

# **60<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE WESTERN CANADIAN PHILOSOPHICAL ASSOCIATION**

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# SCHEDULE

## Friday, September 27

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<b>Registration</b>	3:30-5:30 pm 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Arts Tower
<b>Friday Evening Sessions</b>	4:00-5:00 pm 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Arts Tower
<b>Walter Murray lecture</b>	5:30-7:00 pm Neatby-Timlin Theatre (ARTS 241)
<b>Reception</b>	7:00-9:00 pm Neatby-Timlin Foyer (ARTS 241)

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## Saturday, September 28

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<b>Registration</b>	8:30 am-4:30 pm 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Arts Tower
<b>Saturday Morning Sessions</b>	9:00 am-12:30 pm 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Arts Tower
<b>Lunch</b>	12:30-2:00 pm
<b>Saturday Afternoon Sessions</b>	2:00-4:15 pm 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Arts Tower
<b>WCPA Keynote</b>	4:30-6:00 pm Neatby-Timlin Theatre (ARTS 241)

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**Reception**

6:00-8:00 pm  
Neatby-Timlin Foyer (ARTS 241)

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**Pub Outing**

8:00-11:00 pm  
Amigos Cantina  
806 Dufferin Ave.

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## **Sunday, September 29**

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**Sunday morning Sessions**

9:00 am- 1:45 pm  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Arts Tower

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## **Classroom Computer Conference Login**

**Username:** WCPA2024

**Password:** Philosophy

**Friday, September 27**

	ARTS 206	ARTS 208	ARTS 211	ARTS 212
4:00-5:00 PM	<p>S: Shamima Akter</p> <p>“Languages as Uncreated Abstract Objects”</p> <p>C: David Liebesman</p> <p>Ch: Peter Alward</p>	<p>S: Ian MacDonald</p> <p>“Clifford’s Duty of Inquiry”</p> <p>C: Mark Migotti</p> <p>Ch: Brian Zamilinski</p>	<p>S: Neil Campbell &amp; Gary Foster</p> <p>“What Are Reactive Attitudes?”</p> <p>C: Sarah Hoffman</p> <p>Ch: Leslie Howe</p>	<p>S: Adam Jackson</p> <p>“Synthesizing Wittgenstein and Merleau-Ponty”</p> <p>C: Jérôme Melançon</p> <p>Ch: Rochelle Doell</p>
5:00-5:30 PM	Coffee Break			
5:30-7:00 PM	<p>Walter C. Murray Keynote Speaker: Dr. Mohan Matthen, University of Toronto</p> <p>“The Perceptual Emergence of the Self”</p> <p>Neatby-Timlin Theatre (ARTS 241)</p>			

**Saturday, September 28 – Morning Sessions**

	ARTS 206	ARTS 208	ARTS 211	ARTS 212
9:00-10:00 AM	<p>S: Allesandro Fiorello</p> <p>“Free Will, Narratives, and Luck”</p> <p>C: Neil Campbell</p> <p>Ch: Dwayne Moore</p>	<p>S: Klaas Kraay</p> <p>“Anti-Theism Versus the ‘Judo Moves’”</p> <p>C: John Liptay</p> <p>Ch: Ian MacDonald</p>	<p>S: Jennifer Welchman</p> <p>“NeoHumean Normative Virtue Ethics”</p> <p>C: Ivy Madden</p> <p>Ch: Ann Levey</p>	<p>S: Miriam Khan &amp; Myron Penner</p> <p>“Epistemic Injustice, Language, and Pornography”</p> <p>C: Tim Kenyon</p> <p>Ch: Adam Jackson</p>
10:00-10:15 AM	Coffee Break			
10:15-11:15 AM	<p>S: Noa Latham</p> <p>“Free Will, Ambiguity and Value”</p> <p>C: Dwayne Moore</p> <p>Ch: Neil Campbell</p>	<p>S: Logan Ginther</p> <p>“Kant on Conflicts of Imperfect Duty”</p> <p>C: Emer O’Hagan</p> <p>Ch: Sarah Hoffman</p>	<p>S: Miyu Bao</p> <p>“Moral Reactive Attitudes and General Points of View”</p> <p>C: Eldon Soifer</p> <p>Ch: John Liptay</p>	<p>S: Setareh Ezzatabadi</p> <p>“Norms, Motivations and Structures”</p> <p>C: Adam Jackson</p> <p>Ch: Miriam Khan</p>
11:15-11:30 AM	Coffee Break			
11:30 AM-12:30 PM	<p>S: Dwayne Moore</p> <p>“Libertarian Free Will, Event Causation, and Agent Causation”</p> <p>C: Noa Latham</p> <p>Ch: Gary Foster</p>	<p>S: Tim Kenyon</p> <p>“Paley’s Principle: What Do Sceptics Owe?”</p> <p>C: Ian MacDonald</p> <p>Ch: Klaas Kraay</p>	<p>S: Eldon Soifer &amp; David Elliott</p> <p>“Does Big Data Eliminate Privacy?”</p> <p>C: Ann Levey</p> <p>Ch: Will Buschert</p>	<p>S: Jintao Liang</p> <p>“Civil Disobedience as Democratic Praxis of Resistance: Reconceiving the Spatial Dimension of the Polis with Arendt and Butler”</p> <p>C: Susan Dieleman</p> <p>Ch: Myron Penner</p>

**Saturday, September 28 – Afternoon Sessions**

	ARTS 206	ARTS 208	ARTS 211	ART 212
2:00-3:00 PM	<p>Symposium on Social Ontology</p> <p>Ch: David Liebesman</p> <p>S: Jennifer Wang</p> <p>“A Social Constructionist Account of Rén (仁) in the Analects”</p>	<p>S: Christina Leach</p> <p>“The Role of Values in Psychiatric Taxonomy”</p> <p>C: Sarah Hoffman</p> <p>Ch: Emer O’Hagan</p>	<p>S: Samuel Collins-Besko</p> <p>“What Audiences Want and Owe: Actual Intentionalism’s Discontents”</p> <p>C: Peter Alward</p> <p>Ch: Chloe Stainbrook</p>	<p>S: Sophia Kimiagari</p> <p>“Towards a Feminist Philosophy of Logic”</p> <p>C: Paul Simard-Smith</p> <p>Ch: Derek Postnikoff</p>
3:00-3:15 PM	S: Megan Stotts	Coffee Break		
3:15-4:15 PM	<p>“A Behavioral Theory of Social Institutions”</p> <p>S: David Liebesman</p> <p>“Establishments and Uniformity”</p>	<p>S: Mark Migotti</p> <p>“Fallibilism Then and Now”</p> <p>C: Robert Hudson</p> <p>Ch: Christina Leach</p>	<p>S: Ivy Madden</p> <p>“Genres as Perspectives”</p> <p>C: Samuel Collins-Besko</p> <p>Ch: Peter Alward</p>	<p>S: Gillman Payette &amp; Nicole Wyatt</p> <p>“Logic as Metrology”</p> <p>C: Derek Postnikoff</p> <p>Ch: Paul Simard-Smith</p>
4:15-4:30 PM	Coffee Break			
4:30-6:00 PM	<p>2024 WCPA Keynote Speaker: Dr. Ishtiyaque Haji, University of Calgary</p> <p>“Forgiveness, Blameworthiness, and Impermissibility”</p> <p>Neatby-Timlin Theatre (ARTS 241)</p>			

**Sunday, September 29**

	ARTS 206	ARTS 208	ARTS 211	ARTS 212
9:00-10:00 AM	<p>Symposium on Canadian Philosophy</p> <p>Ch: Eric Wilkinson</p> <p>S: Jérôme Melançon</p> <p>“Indian Residential Schools and the Question of Philosophy in Canada”</p>	<p>S: Ayushi Khemka</p> <p>““Racial Mixing” in India: Limits of Anzaldua in a Hindutva Regime”</p> <p>C: Jintao Liang</p> <p>Ch: Mohammad Shokri</p>	<p>S: Emily Schneider</p> <p>“Brains on Trial: Assessing the Admissibility of Neuroimaging Data in the Courtroom”</p> <p>C: Allen Habib</p> <p>Ch: Neha Nandakumar</p>	<p>S: Cameron Cattell</p> <p>“Decision-Making Capacity and the Tension between Autonomy and Authenticity”</p> <p>C: Ria Jenkins</p> <p>Ch: Miyu Bao</p>
10:00-10:15 AM		Coffee Break		
10:15-11:15 AM	<p>S: Michael Omoge</p> <p>TBA</p> <p>S: Eric Wilkinson</p> <p>TBA</p>	<p>S: Mohammad Shokri</p> <p>“Group Belief: The Cognitive Non-Summative Account”</p> <p>C: Leslie Howe</p> <p>Ch: Ayushi Khemka</p>	<p>S: Mehdi Ebrahimpour</p> <p>“Religious Offense and Hermeneutical Injustice”</p> <p>C: Neha Nandakumar</p> <p>Ch: Emily Schneider</p>	<p>S: Susan Dieleman</p> <p>“Motivating a Virtue Theory of Political Trustworthiness”</p> <p>C: David McGrane</p> <p>Ch: Pierre-Francois Noppen</p>
11:15-11:30 AM	S: Janet Wesselius	Coffee Break		
11:30 AM-12:30 PM	TBA	<p>S: Farid Saberi</p> <p>“Cultures and Brains: A Case for Dialectical Conception of Culture in Cultural Neuroscience”</p> <p>C: Mohammad Shokri</p> <p>Ch: Jintao Liang</p>	<p>S: Jing Chang</p> <p>“A Philosophical Analysis of the Prospect of Implementing Artificial Intelligence in Legislation”</p> <p>C: Emily Schneider</p> <p>Ch: Mehdi Ebrahimpour</p>	<p>S: Ron Wilburn</p> <p>“Mansplaining Abortion”</p> <p>C: Cameron Cattell</p> <p>Ch: Ria Jenkins</p>

12:30-12:45 PM	Coffee Break			
12:45-1:45 PM		<p>S: Eric Wilkinson</p> <p>“Fichte’s Rooted Cosmopolitanism”</p> <p>C: Pierre-Francois Noppen</p> <p>Ch: Farid Saberi</p>	<p>S: Neha Nandakumar</p> <p>“Hurt Feelings”</p> <p>C: Miyu Bao</p> <p>Ch: Allen Habib</p>	