

2011 Mississippi Philosophical Association Annual Meeting

EXPERIMENTAL PHILOSOPHY AND ITS CRITICS: SURVEYS, NATURALISM, AND TRADITION

All Sessions will be held in Colvard Student Union, Room 329

Standard Technology options will be available (computer and projector)

Friday, October 7

10:00-10:50 *Presidential Address*

"Lessons for Experimental Philosophers from the Rise and Fall of Neurophilosophy"
John Bickle, Mississippi State University

11:00-11:50 "Cross-Cultural Disagreement and Objective Moral Truth"
C.D. Meyers, University of Southern Mississippi

12:00-2:00 Lunch [1:30-2, MPA Business Meeting]

2:00-2:50 "The Truth about Men and Women and 'Truth'"
Robert Barnard and Joseph Ulatowski, University of Mississippi

3:00-3:50 "Why Experimental Philosophers Should Focus on Consciousness"
Mike Bruno, Mississippi State University

4:00-5:30 *Keynote Address*

"Lab-bench vs. Armchair: How to Keep Score in the Game of Thrones"
Jonathan Weinberg, University of Arizona

6:00-7:00 College of Arts & Sciences Happy Hour, Zorba's Restaurant

Saturday, October 8

9:00-9:50 "Experiment without Empiricism: Occult Practices in (and for)
Experimental Philosophy"
Lynn Holt, Mississippi State University

10:00-10:50 "Revisionism's Experimental Evidence"
Chris Weigel, Utah Valley University

11:00-11:50 "Moral Intuitions: Are Philosophers Experts?"
Kevin Tobia, Rutgers; Wesley Buckwalter, CUNY; and Stephen Stich, Rutgers

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-1:50 “Implications of Experimental Philosophy for Normative Ethics”
Daniel G. Jenkins, Montgomery College--Takoma Park/Silver Spring

2:00-2:50 “Experimental Philosophy: The Appearance of Naturalism and the Assumption of Competence”
Kaija Mortensen, Davidson College

3:00-3:50 “The Philosophy and Psychology of Moral Conviction”
Kellen Mrkva, University of Notre Dame

4:00-4:50 “ICIng on the Cake: A Theory of the a Priori, with Implications for Experimental Philosophy”
Joshua Thurow, Mount Marty College

5:00-5:50 “Is empirical research relevant to philosophical conclusions?”
Erik Angner, University of Alabama-Birmingham

7:00 Dinner Reception