



Eastern Michigan University

# Undergraduate Conference in Philosophy 2017 Schedule

**Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 AM - 9:00 AM | Welcome**

**Tower Room (348):** Check-in and Welcome Speech

**9:00 AM - 9:50 AM | Presentations**

**Tower Room (348):**

Dylan Delikta: "Our Self Understanding Revealed through Contemporary Architecture"  
*Comments Provided By: Vanessa Thorburn*

**Alumni Room (342):**

Lydia Jane Roy: "Broken Loose: Knowledge and Ideology in John Milton's Paradise Lost and Ursula K. Le Guin's The Dispossessed"  
*Comments Provided By: Eric Shore*

**10:00 AM - 10:50 AM | Presentations**

**Tower Room (348):**

Lauren Williams: "The Chinese Room Experiment Explained"  
*Comments Provided By: Mishka Repaska*

**Alumni Room (342):**

Zakary Drabczyk: "Phenomenal Conservatism and the Belief-Appearance Problem"  
*Comments Provided By: Sarah Bruckler*

**11:00 AM - 11:50 AM | Presentations**

**Tower Room (348):**

Mahmoud Jalloh: "Authenticity and the Plurality of Identities: Online and Offline Selves"  
*Comments Provided By: Dylan Delikta*

**Alumni Room (342):**

C. Áine Keefer: "Subjectivity and Mutuality: Feminist Theology in Film"  
*Comments Provided By: Joseph Longo*

**12:00 PM - 1:30 PM | Lunch**

**Guild Room (330):** Lunch with keynote speaker *Dr. Theresa Tobin*

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1:45 PM - 2:50 PM | Activities

**Tower Room (348):**

**The Value of Graduate School Panel:** Come join professors and current graduate students as you explore what graduate school in philosophy can offer.

**Guild Hall (330):**

**Extended Question and Answer Session:** Join the keynote speaker after lunch to continue discussing the keynote presentation.

3:00 PM - 3:50 PM | Presentations

**Tower Room (348):**

Evelyn Reilly: "Freedom and Divine Providence"  
*Comments Provided By: Jaymes Dempsey*

**Alumni Room (342):**

Emily Aquino: "Morality's Independence of Piety"  
*Comments Provided By: Ilyana Ilieva*

4:00 PM - 4:50 PM | Presentations

**Tower Room (348):**

Tyler Porter: "A Necessary Extension on the Refutation of the Ontological Argument"  
*Comments Provided By: Evelyn Reilly*

**Alumni Room (342):**

Arian Kambakhsh: "Subjective Experience As What Matters in Life"  
*Comments Provided By: Emily Aquino*

5:00 PM - 5:50 PM | Presentations

**Tower Room (348):**

Zanudin Bhullar: "A Practical Demonstration of Time Traveling Paradoxes"  
*Comments Provided By: Trent McClain*

**Alumni Room (342):**

Zach Thornton: "A Remedy of Counterpart Theory"  
*Comments Provided By: Ryan Wiseman*

**Dinner on one's own: Dinner is not provided; however, local students will be dining at Tower Inn.**

**Everyone is welcome for a dinner of fellowship and philosophy!**

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## Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup>

**8:30 AM - 9:00 AM | Welcome**

**Tower Room (348):** Check-in and Welcome Speech

**9:00 AM - 9:50 AM | Presentations**

**Tower Room (348):**  
See other rooms.

**Alumni Room (342):**  
Sarah Bruckler: "Is it solipsistic in here, or is it just me?"  
*Comments Provided By: Lauren Williams*

**10:00 AM - 10:50 AM | Presentations**

**Tower Room (348):**  
Mackenzie Bouverat: "Belief, Basic Action, and Justification: Explaining Doxastic Involuntarism"  
*Comments Provided By: Isabella Carlson*

**Alumni Room (342):**  
Ilyana Ilieva: "On the Juxtaposition of Epistemologies: From Al-Ghazali to Edmund Husserl"  
*Comments Provided By: Cody Myers*

**11:00 AM - 11:50 AM | Presentations**

**Tower Room (348):**  
Cody Myers: "Feminism and Disability"  
*Comments Provided By: Mitchell DeVore*

**Alumni Room (342):**  
Gina Gaebel: "On the Liberation of all Women: Socialist Feminism and Materialist Ecofeminism"  
*Comments Provided By: Sabine Bickford*

**12:00 PM - 1:00 PM | Lunch**

**Guild Room (330):** Lunch

**1:00 PM - 1:50 PM | Presentations**

**Tower Room (348):**  
Wendy Wang: "Ethics of Medical Disclosure: Theory, Praxis, and Future Directions"  
*Comments Provided By: Natalie Anderson*

Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup> - Continued

**1:00 PM - 1:50 PM | Presentations, continued**

**Alumni Room (342):**

Andrew Beddow: "Freedom, Moral Territory, and Rights"

*Comments Provided By: Ashley Jordan*

**2:00 PM - 2:50 PM | Presentations**

**Tower Room (348):**

Mishka Repaska: "On Longino's Conception of Objectivity in Science"

*Comments Provided By: Blake Trinske*

**Alumni Room (342):**

Brandon Flynn: "How Morally Hazardous Circumstances Led to Financial Crisis in 2008"

*Comments Provided By: Deborah Hansen*

**3:00 PM - 3:50 PM | Presentations**

**Tower Room (348):**

Isabella Carlsson: "Risk: Not a Consequence"

*Comments Provided By: Brandon Sampson*

**Alumni Room (342):**

Hailey Hawes: "The Kantian Solution to Hegel's Primitive Problem of Mutual Recognition"

*Comments Provided By: Nathan Cox*

**4:00 PM - 4:30 PM | Closing**

**Tower Room (348):** Closing Awards