

Welcome to the 20th annual

Pitt-CMU Graduate Conference in Philosophy

Methods & Norms



March 24-25, 2018
Cathedral of Learning, 332
University of Pittsburgh

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
Saturday, March 24
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09:30-10:00 a.m. *Breakfast*

FIRST PANEL: METAPHYSICS AND PHILOSOPHY OF SCIENCE

10:00-10:55 a.m. **JAROD SICKLER (UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER):** Old-Fashioned Metaphysics

11:00-11:55 a.m. **JOHN BUNKE (UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO):** Ontology and the Aim of Linguistic Activity

12:00-1:00 p.m. *Faculty Address*

EDOUARD MACHERY (UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH, HPS):

1:00-2:30 p.m. *Lunch*

SECOND PANEL: MORAL, SCIENTIFIC, AND SOCIAL EPISTEMOLOGY

2:30-3:20 p.m. **ERIC WILKINSON (UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO):** Intuition and Moral Knowledge

3:20-4:10 p.m. **JOE WILSON (UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO, BOULDER):** Toward an Epistemology of Paleoclimate Models: The Aim of Paleoclimate Model Assessment

4:10-4:25 p.m. *Coffee*

4:30-6:00 p.m. *Keynote Address*

CONOR MAYO-WILSON (UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON): Explaining Group Behavior and Judgment Aggregation

7:00 p.m. *Conference Dinner* (Chengdu Gourmet, Squirrel Hill)

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
Sunday, March 25
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09:30–10:00 a.m. *Breakfast*

THIRD PANEL: ETHICS AND THE (FIRST) PERSON

10:00–10:55 a.m. **BIANCA WAKED (MCMMASTER UNIVERSITY):** The Persistence of Memory: Henri Bergson, Margaret Urban Walker, and the Necessity of Moral Repair

11:00–11:55 a.m. **BENJAMIN COOK (SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY):** Realism Vindicated: A Neo-Aristotelian Response to Street's Dilemma

12:00–12:55 p.m. **NICK SCHUSTER (WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY, ST. LOUIS):** The Skill Model: A Dilemma for Virtue Ethics

1:00–1:30 p.m. *Coffee*

1:30–2:30 p.m. *Faculty Address*

MICHAEL THOMPSON (UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH): Self-Predication and General Predication

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