

# **CANADIAN SOCIETY FOR WOMEN IN PHILOSOPHY**

**University of Victoria**

## **Global Justice, the Environment, and the Economy**

**ALL SESSIONS AND SPECIAL EVENTS--EXCEPT THE  
RECEPTION--TO BE HELD IN**

**THE DAVID STRONG BUILDING**

**FRIDAY OCTOBER 14, 2011**

**2:30pm: Registration and coffee:** David Strong Building C Wing, Lobby  
**Registration continues until 5.15 pm.**

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**3:30-5:00pm:**

**Session 1: Considering Nonhumans** David Strong Bldg, C108  
Chair: Jean Harvey, University of Guelph  
1. *Species Trouble: Gender, Activism, and the Question of the Human*,  
Chaone Mallory, Villanova University  
2. *Capabilities and the Environment Frontier*,  
James Southworth, University of Western Ontario

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**5.00-5.15pm: Coffee, refreshments**

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**5:15-6:45pm:**

**Session 2: Intersections and Boundaries of Knowledge** David Strong Bldg, C108  
Chair: Ada Jaarsma, Sonoma State University  
1. *Biomedical Imaginaries and the Epistemic Limits of Evidence in Medicine*,  
Suze Berkhout, University of British Columbia  
2. *Communicating in the Contact Zone: Transdisciplinary Collaboration in a Global Age*,  
Rachel Walker, University of Alberta

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**8:15-9.30pm: Welcoming Remarks & Special Session**

David Strong Bldg, C116

**Welcoming Remarks:**

Cindy Holder, Philosophy, University of Victoria, and James Rowe, Environmental Studies, University of Victoria

**Special Session:**

*Exploring the Root Causes of Ecological and Social Injustice*  
James Rowe and the School of Environmental Studies

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**SATURDAY OCTOBER 15th**

**8:45am: Registration and coffee:** David Strong Building C Wing, Lobby  
**Registration continues until 3.30pm.**

**9:15-10:45am: Concurrent sessions**

**Session 3A: Appetitive and Anaesthetized** David Strong Bldg, C108

Chair: Rachel Walker, University of Alberta

1. *Abnormal Appetites: Foucault and the Politics of Food,*  
Chloë Taylor, University of Alberta
2. *Feminists Checking Out: (An)Aesthetics of Neoliberal Autonomy,*  
Cressida Heyes, University of Alberta

**Session 3B: Moral Motivations and Structural Injustices**

David Strong Bldg, C112

Chair: Cathy Maloney, York University

1. *Consumerism, the Capitalist Market and Structural Oppression,*  
Jean Harvey, University of Guelph
2. *Shared Motivation in Contexts of Disaster,*  
Ami Harbin, Dalhousie University

**10:45-11:00am: Coffee, refreshments**

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**11:00-12:30pm: Concurrent sessions**

**Session 4A: Background Injustice** David Strong Bldg, C108

Chair: Jennifer Szende, Queen's University

1. *Dialogue and Justice: The Necessity of Dialogical Epistemology for Sen's "Comparative Realization,"*  
Cathy Maloney, York University
2. *Luck, Opportunity, And The Equal Moral Worth Of Persons,*  
Cynthia A. Stark, University Of Utah

**Session 4B: Performances of Vulnerability**

David Strong Bldg, C112

Chair: Sylvia Burrow, Cape Breton University

1. *Performativity and Feminist Care Ethics*,  
Maurice Hamington, Metropolitan State College of Denver
2. *Torture, Vulnerability, and the Body*,  
Laura McMahon, Villanova University

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**12:45-2:30pm: CSWIP Annual General Meeting**

David Strong Bldg, C112

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**3:00-4:30pm: Concurrent sessions**

**Session 5A: *Inhabited Relations, Habituated Bodies***

David Strong Bldg, C108

Chair: Chaone Mallory, Villanova University

1. *Feminist Philosophy of Habit*,  
Kristin Rodier, University of Alberta
2. *Embodiment and Ethical Implication*,  
Alexis Shotwell, Laurentian University

**Session 5B: *Reflecting/Reflective Relationships***

David Strong Bldg, C112

Chair: Cressida Heyes, University of Alberta

1. *Hannah Arendt, Critical Theory, and the Levelling of the University Classroom*,  
Ada Jaarsma, Sonoma State University
2. *Human Artefacts*,  
Anna Mudde, University of Regina

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**7:30-10:15pm: Keynote Address, Graduate Award, and Reception**

**Keynote Address:** David Strong Bldg, C116

**Keynote Speaker:** Laura Westra, PhD (Philosophy), PhD (Law),  
Founder of the Global Ecological Integrity Group,  
Professor Emerita, University of Windsor

**Title:** *HUMAN RIGHTS: THE COMMONS AND THE COLLECTIVE*  
Introduction: Alice MacLachlan, York University

**Graduate Award:** (David Strong Bldg, C116)  
Presented by Kathryn Norlock, Trent University

**Followed by Reception:** David Strong Bldg, C101  
**All welcome!**

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## **SUNDAY OCTOBER 16th**

**8.45-9.15am: Registration and coffee:** David Strong Bldg C Wing, Lobby  
**Registration continues until 11.00 am.**

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### **9:30-11:45am: Concurrent sessions**

#### **Session 6A: Special Panel Session, in memory of Sara Ruddick**

David Strong Bldg, C108

Chair: Anna Mudde, University of Regina

1. *Children's Caregivers: Ruddick's Maternal Thinkers and the Complexities of Paid Care,*  
Amy Mullin, University of Toronto Mississauga
2. *Academic Mothers & Politics of Resistance,*  
Sylvia Burrow, Cape Breton University
3. *Sara Ruddick and Evils,*  
Kathryn Norlock, Trent University

#### **Session 6B: Nationalism, Identities, and Cosmopolitan Alternatives**

David Strong Bldg, C112

Chair: Alexis Shotwell, Laurentian University

1. *Personal Identity in terms of National Partiality,*  
Jordan Glass, University of Alberta
2. *Identity and Locality: An Anti-Colonial Defense,*  
Michelle Switzer, Whittier College
4. *Is Global Justice Bad for Women?*  
Jennifer Szende, Queen's University

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### **12:00pm: Closing Remarks**

David Strong Bldg, C108

Amy Mullin, Professor, Department of Philosophy, &  
Vice Principal Academic and Dean, University of Toronto Mississauga

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