

MOORE HUMANITIES SYMPOSIUM
“NIETZSCHE AND THE PHILOSOPHICAL LIFE”
TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY
APRIL 17-19, 2008

In honor and memory of Robert C. Solomon

KEYNOTE ADDRESS: THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 11:00 AM
ED LANDRETH AUDITORIUM

“Nietzsche and the Philosophical Life”
Simon Blackburn (Cambridge University)

I. THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 2-5:30 PM, JUSTIN BOARDROOM, DEE J. KELLY ALUMNI CENTER

Topic: “Nietzsche and the Aesthetic Life”

2:00 "Nietzsche's Ethics of Philosophy"
Tom Miles (Boston College)

3:10 "Death and the Culture of Life"
Daniel Conway (Texas A&M University)

4:20 "Feeling good feeling bad: The aesthetic life in *On the Genealogy of Morals*"
Christa Davis Acampora (Hunter College, CUNY)

II. FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 10-12:30 PM, JUSTIN BOARDROOM, DEE J. KELLY ALUMNI CENTER

Topic: “Nietzsche, Free Spirits, and Spirituality”

9:00 “High and Low in Nietzsche’s *Zarathustra*”
Robert Wood (University of Dallas)

10:10 "Nietzsche's Spirituality"
Clancy Martin (The University of Missouri-Kansas City)

11:20 "So Polyphonous a Being: Friedrich Nietzsche in his Middle Works"
Ruth Abbey (University of Notre Dame)

Friday afternoon: Lunch for presenters at the Café Modern. The afternoon is open to explore the Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth and the Kimbell Art Museum

Friday evening: Open

III. SATURDAY, APRIL 19, 9-12:30 AM, JUSTIN BOARDROOM, DEE J. KELLY ALUMNI CENTER

Topic: “Nietzsche on Pessimism and Life Affirmation”

9:00 "The Great Health"

Jessica Berry (Georgia State University)

10:10 "Living as Dancing"

Alan White (Williams College)

11:20 "Nietzsche on Human Nature"

Richard Schacht (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)

12:30-1:45 Lunch (on your own)

IV. SATURDAY, APRIL 19, 2:00-5:30 PM, JUSTIN BOARDROOM, DEE J. KELLY ALUMNI CENTER

Topic: “Nietzsche on How to Be a Philosopher”

2:00 “Tantaluses of the Will: Philosophizing in (Post-)Modernity”

David Sherman (The University of Montana)

3:10 “Why Nietzsche Writes the Way He Does”

Maudemarie Clark (Colgate University)

4:20 "From Time to Time There Is Magic: Nietzsche and the Philosophical Life"

Kathleen Higgins (The University of Texas at Austin)

Evening: Reception for presenters at the home of Ron Moore.

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