



## 2013 EMU UCiP Notes

The 2013 conference was a great success. Thank you so much to all our speakers, many of whom traveled great distances to join us, our commenters, our organizers, and to the faculty of the philosophy section!

When all was said and done, 21 papers were presented. The papers spanned almost every branch of philosophy and covering lots of interesting ground and offered those in attendance a lot of philosophy to consider.

Four papers from the conference were published in our journal, which can be found here: [Acta Cogitata](#).

The following schools shared their students with us: Aquinas College, Calvin College, Eastern Michigan University, Grand Valley State University, Michigan State University, Montana State University - Bozeman, Portland State University, University of Michigan, University of Missouri - Columbia, University of South Florida, Youngstown State University, Hamilton College, Southern Illinois State, and Bowling Green State University. Thank you!

2013's Keynote Speaker was Dr. Deborah Mower of Youngstown State University. She is happy to continue conversations with students interested in her work. She can be contacted at [dsmower@ysu.edu](mailto:dsmower@ysu.edu).



## 2013 EMU UCiP Awards

### **Best Presentation & Paper Award**

Jordan Ueberroth (MSU), "Possible Parthood and Modal-Mereological Composition"

### **Runners Up**

Darrell E. White II (BGSU), "Obesity as Choice-Independent Harm"

Erga Lemish (ISU), "The Ethical Character from Plato to James: Strict and Stable to Flexible"

### **Spirit of the Conference Award**

Jonathon VandenHombergh (Aquinas College)