture, Power and Women's Oppression: Beyond State Neutrality"

4E. Constructing Racial Identity, Franz 205

Chair: Shelley Wilcox, San Francisco State University

Kevin Graham, Creighton University, "Transforming Race & Remaking Gender: Jewish Femininity and the Whitening of Jews in the US"

Valerie Saint-Amand, Binghamton University, "Purity of Blood: Genealogy and the Construction of Race"

4F. Punishment, Franz 222

Chair: Zach Hoskins, Washington University, St. Louis

David Wood, University of Melbourne, "Punishment: Aims, Means, and Measures"

Jacob M. Held, University of Central Arkansas, "The Problems of an Exchange Model of Wrongs and Punishments: Retaliation, Desert, Evenness, and the Fungibility of Moral Value"

Session 5: 10:45-12:15 p.m.

5A. Pornography and Oppression, Franz 106

Chair: Andrew F. Smith, Illinois Wesleyan University

Kory P. Schaff, Occidental College, "Pornography, Objectification and Legal Paternalism"

Nicole Wyatt, University of Calgary, "Conventions for Illocutionary Silencing"

5B. Ethics of Care II, Franz 018

Chair: Maurice Hamington, Metropolitan State College of Denver

Melissa A. Mosko, Marquette University, "Ignorance and the Care Perspective"

Joseph Kupfer, Iowa State University, "The Interdependence of Autonomy and Care"

5C. Simone de Beauvoir, Murphy Room, 4th floor Franz Hall

Chair: Bill Pamerlau, University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg

Elvira Roncalli, Carroll College, "'To Ec-sist or not ec-sist?' Is this the question? Arendt and De Beauvoir on 'Action', 'Freedom', and the 'Woman Condition'"

Sally J. Scholz, Villanova University, "That all Children Should be Free: Beauvoir, Rousseau, and Childhood"

5D. Deliberative Democracy, Franz 005

Chair: James Swindler, Illinois State University

Richard Buck, Mount St. Mary's University, "Deliberation and Equality"

Josh Houston, Vanderbilt University, "Contestation and Deliberation Within: Dryzek, Goodin, and the Possibility of Legitimacy"

5E. Nozick on Rights and Entitlement, Franz 038

Chair: Matt Waldschagel, University of Kansas

Anna-Karin Andersson, Harvard University, "An Alleged Contradiction in Nozick's Entitlement Theory"

Irfan Khawaja, Felician College, "Nozick on Moral Constraints, Moral Goals, and the 'Utilitarianism of Rights'"

5F. Race and Identity, Franz 205

Chair: Cynthia D. Coe, Central Washington University

Nate Placencia, UC Riverside, " 'Am I Latino just because I do the things that Latinos do?' Problems with Appiah's Account of Social Identities"

Camisha Russell, University of Memphis, "Black American Sexuality and the Repressive Hypothesis: Reading Patricia Hill Collins with Michel Foucault"

5G. Ethics of Life and Death, Franz 222

Chair: Kate Parsons, Webster University

Michael Cholbi, Cal-Poly Pomona, "The Duty to Die and the Burdensomeness of Existence"

? Shari Collins-Chobanian, Arizona State University, "Sperm Ethics: No Need to Spread the Seed"

Lunch 12:15-1:45 p.m. (on your own)

Session 6: 1:45-3:15 p.m.

6A. Sexual Harassment and Gender Bias, Franz 106

Chair: Madelyn Detloff, Miami University of Ohio

Mojirayo Afolabi, Obafemi Awolowo University, Nigeria, "Yoruba Proverbs and Female Gender Bias: The Need for Correction"

Margaret Crouch, Eastern Michigan University, "Sexual Harassment in Public Spaces"

6B. Relational Autonomy, Franz 015

Chair: Lisa Hoelle, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

Pamela J. Lomelino, University of Colorado, Boulder, "Expanding Relational Autonomy to Respect Cross-Cultural Differences"

Elizabeth Sperry, William Jewell College, "Social Oppression, Relational Autonomy, and Moral Luck"

6C. Poverty, Exploitation, and the Morality of Inequality, Franz 018

Chair: John Exdell, Kansas State University

Michael Feola, Stanford University, "Poverty, Exploitation and Needs: Reflections on Marcuse"

Matt Silliman, Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts, "The Moral Claims of Inequality"

6D. The Ideal of Community, Franz 205

Chair: Jamie Ross, Portland State University

Brandon Absher, University of Kentucky, "Wittgenstein and the Ethics of Community"

Jean-Marie Makang, "I've been to the Mountaintop: Justice, Community, and Hope in Martin Luther King's Nonviolent Struggle"

6E. Globalization and Justice, Franz 234

Chair: Steve Vanderheiden, University of Colorado, Boulder

Sharon Anderson-Gold, Rennsalaer Polytechnic Institute, "Cosmopolitanism and Democracy: Global Governance without a Global State"

Carol Gould, Temple University, "Approaching Global Justice through Human Rights, Care, and Solidarity: Elements of Cosmopolitan Theory and Practice"

6F. Conceiving Parenthood, Franz 217

Chair: Shari Collins-Chobanian, Arizona State University

Bernard Prusak, Villanova University, "What are Parents For?"

Naomi Zack, University of Oregon, "NO MORE MOTHERS? Our New World of Bio-Invention, Self-Design, Social Neglect, and Environmental Death"

Book Award 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

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Chair: Alistair Macleod, Queen's University

Will Kymlicka, *Multicultural Odysseys: Navigating the New International Politics of Diversity*, Oxford University Press, 2007.

Comments:

Joe Betz, Committee Chair, Villanova University

Cindy Holder, University of Victoria

John Rowan, Purdue University at Calumet

Reception, 5:00 – 6:00 p.m., Commons Patio

Banquet 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., Terrace Room

Business Meeting 8:00 – 9:00 p.m., Franz 214

Saturday, July 19

Session 7: 9:00-10:30 a.m.

7A. Feminism and Issues in Jurisprudence, Franz 205

Chair: Nicholas Zettel, Marquette University

Jeff Gauthier, University of Portland, "Prostitution, Sexual Exploitation, and Sexual Subordination"

Aaron Arndt, Michigan State University, "Toward an Intersubjective Jurisprudence: A Critical Reflection on Mackinnon's Feminist Jurisprudence"

7B. Gender and Justice in Institutions, Franz 034

Chair: Mojirayo Afolabi, Obafemi Awolowo University, Nigeria

Margaret P. Gilleo, "Global Social Justice Implications of Gender Disparity in the Roman Catholic Church"

Tom Digby, Springfield College, "Militarism, Heterosexuality, and the Burden of Gender"

7C. Justice and Equal Opportunity, Franz 223

Chair: Jennifer Szende, Queens University

Alistair M. Macleod, Queen's University, "Justice and Equality of Opportunity"

Lynda Lange, University of Toronto, "Globalization and the Effects of Conceptual Boundaries Between Western Political Philosophy and Economics: the Case of Publicly Supported Child Care for Working Mothers"

7D. Liberalism and Individual Actualization, Franz 106

Chair: Michael Funke, University of South Florida

John Hacker-Wright, University of Guelph, "Liberalism and the Fully Integrated Personality: Reflections on Dewey, Mill, and Rawls"

Bill Pamerlau, University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg, "An Existentialist Perspective on the Limits of Liberalism"

7E. Globalization and Justice II, Franz 006

Chair: Forrest Perry, Vanderbilt University

Aparna Madhavan, University of Cincinnati, "Politics of Design – Global and Regional"

Anna Malavasi, Michigan State University, "Global Development Policies and Inequality"

7F. Accountability and Moral Responsibility, Franz 026

Chair: Jacob M. Held, University of Central Arkansas

Bat-Ami Bar On, Binghamton University, "Terrorism, Accountability, and Relationality"

✦ Cassie Striblen, Doane College, "Collective Responsibility and the Ultimate Attribution Error"

Session 8: 10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

8A. Kant's Ethical Theory, Franz 205

Chair: Matthew Altman, Central Washington University

Zach Hoskins, Washington University, St. Louis, "A (somewhat un-Kantian) Kantian Account of Punishment"

Susan Purviance, University of Toledo, "Moral Self-striving and sincerity (Redlichkeit): The Need for the Other in Kantian Moral Practice"

8B. Affirmation and Recognition, Franz 034

Chair: James Boettcher, St. Joseph's University

Gaile Pohlhaus, Miami University (Ohio), "Responsive Resistance: Agency, Community, and the Self"

Joan Woolfrey, West Chester University, "The Moral Demand for 'Textured Affirmation'"

8C. Justice and Sexual Orientation, Franz 015

Chair: Elizabeth Brake, University of Calgary

Loren L. Cannon, Humboldt State University, "Trans-Marriage and the so-called Same-Sex Marriage Debate"

✦ Helga Varden, University of Illinois, "The Injustice of Anti-Abortion and Anti-Homosexuality Laws"

8D. Capitalism and Justice, Franz 223

Chair: Anna-Karin Andersson, Harvard University

Jeffrey Nicholas, Mount Angel Seminary, St. Benedict, Oregon, "A Right to Property, Natural Law, and Human Fulfillment"

Forrest Perry, Vanderbilt University, "Territorial Histories as Inquiries Into Capital and Diversity"

8E. Rawls' Liberalism, Franz 106

Chair: Doug Paletta, University of Pennsylvania

Christopher Lowry, Queens University, "Just Health and Liberal Neutrality: Is Daniels as Rawlsian as We/He Thought?"

Edward Song, Louisiana State University, "Peoples v. Persons"

8F. Recognition and Respect, Franz 026

Chair: Marion Smiley, Brandeis University

✦ Marta Kunecka, Oregon State University, "The Path to Recognition: Civil Disobedience and the Challenges of Citizenship"

Tim Lord, Heartland College, "Fighting in the Daylight: R.G. Collingwood's The New Leviathan, the International Social Contract, and the New Barbarism"

Lunch 12:15-1:45 p.m. (on your own)

Special Lunchtime Session, University Commons:

Carol Gould, Editor, *Journal of Social Philosophy*, "Tips on Publishing in Social Philosophy for Beginning Faculty and Graduate Students"

Second Plenary Session 1:45-3:15

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Chair: Margaret Crouch, Eastern Michigan University

Speaker: Claudia Card, University of Wisconsin, "Evils and Inexcusable Wrongs"

Session 9: 3:30-5:00 (3:30-5:45 for long session)

9A. Oppression II, Franz 015

Chair: Shannon Proctor, Michigan State University

Jennifer Szende, Queens University, "Emancipation, Privilege, and the Problem of Pseudo-Oppression"

Nicholas Zettel, Marquette University, "Salience and Perception: Demanding Responses to Oppression"

9B. Humanity and Personhood, Franz 034

Chair: Claudia Leeb, Harvard University

Gina Helfrich, Emory University, "Defining the Human: Martha Nussbaum and Judith Butler in Conversation"

Kate Parsons, Webster University, "Feminist Reflections on Abortion after Miscarriage"

9C. Equality and Moral Luck, Franz 006

Chair: Lisa Schwartzman, Michigan State University

Jon Altschul, University of California Santa Barbara, "Leveling the Playing Field: Equality of Opportunity and Counterfactual Responsibility"

Wu Shiu-Ching, National Chung Chen University, Ming-Hsiung Chia Yi, Taiwan, "Dworkin's Luck Egalitarianism: Feminists' Critiques"

9D. Bio-Politics (Long Session), Franz 223

Chair: Jacek Kornak, University of Helsinki, Finland

Julie Piering, Northern Arizona University, "'Biopower', 'Biopolitics', and the Prospect of Social Justice in the Modern State"

Lissa Skitolsky, Luther College, "Biopolitics as Usual? The Indistinct Distinction of the Public and Private Domains"

Margaret Denike, Carleton University, "Biopolitics and the New Imperialism: On the Colonial Economy of Terror"

9E. Immigration and Justice, Franz 106

Chair: Theresa Weynand Tobin, Marquette University

Cynthia D. Coe, Central Washington University, "The Remainder of Progressive History and the Problem of the Foreigner: Kristeva, Colonialism, and Immigration"

Peter Higgins, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, "Immigration Justice: A Principle for Constructing Just Admissions Policies"

9F. The Rights of Children, Franz 026

Chair: Bernard Prusak, Villanova University

Gary Bartlett, Central Washington University, "An Argument against Spanking"

Michael Funke, University of South Florida, "The State as Parent: a Rawlsian Analysis of Emancipated Foster Youth"

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