

The Ohio State University Undergraduate Philosophy Conference - 2012

All Events will be held in the Round Room at the Ohio Union

Friday, May 11th

8:00 – 9:00 a.m. – Opening Reception

9:00 – 10:00 a.m. – “A Global Feminism: Recognizing the Versatility of Feminist Inquiry” – Methawee Manupipatpong (College of Wooster)

10:00 – 11:00 a.m. – “Dennett, Spinoza, and the Origin of a Free Consciousness” – Stephen Hanson (Duquesne University)

11:00 – Noon – “Memory, Self, and Why We Are Conscious” – Sebastian Orlander (Miami University)

Noon – 1:00 p.m. – LUNCH

1:00 – 2:00 p.m. – “Uncharacteristically Virtuous? A Character Based Account of Virtuous Action” – Beth Dwyer (Otterbein University)

2:00 – 3:00 p.m. – “A New Flavor of Reductionism in Normative Ethics: Parfit, Mill and the Underlying Thread of a Temporal Agent” – Jeff Carroll (The Ohio State University)

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. – “On *Form* in the *Tractatus Logico-Philosophicus*” – Andrew Smith (University of Florida)

4:00 PM *Graduate Student Spotlight*: Teresa Kouri – “Indistinguishability in Physics and Math”

5:00 PM *Keynote Address*: Professor Robert Kraut (Ohio State University) – “No Exit”

Saturday, May 12th

9:00 – 10:00 a.m. – “Aristotle’s *De Interpretatione* 9” – Alison Mirin (Mills College)

10:00 – 11:00 a.m. – “Indeterminacy and the Object of Consensus of Public Reason” – Skyler Martin (The Ohio State University)

11:00 – Noon – “Husserl and the Argument from Analogy” – Aaron Salomon (Reed College)

Noon – 1:00 p.m. – LUNCH

1:00 – 2:00 p.m. – “Plato Against Nominalism: An Examination of Anti-Nominalistic Arguments” – Jordan Ueberroth (Michigan State University)

2:00 – 3:00 p.m. – “Negative Nominals and Would-Be Counterfactual Dependence: A Defense of Binary Causation” – Evan West (Michigan State University)

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. – “Being as Being with: Toward A Heterological Ontology in David Bohm’s Approach to Quantum Theory” – Thomas Piolata (Saint Louis University)

4:00 – 4:30 p.m. – Closing Remarks