American Association of Philosophy Teachers

"To Improve The Quality of Instruction in Philosophy At All Levels"

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

2018 Seminar on Teaching and Learning in Philosophy

Location: North Carolina A&T State University, Greensboro, NC
Date: July 25-29, 2018
Eligibility: Current Graduate Students or Recent (2016 forward) PhDs
Seminar Facilitators: David W. Concepción (Ball State University)
                              Christina Hendricks (University of British Columbia)
                              Rebecca Scott (Loyola University, Chicago)
Participants: Maximum of 20
Application Deadline: April 30, 2018

Description
Through readings and interactive experiences, seminar participants will explore issues and engage in a community of reflection in order to strengthen their pedagogical choices. Participants will study how to identify and select challenging and transformative learning goals and, by understanding the principles of integrated course design, will examine how to guide students to the successful achievement of these goals. Topics will include preparing to teach (for example, syllabus design), developing learning-centered philosophy classes, using traditional and non-traditional methods of assessment, and engaging in the scholarship of teaching and learning. The friendships and collegial relationships built here can last a lifetime.

Attendance
Participants are required to attend all sessions, which will be held each morning, July 25-29. A voluntary social gathering will take place on the evening of July 24th.

Fees & Waivers
The seminar is held in conjunction with the AAPT’s Biennial Conference. Participants are encouraged to attend the regular AAPT Conference sessions in the afternoons and evenings. The registration fee for the AAPT conference is waived for seminar participants. The cost of meals and lodging, approximately $325, and travel expenses will be the responsibility of participants. We encourage participants to solicit their departments for support.

Please see reverse side for application.
APPLICATION

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To apply please send the following two items to David W. Concepción, dwconcepcion@bsu.edu

(1) Background information
Name:
Institution:
Address:
Phone:
Email:
Summer Contact (Phone or email if different from above):
Major Fields of Interest:
Estimated Travel Expenses:

(2) A statement of interest or description of what you hope to gain from the seminar. If you have previous teaching experience, briefly describe it. (350 word limit)

(3) A brief letter of support from your Department Chair, indicating what your teaching duties will be in 2018-19.

Contact Information
• For additional information regarding the Seminar (content, application status, etc.), please contact David W. Concepción, dwconcepcion@bsu.edu
• For additional information regarding the AAPT please see the AAPT website at: http://www.philosophyteachers.org or contact Alexandra Bradner, Executive Director, alexandraboradner@gmail.com.

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