

WCPA 2005 PROGRAMME

Friday, 7 October 2005

REGISTRATION: Mezzanine level, 6-10 PM

COFFEE: Mezzanine level, 7-8 PM

BOOK DISPLAY: LaVérendrye room (at the rear), 6-10 PM

	Taché	Salon A	Salon C	Gateway	La Vérendrye
7 – 8 PM	"Getting the Baseline Right: Or Why I'm Right and Everyone Else is Wrong, in Each of the Two Senses of 'Why'" S: Paul Viminiz (Lethbridge) C: Allen Habib (St. Cloud)	"Law and Theory in Social and Natural Science" S: Donald Poochigian (UND) C: Paul Daniels (Manitoba)	"Hypergunk and Inaccessible Fictionalism" S: Sam Cowling (Manitoba) C: Joshua Spencer (Rochester)	"History and Oppression" S: Kira Tomsons (Manitoba) C: Marie-Eve Morin (Winnipeg)	"The Russellian Proposal and Meinong Plus: De facto and De Jure Determinants of Truth-values" S: Yoshiki Kobasigawa (Calgary) C: Max Weiss (SFU)
8 – 9 PM	"What is a Crime?" S: Roger Shiner (UBC Okanagan) C: Mark Capustin (Manitoba)	"Epistemic Compatibilism: Reconciling Externalism and Internalism?" S: Eric Dayton (Saskatchewan) C: Anthony Kulic (Waterloo)	"Actually Existing Anti-Realism and Intuitionistic Logic" S: Dave DeVidi (Waterloo) S: Nancy Davies (Waterloo) C: Ray Jennings (SFU)	Author meets critics <i>Hume's Virtue: Feeling and Fabrication</i> (OUP, forthcoming) A: Rachel Cohon (SUNY Albany) C: Charlotte Brown (UI Wesleyan) C: Rob Shaver (Manitoba)	Work in progress "The Alethic Conception of Culpability" A: Gideon Rosen (Princeton) C: Ben Caplan (Manitoba) C: Gurpreet Rattan (Toronto) C: Tim Schroeder (Manitoba) C: Ori Simchen (UBC)
9 – 10 PM	"Legal Authority in the Circumstances of Politics" S: Mark Capustin (Manitoba) C: Bryan Peeler (Manitoba)	"The Empirical Basis to Skepticism" S: Robert Hudson (Saskatchewan) C: Chris Tillman (Rochester)	"Wittgenstein's Secreted Remarks on Gödel" S: Victor Rodych (Lethbridge) C: Peter Hanks (Minnesota)		

Saturday, 8 October 2005 (EARLY)

REGISTRATION: Mezzanine level, 8:00 AM – 1:30 PM

BOOK DISPLAY: LaVérendrye room (at the rear), 8:00 AM - 7 PM

	Taché	The Club Boardroom	Gateway	La Vérendrye	The Club
9 – 10 AM	"Arguments for Nonconceptual Content" S: Jeff Speaks (McGill) C: Jill McIntosh (SFU)	"What Objects Compute: Neither All Nor Nothing" S: Darren Abramson (Dalhousie) C: Brian van den Broek (Manitoba)	"Concepts and Counterparts: Making Room for Transworld Identity in Leibniz's Early Metaphysics" S: Dave McElhoses (Manitoba) C: Chloe Armstrong (Victoria)	"A Novel Category of Vague Abstracta" S: Jeff Goodman (James Madison) C: Mark Barber (Syracuse)	"Leave Me Out Of It: <i>De Re</i> , But Not <i>De Se</i> , Imaginative Engagement With Fiction" S: Peter Alward (Lethbridge) C: Laurel Ralston (Alberta)
10:00 – 10:30 AM	Coffee: Mezzanine level				
10:30 – 11:30 AM	"Are Wedding Vows Promises to the Spouse?" S: Allen Habib (St. Cloud) C: Sandra Tomsons (Winnipeg)	"A Defense of Fodor's Account of Concepts" S: Jesse Tomalty (Concordia) C: Brendan Ritchie (Manitoba)	"Hume Abandons the Separability Principle" S: Glen Koehn (UMD University College) C: George Belic (Alberta)	"Actualist Essentialism and General Possibilities" S: Ori Simchen (UBC) C: Ben Caplan (Manitoba)	Author meets critics <i>Sight and Sensibility: Evaluating Pictures</i> (OUP, 2005) A: Dom Lopes (UBC) C: Carl Matheson (Manitoba) C: James Young (Victoria)
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	"Marriage and Morality" S: Elizabeth Brake (Calgary) C: Joyce Jenkins (Manitoba)	"The Biology of Language and the Topic of Reference" S: Ray Jennings (SFU) S: Andrew Hartline (SFU) C: Nicolas Bulot (UBC)	"The Myth of Hume's Compatibilism" S: Ted Morris (UI Wesleyan) C: Michael Stack (Manitoba)	"Two Defenses of Composition as Identity" S: Paul Hovda (Reed) C: Gabriel Uzquiano (OSU)	
12:30 – 1:30 PM	Lunch				
1:30 – 2:30 PM	"Love and Egoicity" S: Michael Kubara (Lethbridge) C: Sam Cowling (Manitoba)	"Categorical Imperatives, External Reasons, and Moderate Practical Realism" S: Gordon Davis (Carleton) C: Scott Howard (Toronto)	"A Promise Made is a Debt Unpaid: On Promising in <i>On the Genealogy of Morality</i> , Essay Two" S: Mark Migoti (Calgary) C: Al McLuckie (Alberta)	"Presentism and Singular Propositions" S: Marie Pannier (St. Thomas) C: David Sanson (OSU)	"Imagination as a Primary Mode of Thinking: A Developmental Claim" S: Scotia Bucan (Saskatchewan) C: Tim Racine (Psychology, Manitoba)
2:30 – 3:00 PM	Coffee: Mezzanine level				

Saturday, 8 October 2005 (LATE)

	The Club				
3 – 4 PM	Keynote address "Nominalism and Metaphysical Realism" Gideon Rosen (Princeton)				
	Taché	The Club Boardroom	Gateway	La Vérendrye	The Club
4 – 5 PM	"Sex Under Pressure: Jerks, Boorish Behaviour, and Gender Hierarchy" S: Scott Anderson (UBC) C: Janet Wesselius (Alberta)	"Presumption of Identity and Weak-Aboutness: Bach and Dennett on Belief Attributions" S: Andrew Stumpf (Waterloo) C: Kirstie Laird (SFU)	"Contextualism, Iterated Attitudes, and Generality" S: Chris Tillman (Rochester) C: Catherine Manoukian (Toronto)	Author meets critics <i>Seeing, Doing, and Knowing: A Philosophical Theory of Sense Perception</i> (OUP, 2005) A: Mohan Matthen (UBC) C: Fred Adams (Delaware) C: Rob Wilson (Alberta)	Not available
5 – 6 PM	"On the Possibility of Justifying Disability Rights Claims" S: Marika Warren (Toronto) C: May Yoh (Brandon)	"The Fragility of Frege's Problem" S: Kevan Edwards (Rutgers) C: Nicole Wyatt (Calgary)	"Contextualism about 'Can' and Moral Obligations" S: Joshua Spencer (Rochester) C: Paul Hovda (Reed)		

BANQUET: The Club, 7 P.M.

UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA PHILOSOPHY DEPARTMENT RECEPTION: Department Head Carl Matheson's home (22 Middlegate), 9:30 P.M.

Sunday, 9 October 2005

REGISTRATION: Mezzanine level, 8:30 AM – 10:30 AM

BOOK DISPLAY: LaVérendrye room (at the rear), 9 AM - 2 PM

	Taché	The Club Boardroom	Gateway	La Vérendrye	The Club
9 – 10 AM	"From <i>Locus Neoclassicus</i> to <i>Locus Rattus</i> : Notes on Laughter, Comprehensiveness, and Titillation" S: Karl Pfeifer (Saskatchewan) C: Donovan Hulse (Florida)	"Propositional Acts and Semantic Theory" S: David Johnston (Victoria) C: Seyyed Mousavian (Alberta)	"Natural Philosophy and Religious Arguments: Bentley's Invocation of the New Philosophy in Proofs of God's Existence" S: Jack MacIntosh (Calgary) C: Jack Bailey (Manitoba)	"Indeterminacy, <i>A priority</i> , and Analyticity in the Quinean Critique" S: Gurpreet Rattan (Toronto) C: Martin Hahn (UBC)	"Simultaneity and Change in a Relativistic Universe" S: Kent Peacock (Lethbridge) C: Alexandre Korolev (UBC)
10:00 – 10:30 AM	Coffee: Mezzanine level				
10:30 – 11:30 AM	"Underdetermination and the Argument from Indirect Confirmation" S: Sorin Bangu (Toronto) C: Steve Russell (Toronto)	"A Curious Thing about Cause" S: Ray Jennings (SFU) S: Jeanette MacLean (SFU) C: Bryson Brown (Lethbridge)	"A Flaw in Millican's <i>The One Fatal Flaw in Anselm's Argument</i> " S: Cynthia Read (McGill) C: Martin Tweedale (Alberta)	Philosophy in the schools Organizer: Danielle Brown (OISE/Toronto)	Author meets critics <i>Inconsistency, Asymmetry, and Non-Locality: A Philosophical Investigation of Classical Electrodynamics</i> (OUP, 2005) A: Matthias Frisch (UMD College Park) C: Steven Savitt (UBC) C: Gordon Belot (Pittsburgh)
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	"An Event of First-Rate Importance: How Wittgenstein Defeated Russell's Multiple Relation Theory of Judgment" S: Peter Hanks (Minnesota) C: Phil Hanson (SFU)	"Aristotle on Learning, Knowledge and Meno's Paradox in <i>Posterior Analytics</i> I 1" S: David Bronstein (Toronto) C: Phil Corkum (Alberta)	"On Gödel's Ontological Proof" S: Howard Sobel (Toronto) C: Dave DeVidi (Waterloo)		
12:30 – 1:00 PM	Break				
1 – 2 PM	"The Elementary Teacher as a Moral Authority" S: Danielle Brown (OISE/Toronto) C: Arthur Schafer (Manitoba)	"The Transition from the Lower to the Higher Mysteries of Love in Plato's <i>Symposium</i> " S: Cristina Ionescu (Regina) C: Michael Kubara (Lethbridge)	"Goodman's Only World" S: Vladan Djordjevic (Alberta) C: Adam Sennet (Rutgers)	"Achilles and Van Fraassen" S: Bryson Brown (Lethbridge) C: Joe LoVetri (Manitoba)	"The Limits of Predictability: Laplace's Demon Goes Quantum" S: Alexandre Korolev (UBC) C: Patrick McGivern (Alberta)