

Ancient Philosophy Society

Fifteenth Annual Independent Meeting

University of Kentucky & Transylvania University, Lexington, KY

April 9–12, 2015

Call for Papers

Submission Deadline: Monday December 1, 2014. Papers in English on any topic in Ancient Greek and Roman Philosophy are welcome. There is a 3,000 word maximum for submissions, which should be prepared for blind review. Before submitting your paper by email, please see the full guidelines for submissions at WWW.ANCIENTPHILOSOPHSOCIETY.ORG.

Email papers to: SUBMISSIONS@ANCIENTPHILOSOPHSOCIETY.ORG.

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Keynote Speakers

- **Mitchell Miller**, Professor of Philosophy, Emeritus, Vassar College
- **John Sallis**, Frederick J. Adelmann S.J. Professor of Philosophy, Boston College
- **Katja Vogt**, Professor of Philosophy, Columbia University

Book panel on Ruby Blondell's *Helen of Troy: Beauty, Myth, Devastation*

- **Ruby Blondell**, Professor of Classics, University of Washington
- **Patricia Fagan**, Associate Professor of Classics, University of Windsor
- **David Konstan**, Professor of Classics, New York University
- **Mark Munn**, Professor of Ancient Greek History and Greek Archaeology, Pennsylvania State University



The Ancient Philosophy Society was established to provide a forum for diverse scholarship on ancient Greek and Roman texts. Honoring the richness of the American and European philosophical traditions, the Ancient Philosophy Society supports phenomenological, postmodern, Anglo-American,

Straussian, Tubingen School, hermeneutic, psychoanalytic, queer, and feminist interpretations of ancient Greek and Roman philosophical and literary works. Within the larger aim of assessing and the meaning and significance of ancient texts, the society is intended to serve as a site for

critical engagement among these various schools of interpretation and to encourage creative and rigorous independent readings. For additional information and to download a complete program, please visit ancientphilosophysociety.org.



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15th Annual Meeting
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Thursday, April 9
Carnegie Center

- 9:00-10:00 **Richard Dworin** (Bellarmine University), “Beauty and Subjectivity in Sappho 16”
Vince Tafolla, Independent
- 10:00-11:00 **Giancarlo Tarantino** (Loyola University, Chicago), “Phronesis in Heraclitus?”
Jessica Mayock, California State University at San Marcos
- 11:00-12:00 **Joseph Zehner** (University of Virginia), “Contemporary Panpsychism in Empedocles”
Cameron Coates, DePaul University
- 12:00-2:00 Lunch
- 2:00-3:00 **Michael Augustin** (UC Santa Barbara), “The Sceptic’s Beliefs”
Jeff Gower, Wabash College
- 3:00-4:00 **Robin Weiss** (American University in Cairo), “Stoic Utopia: The Efficacy of Friendship in Creating the Ideal Society”
Nathan Gilbert, University of Toronto
- 4:00-5:00 **Ian Hensley** (Cornell University), “On the Separability or Inseparability of the Stoic Principles”
Simon Shogry, Princeton University

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5:00-5:15 Break

KEYNOTE

5:15-6:45 **Katja Vogt** (Columbia University), "The Good is the Good Life"

Reception at Carnegie Center

Friday, April 10
Carnegie Center

8:30–9:30 **Brian Marrin** (Boston College), "What's Next in Plato's *Cleitophon*? Self-Knowledge, Instrumentality, and Means without End"
James Ambury, King's College

9:30–10:30 **Rachel Elliott** (University of Guelph), "Ownness, Body, and Affect in Plato's *Republic*"
Anne-Marie Schultz, Baylor University

10:30-1045 Break

10:45-11:45 **Andy German** (Ben Gurion University), "*Chronos, Psuchē and Logos in Plato's Euthydemus*"
Claire Griffin, Pennsylvania State University

11:45-12:45 **Mark Sentesy** (Pennsylvania State University), "The *Protagoras* on Nature and Human Community"
David Kaufman, Transylvania University

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12:45-2:15 Lunch

2:15–3:15 **Marta Jimenez** (Emory University),
"Empeiria in Plato's Gorgias"
John Russon, University of Guelph

3:15-4:15 **Rebecca Bensen-Cain** (Oklahoma State
University), *"Making Sense of the Malice Argument"*
Pascal Massie, Miami University of Ohio

4:15-5:30 **Book Session w/ Ruby Blondell, Patricia
Fagan, David Konstan, Mark Munn**

5:30-5:45 Break

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5:45-7:00 **Mitchell Miller** (Vassar College), "The
'Unwritten Teachings' in the Philebus"

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Saturday, April 11
Carnegie Center

- 9:00-10:00 **Ömer Aygün** (Galatasaray University),
“Aristotle At Work: Method in *Generation of Animals*, III.10”
I-Kai Jeng, Boston University
- 10:00–11:00 **Scott O'Connor** (New Jersey City University),
“The Generation & Destruction of Matter in *Physics I.9*”
Caleb Cohoe, St. Louis University
- 11:00–12:00 **Adriel M. Trott** (Wabash College), “Vital Heat’s
Role in Sexual Difference in Aristotle’s *Biology*”
Holly Moore, Luther College
- 12:00–2:15 Lunch – Business Meeting
- 2:15-3:15 **Thanassis Samaras** (University of
Georgia), “The Public and the Private in
Aristotle’s Theory of Gender”
Patricia Fagan, University of Windsor
- 3:15-4:15 **Ian McCready-Flora** (St. Louis University),
“Protagoras in *Metaphysics Iota*”
Michael Shaw, Utah Valley University

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4:15-5:15 **Sean Kirkland** (DePaul University), “On the Ontological Primacy of the Πρός Τι in Aristotle’s *Politics* and the ‘Birth’ of the Ζῶον Πολιτικόν”
Eli Diamond, Dalhousie University

5:15-5:30 Break

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5:30-7:00 **John Sallis** (Boston College), “The Span of Memory: On Plato’s *Theaetetus*”
Banquet at Plantory

Sunday, APRIL 12
Hilton Hotel, Salon D

10:00-12:00 **Gina Zavota** (Kent State University), “Plotinus’ ‘Reverse’ Platonism: A Deleuzian Response to the Problem of Emanation”
Michael Wiitala, Grand Valley State University

11:00-1:00 **Paul DiRado** (University of Kentucky), “*Theaetetus*’ Definition of Incommensurability as Power”
Jeremy Bell, Emory University