## Michigan State University
Department of Philosophy

### COLLOQUIA, PUBLIC LECTURES, AND FACULTY WORKS IN PROGRESS SEMINAR SERIES

**Spring 2010**

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<td>Cristina Lafont, Professor of Philosophy, Northwestern University</td>
<td><em>Pluralism and Global Justice</em></td>
<td>3:00 – 5:00 pm – 530 South Kedzie Hall</td>
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<td>Fred Rauscher, Associate Professor of Philosophy, Michigan State University</td>
<td><em>Chaos and Control: the Nature of Kant’s Practical Philosophy</em></td>
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<td>Bioethics East-West: Cross-Cultural Conversations at the Edges of Life</td>
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### Tentative Dates:

Friday / Saturday, March 26 & 27

**11th Annual Graduate Philosophy Conference**

- **Keynote speaker:**
  - Name - TBD
- **Faculty speaker:**
  - Kristie Dotson, Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Michigan State University

  **Tentative Location:** 116 Natural Science Building

  **Time:**
  - Friday, March 28: TBD
  - Saturday, March 29: TBD

### Friday, April 2

**Christian Lotz, Assoc. Professor of Philosophy, Michigan State University**

*Title: TBD*

3:00 – 5:00 p.m. – 530 South Kedzie Hall

**Faculty Works in Progress Lecture**

### Friday, April 16

**Jill Hernandez, Asst. Professor of Philosophy, University of Texas at San Antonio**

*Title: TBD*

3:00 – 5:00 p.m. – 530 South Kedzie Hall

**Faculty Works in Progress Lecture**

### Thursday - Sunday, April 22 - 25

**Ancient Philosophy Society**

- **10th Annual Independent Meeting**

  **Location:** Kellogg Hotel and Conference Center, Riverside Room

  **Thursday, April 22, 2:00-5:50:** Aristotle
  - Friday, April 23, 8:40-12:00: Plato and Aristotle
  - 2:00-5:20: Aristotle and Xenophon
  - 6:00-7:30 keynote: Thomas M. Tuozzo, Associate Professor of Philosophy, University of Kansas, “How Dynamic is Aristotle’s Efficient Cause?”

  **Saturday, April 24, 8:40-12:00:** Literature & Philosophy
  - 2:15-5:35: Plato
  - 6:00-7:30 keynote: Catherine Heldt Zuckert, Nancy Reeves Drex Professor of Political Science, University of Notre Dame, “Two Platonic Paradigms of Philosophy: Socrates and Timaeus”

  **Sunday, April 25, 8:40-12:00:** Aristotle, *de Anima*

For full program information, please visit: [http://www.ancientphilosophysociety.org/](http://www.ancientphilosophysociety.org/)

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