

Conference Schedule

(all times US EDT)

NASSP 2021

“Revolutions and Reparations”

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Thursday, July 15th

2 – 3:30p Concurrent Sessions

(T1) Epistemic Injustice

Chair: Jason Philip Taylor, Regis University

- Philipa Friedman, Loyola University Chicago. “Epistemic Violence and Democracy Under Capitalism”
- Kevin Graham, Anaja Arthur, Hannah Frazer, Ali Griswold, Emma Kitteringham, Quinlyn Klade, and Jaliya Nagahawatte, Creighton University. “Slave Narratives and Epistemic Injustice”
- Audrey Ghali-Lachapelle, Université du Québec Montreal. “Epistemic Oppression, Consent, and Desire”

(T2) Revolution

Chair: Joshua Anderson, Virginia State University

- Colin Joseph Lewis and Jennifer Kling, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs. “Justified Revolution in Contemporary American Democracy: a Confucian-Inspired Account”
- Nathan Alan Eckstrand, Fort Hays University. “Speculative Realism or the New Materialism: Which Account of Change Best Captures Revolutionary Violence?”
- Ezekiel Vergara, Dartmouth College. “Just Cause, Reasons, and Revolution”

(T3) Resistance, Violence, & Solidarity

Chair: Eric Bayruns-Garcia, California State University - San Bernardino

- Margaret Betz, Rutgers University, Camden. “Any Woman:” Slavery, Rape, and Resistance Violence
- Hugo Cossette-Lefebvre, McGill University. “Uncivil Disobedience and Social Equality: The Question of Civic Friendship”
- John Lawless, Utica College. “Organizing Resistance: Republican Ideals for Non-Ideal Politics”

4 – 5:00p Plenary

Chair: Beth Sperry, William Jewell College

Keynote: Meena Krishnamurthy, Queens University. “Is Political Distrust ‘the Problem’?: Reflections on the Flint Water Crisis and the Movement for Black Lives.”

5:00 – 6:00p Business Meeting

Friday, July 16th

2 – 3:30p Concurrent Sessions

(F1) Repairs & Reparations

Chair: Abigail Iturra, Northwestern University

- Ben Almassi, Governor’s State University. “Climate Reparations and Intergenerational Justice”
- Alycia Winetta LaGuardia-LoBianco, Grand Valley State University. “Community Repair of Moral Damage from Domestic Violence”
- Jennifer Kling and Colin Joseph Lewis, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs. “Social and Political Statutes of Limitations: Mo’ Approaches, Mo’ Problems”

(F2) Institutions & Hanna Arendt

Chair: Lindsey Schwartz, University of Wisconsin-Madison

- Jack Warman, Universidad de la Frontera. “Epistemic Vice in Street-Level Bureaucracies”
- Jason Phillip Taylor, Regis University. “Arendt on Intellectual Vocation and Revolution”
- Alzbeta Hajkova, Purdue University. “Politics of Identity and Politics of Action in Hannah Arendt”

(F3) #MeToo & Misogyny

Chair: Sahar Heydari Fard, University of Cincinnati

- Lisa M. Madura, Vanderbilt University. “Blowing Up Your Spot: Addressing the Backlash to #MeToo Through a Phenomenology of Productive Discomfort”
- Tristan Hedges, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven. “Reclaiming Misandry from Misogynistic Rhetoric”
- Moya Mapps, Yale University. “Believing Women”

4 – 5:45 p.m **Social Philosophy Book Award**

Introduction: Beth Sperry, William Jewell College

Book Award Committee:

Karen Adkins (co-chair), Regis University

Jeff Paris (co-chair), University of San Francisco

Shannon Fyfe, George Mason University

Velimir Stojkovski, University of Michigan Dearborn

Author and Winner of NASSP's 2020 Book Award:

Serena Parekh, Northeastern University,

No Refuge: Ethics and the Global Refugee Crisis, Oxford University Press

Saturday, July 17th

2 -3:30p **Concurrent Sessions**

(S1) **Profiling Justice**

Chair: Katie Howard, Southwestern University

- Dan Lowe, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. "Ideology Critique and Testimonial Justice: The Case of Slave Narratives"
- Phillip Yoon, Johns Hopkins University. "A Step Towards Achieving Gender Justice: the Consideration of Gender Self-Identification"
- Tiffany Gordon and Tyler Hildebrand, Dalhousie University. "The Irrationality of Racial Profiling."

(S2) **Order, Care, & Legitimacy**

Chair: Christine Wieseler, California State Polytechnic University

- Salmaan Khan, York University Toronto. "Terms of (Dis)Order: Cedric J. Robinson and the Subversive Methodology"
- Joshua Anderson, Virginia State University. "Republican Freedom and Nation-State Illegitimacy"
- Lavender McKittrick-Sweitzer, Butler University. "Identifying Political Responsibility for Structural Care Exploitation"

(S3) **Capitalism vs. Solidarity**

Chair: Vasfi Onur Ozen, University of Kansas

- Sahar Heydari Fard, University of Cincinnati. “Power, Economic Code of Ethics, and the #MeToo Movement”
- Matthew Harrison Tedford, University of California Santa Cruz. “Is a Non-Capitalist Future Imaginable?: Embodied Practices and Slipstream Potentials in Amanda Strong’s *Biidaaban*”
- Patricia Elena Cipollitti Rodriguez, City University of New York. “Prefiguring Justice in an Unjust World: Does Practicing Solidarity Require Deference?”

4 – 5:00p Plenary

Chair: Barrett Emerick, St. Mary’s College of Maryland

Susan Brison and Linda Martin Alcoff,

tentative title “Has #MeToo Gone Too Far?”

5:00 – 6:00p Executive Committee Meeting

Asynchronous Papers

Epistemic Injustice

Brandon Carey, California State University Sacramento. “Evidence and Epistemic Injustice”

Isaac Shur, Georgia State University. “Problems of Parasocial Epistemology”

Ian Conor MacLean-Evans, Carleton University. “Epistemic Injustice and the Suicidality of the Oppressed: Philosophy and Suicide Research”

Nationalism and Self-Determination

Christopher Zurn, University of Massachusetts Boston. “Splitsville USA: A Democratic Argument for Breaking up the United States”

Roman Altshuler, Princeton University. ”Meaning, Multiculturalism, and Nationalism”

Beba Cibralic, Georgetown University. “‘American Primacy’ and other myths about hegemony”

Torsten Menge, Northwestern University in Qatar. “Genealogies of self-determination”

Criminality and Punishment

Ashli Anda, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. “Deterrence and Retribution in Kant’s Theory of Punishment”

Lindsey J. Schwartz, University of Wisconsin-Madison. “Proportionality, Desert, and Just Criminal Sentencing”

Patrick Jolley, Mercer University. “Nietzsche on the ‘Criminal Type’”

Nicole Ann Ramsomair, McGill University. “Having done their Time”

Holly Longair, Vanderbilt University. “‘Just Punishment for Crimes’: Interpreting Elizabeth Anderson on Oppression and Criminals”

Race and Racialization

Shilpi Sinha, Adelphi University. “Identity Politics, Solidarity and the Aesthetics of Racialization”

Zeinab Nobowati, University of Oregon. “Critical Theory and the (Im)Moral Psychology of Racism”

Shame, Wokeness, and Vaccination Globalism

Katie Howard, Southwestern University. “How Shame Matters for Action”

J. Spencer Atkins, Binghamton University. “Defining Wokeness”

Chong Choe-Smith, California State University Sacramento. “COVID-19 and a Defense of Vaccine Globalism”

Social Media and Memes

Michael Randall Barnes, Western University. “Online Extremism, AI, and (Human) Content Moderation: Collateral Damage in Online Speech”

Diego Fontanive, EOF Project. “Implementing metamemetic thinking as an approach to implicit bias reduction”

Neoliberalism, Terrorism, and Beneficence

Tait Szabo, University of Western Michigan. “A Wolf in Sheep’s Clothing: Neoliberalism as an Illiberal Political Philosophy”

Donovan van der Haak, Tilburg University. “Defining Terrorism: An Ameliorative Analysis”

Santiago Mejia, Fordham University. “Which Duties of Beneficence Should Elected Officials Fulfill on Behalf of Citizens?”

Historical Crimes and Reparations

Eric Bayruns Garcia, California State University, San Bernadino. “Vindicating Cross-Generational Blame: Why Protesters Appropriately Topple and Deface Statues of Christopher Columbus and Robert E. Lee”

Michael Cairo, Independent Scholar. “The Crimes of Our Ancestors”

Agency, Identity, and Virtue

Kyle Cornell, Binghamton University. “Against Valuing Rational Agency”

Katherine Brichacek, Loyola University Chicago. “Virtue Ethics and Anti-Racist Pedagogy”

Jake Earl, ICON Government and Health Solutions. “Nonidentity and the Moral Horizon”

Transformative and Alternative Justice

Michael Buckley, Lehman College, CUNY and Chiquita Williams. “Transformative Justice as Revolutionary Praxis in Urban Education”

Marie Kerguelen Feldblyum Le Blevenec, Boston University. “Do Victims of Injustice Have a Fairness-Based Duty to Resist Them?”

Margaret Ann Fife, City University of New York. “Hope and Alternative Justice Models”

Sarah Clark Miller, Penn State University. “Reinventing Sexual Justice”

Spectacle, Sport, and Masculinity

Aaron Harper, West Liberty University. "A Realist Account of Cheating in Sport"

Abigail K. Iturra, Northwestern University. "The Imaginal as Spectacle"

Karina Andrea Ortiz Villa, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona. "Construyendo Masculinidad: The Oppression of Men in the United States"

Emotions and Virtues

Alec Sault, University of Victoria. "Emotion and Expectation"

Christine Wieseler, California State Polytechnic University Pomona. "Hope Labor, Self-Care, and Anger in Precarious Academic Employment"

Amy McKiernan, Dickenson College; Elspeth Campbell, Johns Hopkins University. "Queering Courage: Beyond the Hero, Martyr, Savior, and Protector."

Socialism, Marxism, and Political Polarization

Alec Stubbs, Loyola University Chicago. "Prefigurative Politics for a Viable Socialism"

Manuel Clancett, Leuphana University. "The Tensional Dimension between Proletariat and Working-Class: The Critical Potential of Marxian Concepts"

Katy Fulfer, University of Waterloo and Rita A. Gardiner, Western University. "The will to change? Politics, policies, and praxis"

Scapegoating and Social Norms

Celia Edell, McGill University. "The Cyclical Nature of Structural Scapegoating"

Laura Engel, University of Minnesota Duluth. "Understanding Adaptive Preferences through the Examination of Social Norms"

Laura Kane, Worcester State University. "Capturing the Nuance of Social Reality"

Anastasiia D. Grigoreva, Georgia State University. "Catcalling as Dispositional Misogyny: Locating Catcalling within the Discourse on Patriarchy-Enforcing Speech"

War and Revolution

David K. Chan, University of Alabama at Birmingham. “Ending War Justly”

Oscar A. Ralda, University of Oregon. “Reconsidering Revolution: Normative Justification and the Problem of Necessity”

Polarization and Unjust Privilege

Jessica Maria Vargas Gonzales, Binghamton University. “Why is engaging with our non-ideal selves important for understanding how political polarization works?”

Alex Gillham, St. Bonaventure University. “Against the Counterfactual Comparative Account: Loss of Unjust Privilege Does Not Harm”

Ethics of Care, Medicine, and Intersectionality

Maurice Hamington, Portland State University. “The Radical Social Implications of A Commitment to Care”

Laura Specker Sullivan, Fordham University. “Varieties of Distrust: A Normative Taxonomy for Medicine”

Youjin Kong, Oregon State University. “Intersectional Feminist Theory as a Non-Ideal Theory”

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