Theorizing the Body, Embodiment and Body-Practices: CSWIP, Oct 26-28, 2012
Mount Royal University
Calgary, AB

Note: Individual paper sessions are 90 minutes. Each speaker has 25 minutes to present a paper, with a 15 minute question-and-answer period following the paper; at the end of each two-paper session, there will be 10 minutes for open discussion.

Friday Oct 26

8:30   Registration and Coffee

9-10:30   Concurrent Sessions: Individual Papers

A.   Chair: Roberta Lexier (Mount Royal University)
Shelley Tremain (unaffiliated): "Genealogy, Disability, and the Very Idea of a Natural Body"
Jane Dryden (Mount Allison University): "Hegel's Bodies: Freedom and Disability in the Encyclopaedia and the Philosophy of Right"

B. Chair: Marnie Kramer-Kile (Mount Royal University)
Miranda Pilipchuk (Villanova University): "Female Bodies and Religious Authority in Foucault's Abnormal"
Dianna Taylor (John Carroll University): "Yoga: A Practice of Desubjectifization?"

C. Chair: Mary-Lee Mulholland (Mount Royal University)
Catherine Clune-Taylor (University of Alberta): "Disorder of Sex Development and Epistemic Injustice: Disciplining Intersex Embodiment"
Frances Bottenberg (Elon University): "Actions expressing emotion and the gendered body"

10:30-10:45 break

10:45-12:15   Undergraduate Student Plenary

Chair: Lorraine Markotic (University of Calgary)
        Fatima Zaghloul: "The Objectification of Beauty" (University of Calgary)
        Sophia Sideris: "Lacan's Mirror Stage and the Societal 'Ideal-I'" (University of Calgary)
        Kyle Kinaschuk: "Textual Bodies and Expressive Machines" (Mount Royal University)
        Jeffrey Ray: "Bodily Materialism Within a Difficult Ontology" (Mount Royal University)

12:15-1:30 lunch

1:30-3:15   Concurrent Sessions: Submitted Panels

A. Meaningful Miscarriages
Chair: Emily Hutchison (Mount Royal University)
Panel Members:
Kathryn J. Norlock (Trent University): "Childlessness as an intersubjective bodily identity"
Ann J. Cahill (Elon University): "Miscarriage and Intercorporeality"
Byron Stoyles (Trent University): "Miscarriage and Meaning in Reproductive Contexts"

B. Sex Killings
Chair: Carmen Nielson (Mount Royal University)
Panel Members:
Rebecca Tuvel (Vanderbilt University): "Critiquing Retrievals of Humanity: The Case of Vancouver Missing Women"
Melinda C. Hall (Vanderbilt University): "Translating Horror from Reality to the Small Screen: Doubling Disability in the Case of Robert Pickton"
Chloë Taylor (University of Alberta): "A relatively new kind of crime"

C. Towards a Politics of Ugliness
Chair: Alexis Shotwell (Carleton University)
Panel Members:
Jennifer Gartner (York University): "Ugliness as Abjection: The Cultural Abnegation of Gender Variant Bodies and the Reconceptualization of Subjectivity"
Ela Przybylo (York University): "The White Eye: Ugliness, Dirt and Disappearance"
Sara Rodrigues (York University): "From the Gallery of the Absurd: Excessive Cosmetic Surgery and the Ugliness of Unacceptable Aestheticization"

3:15-3:45 break

3:45-5:15   Concurrent Sessions: Individual Papers

A. Chair: Joanna Szabo-Hart (Mount Royal University)
Emma Kennedy (University of Alberta): "Female Passivity and Heterosexual Relationships in The Second Sex"
Talia Mae Bettcher (California State University, Los Angeles): "'Making Love/Making Meaning': 'Interpretive Intimacy' and the Moral Significance of Sexed Bodies"

B. Chair: David Boutland (University of Calgary)
Marie-Eve Morin (University of Alberta): "Jean-Luc Nancy's Corpus, or Bodies that Make Sense"
Tracey Nicholls (Lewis University): "How Big is my Body?"

C. Chair: Sinclair MacRae (Mount Royal University)
Gabrielle Jackson (University of Toronto): "A Speaking Surface or an Embodied Actor?"
Jill Fellows (University of British Columbia): "Story-Tellers and Picture Books: Extending the Narrative View of Self"

5:15-6:30 dinner

6:30-8   Keynote Lecture

Introduction: Christine Koggel (Bryn Mawr College)
Cressida J. Heyes, Canada Research Chair in Philosophy of Gender and Sexuality (University of Alberta): "The Knowing Body: Representation, Objectification, Resistance"

8-10 Reception
Official Welcoming Remarks: Ada Jaarsma (Mount Royal University)
Presentation of the Graduate Student Award: Alice MacLachlan (York University)

Saturday Oct 27

9-10:30   Concurrent Sessions: Individual Papers

A. Chair: Alice MacLachlan (York University)
Kristin Rodier (University of Alberta): "Is it Worth Thinking about Ravaisson on the Question of Feminist Resistance?"
Grace Hunt (New School for Social Research and Bard College): "Moral Phenomenology of Resistance"

B. Chair: Emily Parker (Santa Clara University)
Megan Penney (University of Guelph): "A Very Easy Death: Simone de Beauvoir, Embodiment and Medical Ethics"
Sara Cohen Shabot (Ben-Gurion University of the Negev): "Labouring with De Beauvoir: In Search of the Embodied Subject in Childbirth"

C. Chair: Gülberk Koç Maclean (Mount Royal University)
Matthew Crippen (American University, Cairo): "Bodily Bases of Dewey's Accounts of Perception and Knowledge"
Jill Cumby (York University): "Embodied Consciousness, Empathy and the Hard Problem"

10:30-10:45 break

10:45-12:15   Concurrent Sessions: Individual Papers

A. Chair: Emily Hutchison (Mount Royal University)
Samantha Brennan (The University of Western Ontario): "Can Women be Cyclists? Some Thoughts on Women's Bodies, Bicycles, and Feminism"
B. McClure (King's College London): "Thinking in movement"

B. Chair: Peter Morton (Mount Royal University)
Heidi Grasswick (Middlebury College): "How to Know Across Social Locations: Conceptualizing Responsible Trust in Science"
Anna Mudde (Campion College at the University of Regina): "'Tricky Mirrors': Diffraction and Embodiment Apparatuses"

C. Chair: Christina West (Mount Royal University)
Shelley M. Park (University of Central Florida): "Where are all the cyborg mothers?: Reflections on the posthuman maternal body"
Lorraine Markotic (University of Calgary): "Embodied Consciousness in O'Brien and Heidegger"

12:15-2   lunch and CSWIP Annual General Meeting (all welcome)

2-3:30   Concurrent Sessions: Individual Papers

A. Chair: Kimberly Williams (Mount Royal University)
Suze Berkhout (University of Toronto): "Bad Reputations: Memory, Corporeality, and the Limits of Hacking's Looping Effects"
Esa Diaz-Leon (University of Manitoba): "The Social Construction of Sexual Orientations"

B. Chair: Irene Shankar (Mount Royal University)
Devan Stahl (Saint Louis University): "Living on the Threshold of Disability"
Florentien Verhage (Washington and Lee University): "The Ways Our Bodies Work: Vulnerability and Dependence"

C. Chair: Maki Motapanyane (Mount Royal University)
Lana Kuhle (University of Toronto): "The Embodied Self"
Tracey Isaacs (University of Western Ontario): "What's a Good Vegan to Do?: The Ethics of Vegan 'Etiquette'"

 3:30-3:45   break

3:45-5:15   Concurrent Sessions: Individual Papers

A. Chair: Ann Levey (University of Calgary)
Talia Welsh (University of Tennessee at Chattanooga): "Violating the Good Health Imperative: The Ethics of Altering Bodies by Modifying Bad Health Habits"
Hande Kesgin (Villanova University): "Anorexia Nervosa: What is Left From the *Lived* Body?"

B. Chair: Duncan Maclean (Mount Royal University)
Sabrina Hom (Georgia College and State University): "Mixed-race as rhizomatic kinship: Feminist and antiracist kinships between races and generations"
Matthew Drabek (University of Iowa): "When are Ameliorative Accounts of Gender Concepts Effective?"

C. Chair: Shane Gannon (Mount Royal University)
Alice de Barros Gabriel (Universidade de Brasília): "'if you close your eyes, the girl still dances': the corporeal philosophy of Luce Irigaray"
Emily Anne Parker (Santa Clara University): "Irigaray, Beauvoir and the Ethics of Relational Singularity"

5:15-6:15 dinner

6:15-8   Plenary Session: "Work-in-Progress Session: Cressida J. Heyes"

Chair: Marnie Kramer-Kile (Mount Royal University)
Panel members:
Alexis Shotwell (Carleton University)
Ami Harbin (Oakland University)
Lisa Guenther (Vanderbilt University)
Lorraine Code (York University)

8pm Party

Sunday Oct 28

9-10:30   Concurrent Sessions: Individual Papers

A. Chair: Jarett Henderson (Mount Royal University)
Joanna Zaslow (McMaster University): "Pain, Punishment, and Control: Developing a Positive Account of Autonomy for Female Submissives in Master/Slave Relationships"
Yasemin Sari (University of Alberta): "Troubled Water of Desire and its Flow"

B. Chair: Katja Pettinen (Mount Royal University)
Suzanne M. Jaeger (York University): "Dance as a Form of Thought: Exclusiveness and Complexity"
Monique Lanoix (Appalachian State University): "Dancing the Night Away"

 C. Mentoring and Publishing Workshop
Stephen Latta (Broadview Press) and *tba*

10:30-10:45 break

10:45-12:30   Invited Interdisciplinary Plenary Session: "Schooling Bodies"

Chair: Mary-Lee Mulholland (Mount Royal University)
Panel Participants:
Mary Berube (MSW, RSW Regional Manager, Service Enhancement Government of Alberta)
Gregor Wolbring (Associate Professor, Community Rehabilitation and Disability Studies, University of Calgary)
Patricia Pardo (Manager Accessibility Services, Mount Royal University)
Emily Hutcheon (graduate student, University of Calgary)
Raymond Waldred (graduate student, University of Calgary)
Joshua St. Pierre (graduate student, University of Alberta)

12:30 lunch