

# Philosophy Circle

2014-2015

Bi-Weekly Meetings  
Wednesdays 6:00– 7:30 PM  
September 2014-May 2015

Philosophy Department  
Conference Room 150.33

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED

## AUTUMN QUARTER

Wednesday, September 17, 2014, 6:00-7:30

*"How to Make the Abstract Practical"*

Presented by: Sajad Husain

Wednesday, October 1, 2014, 6:00-7:30

*"Theory and Practice "*

Presented by: Kevin Thompson

Wednesday, October 15, 2014, 6:00-7:30

*"Preparing your Graduate School Application"*

Presented by: Peg Birmingham

Wednesday, October 29, 2014, 6:00-7:30

*"The Beautiful and the Sublime"*

Presented by: Avery Goldman

## WINTER QUARTER

Wednesday, January 14, 2015, 6:00-7:30

*"The Temporality of the Polis in Aristotle's Politics"*

Presented by: Sean Kirkland

Wednesday, January 28, 2015, 6:00-7:30

*"Careers for Philosophy Majors"*

Presented by: Michael Naas

Wednesday, February 11, 2015, 6:00-7:30

*"Living in the material world "*

Presented by: Bill Martin and Rick Lee

Wednesday, February 25, 2015, 6:00– 7:30

*"Psychoanalysis and Neuroscience "*

Presented by: Elizabeth Rottenberg

Wednesday, March 11, 2015, 6:00-7:30

*"The Morality of Military Annexation: Russia, the Middle East and the Coming Struggle for Global Order"*

Presented by: Jason Hill

## SPRING QUARTER

Wednesday, April 8, 2015, 6:00-7:30

DUOS SCOLARSHIP AWARDEES:

I. *"On the Kantian Legacy of Adorno's Negative Dialectic"*

Presented by: Daniel Pepe & Rebecca Valeriano-Flores

II. *"Fichte and Nietzsche: Selfhood, Creativity, Intersubjectivity"*

Presented by: Evan Edwards & John Paul

Wednesday, April 22, 2015, 6:00-7:30

**CREATING KNOWLEDGE ESSAY AWARD PRESENTATION**

*"Something to be Done: Political Agency, Materialism and Aesthetic Theory in Samuel Beckett"*

Presented by: Jordan Weber

Wednesday, May 6, 2015, 6:00-7:30

DUOS SCOLARSHIP AWARDEES:

I. *"The Problem of Transcendence in Kant and Heidegger"*

Presented by: Guccal Pular & Shuang Goh

II. *"Being and Letting-Be in Eckhart and in Reiner Schürmann's Les Origines"*

Presented by: Ian Moore & Hajrije Kolimja

III. *"Race, Gender and Capitalism: Social Reproductive Feminism from the 1970s to Present"*

Presented by: Ashley Bohrer & Mary Fanslow

Wednesday, May 20, 2015, 6:00-7:30

DUOS SCOLARSHIP AWARDEES:

I. *"Merleau-Ponty and the Problem of Anthropocentrism"*

Presented by: JD Singer & Kelsey Becker

II. *"The Truth in Laughter: An Examination of the Role of Humor in the Philosophies of G.W.F. Hegel and F. Schlegel and Its Application to the Landscape of Contemporary Stand-Up"*

Presented by: Karolin Mirzakhani & Molly Dannenberg