Program At-A-Glance

Wednesday, July 25

AAPT Members Board Meeting

Wednesday, 6:00 – 8:45
Academic Classroom Building, Room 211

Thursday, July 26

Convocation

Thursday, 8:30am
ACB Auditorium

Session #1

Thursday, 9:00-10:30am

A. Rory E. Kraft, Jr. and Kevin Hermberg, “Social Justice in the Philosophy Classroom”
B. Morgan Thompson, “Making Introductory Philosophy of Science Courses More Inclusive”
C. Kristin Seemuth Whaley, “Fostering an Active Learning Environment in the Philosophy Classroom”
D. Alfredo Mac Laughlin, “Philosophy Quest! and ‘Time Quest!’ – Teaching Philosophy with Role-Playing Games”
E. Robert Leib, “Teaching the Philosophy of Images using The Photographer’s Playbook”

Session #2

Thursday, 10:45-11:45am

A. Aaron Kostko, “Going Public: The Benefits and Challenges of Incorporating Civic Engagement into Philosophy Curricula”
B. Tricia Van Dyk, “Using Literature Circles to Teach Moral Philosophy in an International Context”
C. Ryan Johnson, “Eating as Philosophy”
D. Mark Battersby, “Teaching Reasoned Judgment Using a Dialectical Argument Table”
E. Adam Hauptfeld, “Folk Theories of Concepts in The Classroom”

Session #3

Thursday, 1:00-2:30pm

A. Giancarlo Tarantino, Claire Lockard, and Stephen Bloch-Schulman, “Interpretation as a Public Act: Interpreting the Signature Pedagogies of Reading in Philosophy”
B. Rebecca Scott, “Creativity and the Inclusive Classroom”
C. Jennifer Mulnix and Alida Liberman, “Lessons from an Unsupported Learning Activity and How to Better Support Student Success”
D. Kristina Grob, “My Students Write Every Day and They Actually Like It”
E. Mark Selzer, “The Universal Schema: How to Teach Students Key Differences and Implications of Competing Theories"
Session #4 Thursday, 2:45-3:45pm

*P* A. Kristin Schaupp, “The Benefits and Challenges of Pairing Philosophy, Psychology And Economics” ACB 107
B. Justin Kalef, “The Diversity Game” ACB 108
C. Dennis Earl, “What can be Lost in Making Critical Thinking Central in Philosophy Courses, and Is it Worth It?” ACB 109
D. Allyson Mount, “A Multi-Step ‘Autobiography in Logic’ Assignment” ACB 210
E. David Kite and Alfonso Capone, “Philosophy and the Inquiry Method” ACB 211
F. Andre de Avillez, “Not Quite Pre-College, Not Yet College-Ready: Maintaining Rigor When Teaching Dual-Credit and Unprepared Students” ACB tba

*P* Keynote Address on Public Philosophy Thursday, 4:00-5:30pm
Scott Samuelson ACB Auditorium
“Defending Humanity: On the Need for Public Philosophy”

Wine and Cheese Reception Thursday, 5:45pm
Hosted by NC A&T Philosophy Department ACB Lobby

Philosophy Trivia Thursday, 8:00pm
ACB Lobby

Friday, July 27

Session #5 Friday, 8:30-10:00am

*P* A. David Hodge, “Teaching a Pragmatic Bioethics: Making Virtue Ethics and Consequentialism Work in a Black Community” ACB 107
B. Merritt Rehn-Debraal, “Philosophy Begins in Apathy: Building Student Curiosity in Intro Courses” ACB 108
C. Rory E. Kraft, Jr., “Rethinking Pre-Class Questions” ACB 109
D. Alfredo Mac Laughlin, “Spock Meets Socrates: Teaching a Course on Philosophy and Science Fiction” ACB 210
E. J. Robert Loftis, “Confucius as a Teaching Role Model for American Philosophers” ACB 211

Session #6 Friday, 10:15-11:15am

*P* A. Leslie Miller, “Preparing Students for Philosophy: Mindfulness and Metacognition Outside of the Classroom” ACB 107
B. Chris Adamo, “Incorporating Transgender Voices into the Philosophy Classroom: A Case for Transgender Memoir” ACB 108
C. Renee Smith, “Scaffolding Deep Reading Instruction” ACB 109
E. Steven Forrester and Michael Patton, “The Cartoon Introduction to Philosophy: Cartoons and Graphic Novels in the Philosophy Classroom” ACB 211

AAPT Members Meeting Friday, 11:30-12:30pm
ACB 107
Session #7  
Friday, 1:45-3:15pm

*A* Alan Penczek, “John Dewey as an Early Proponent of Civic Engagement: Applying Dewey’s Educational Philosophy Today”
ACB 107

B. Morgan Thompson, Eva Cadavid, Stephen Bloch-Schulman, and W. David Hall, “Understanding Underrepresentation in Philosophy”
ACB 108

C. Alexandra Bradner, “Jigsaws in the Philosophy Classroom”
ACB 109

ACB 210

E. Sara Protasi, and Katy Curtis, “Teaching Ancient Greek Women Philosophers at a Small Liberal Arts College”
ACB 211

Session #8  
Friday, 3:30-4:30pm

*A* A. Karl Aho, “Teaching Intro to Philosophy as Public Philosophy”
ACB 107

B. Sarah Lublink, “This is All Bullshit: Racism and Sexism in the Classroom”
ACB 108

C. Erica Stonestreet, “Philosophy with Children: Notes from the Field”
ACB 109

D. Chelsea Richardson and Rose Holz, “How to Teach the Abortion Debate Without Setting off any Bombs: Lessons from the 1939 Dickinson-Belskie Birth Series Sculptures”
ACB 210

E. Wendy Turgeon, “Coming to a Classroom Near You: The Syllabus as Contract and Pedagogical Tool”
ACB 211

F. Landon Hedrick, “Engaging Students in the Ethics Classroom: A Problem-Based Approach”
ACB tba

G. Russell Marcus, “In Opposition to the Thesis-Driven Essay”
ACB tba

Keynote Address on the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning  
Friday, 4:45-6:15pm

Michael Sweet  
“(Title forthcoming)”
ACB Auditorium

Conference Banquet  
Friday, 6:30pm
ACB Lobby

The Presidential Address  
Following the Banquet

Andrew Mills, “Teaching General Education Students the Value of Philosophy”
ACB Lobby

Saturday, July 28

Session #9  
Saturday, 8:30-9:30am

*A* A. Daniel Massey, “Designing a Service-Learning Course in Philosophy”
ACB 107

B. Manuel Chavez, “Teaching Political Economy and Philosophy of Liberation in Intro Classes via the Simple Corn Game”
ACB 108

C. David Sackris, “Helping Students to Develop Skills to Write a Research Paper in Philosophy”
ACB 109

D. Renee Smith and Ed Perez, “Book Discussion: Make it Stick: The Science of Successful Learning”
ACB 210

E. Robin Zheng, “Write Your Own Philosophy Textbook: A Large-Scale Collaborative Class Project”
ACB 211
Session #10  
Saturday, 9:45-11:15am

*P* A. Douglas Fishel, “Teaching Philosophy in a Learning Community”  
B. Kelly Burns, “Evaluating Inclusion in Course Design and Syllabi”  
C. Sarah Donovan, Abram De Bruyn, Ariel Sykes (and Dustin Webster), “Student Engagement: How to Avoid the Zombie Effect in Your Classrooms”  
D. Zach Garrett, “Designing Video Games for Teaching Philosophy”  
E. Kelly Salsbery, “Mapping Arguments”

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Special Sessions: Speed Philosophy  
Saturday, 11:20-1:20pm

Session 1: 11:20-12:20pm  
Session 2: 12:20-1:20pm

Session #11  
Saturday, 1:30-2:30pm

*P* A. Michelle Catalano, “What Should a Course Called ‘Public Philosophy’ Be Like?”  
B. Ann Thebaut, “Promoting Equity in Educational Experiences through Transparency”  
C. Andrew Mills, Alexandra Bradner, et. al., “My Top Five: Award-Winning Philosophy Teachers Share Their Lists”  
D. Shane George, “Minds and Morals: A Narrative Method for Connecting Philosophy to Practical Considerations”  
E. Alida Liber, “Cultivating Classroom Conversation in a Culture of Quiet”  
F. Shari Prior, “Using Philosophy to Fix the World (or at Least Make It Better)”  
G. Bill Anelli, “What We Also Do Well: Marketing Philosophy to Employers and Non-Philosophy Majors”

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Session #12  
Saturday, 2:45-4:15pm

*P* A. Sarah Vitale, “Pre-College Philosophy Programs as Public Philosophy”  
B. David Concepción, “Inclusive Teaching: A Discussion of Unpopular Thoughts about Grades and Course Content”  
C. Jonathan Spelman and Patrick Croskery, “A Prisoner's Dilemma Game for Professional Ethics Courses”  
D. Kelly Salsbery, “Creative Projects in Philosophy Revisited”  
E. Juli Thorson, “Drawing for Understanding, Insight and Discovery”  
F. Patricia Agbomo, “The Extensive Group Project Method: an Approach to Teaching Philosophy to Nigerian University Students” (60 min)

Plenary Session  
Saturday, 4:30-6:00pm

2017 Philosophy Teaching Excellence Award Recipient  
Stephen Bloch-Schulman, “Question Centered Pedagogy”

Shuttles to Dinner Sites in Historic Downtown Greensboro  
Saturday, 6:15pm

Sign up Sheets at Registration

Sunday, July 29

Conference Breakfast  
Sunday, 8:00-10:00am

ACB Lobby

Special Sessions: Teaching Demonstrations  
Sunday, 10:00-12:00am

List of demonstration at Registration

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