

EPTC 2026 Schedule

June 1	Clearihue A313	Clearihue A312
9:00 - 10:00	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Foundational Thinkers & Themes in Classical Phenomenology</u></p> <p>• Post-Metaphysical Beings and the Wonder of Being Renxiang Liu (Wuhan University) Commentator: George Saad Moderator: David Collins</p>	
10:10 - 11:10	<p>• Authenticity, World-Disclosure, and the Tragic Situation George Saad (Richard J. Daley College) Commentator: Renxiang Liu Moderator: David Collins</p>	
COFFEE		
11:40 - 12:40	<p>• Transcendental Intersubjectivity as a Ranked Order of Subjects Kenneth Knies (Sacred Heart University) Commentator: Tyler Gasteiger Moderator: David Collins</p>	
12:50 - 1:50	<p>• Intuition of Universality, the Critique of Nominalism, and the Problem of Historical Relativism Tyler Gasteiger (York University) Commentator: Kenneth Knies Moderator: David Collins</p>	
LUNCH		
3:20 - 4:20	<p>• A New Concept of Existence? Analyzing Badiou's 'Objective Phenomenology' Avery Dawson (University of Western Ontario) Commentator: Tyler Correia Moderator: Anthony Gavin</p>	<p>• From Critique of Ideology to Hermeneutics of History: The Constant Thread in Variations of Tafuri's Thought Yuxin Vincent Qiu (McGill University) Commentator: Tanner Layton Moderator: Victor Bruzzone</p>
4:30 - 5:30	<p>• The World and the Dance: Phenomenological Representation and the Living Tension of Experience Tyler Correia (University of the Fraser Valley) Commentator: Avery Dawson Moderator: Anthony Gavin</p>	<p>• The Impulse of Authenticity: Philosophy as Dividing Practice Tanner Layton (University of Western Ontario) Commentator: Yuxin Vincent Qiu Moderator: Victor Bruzzone</p>

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June 2	Cornett A121 <NOTE ROOM CHANGE>	Clearihue A312
9:00 - 12:30	<p>Panel – Time and Phenomenality One Hundred Years Later</p> <p>Organizer: Patrick Eldridge (University of New Brunswick)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Some Inauthentic Concerns about Time and Death in Husserl and Heidegger Patrick Eldridge (University of New Brunswick) 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finitude vs. Timeless Truth: Phenomenology as Systematic or System Building? Joel Hubick (University of Regina) 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Time Out of Joint: On Space-Time in Deleuze’s Theory of the Creative Act Sean Winkler (La Salle College) 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tarrying Unto the Clearing: The Phenomenality of Time and the Inapparent in Heidegger’s 1970s Thought Dustin Zielke (Camosun College) 	
LUNCH		
2:00 - 3:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Case of Dasein’s <i>Geschlechtlosigkeit</i>: Ahistorical Essence or Gender Fluid Grounding? Steven Burgess (Benedictine University) Commentator: Eden Kinkaid Moderator: Nina Belmonte 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Merleau-Ponty’s Critique of Moral Values Emmanuel Cuisinier (Université de Montréal) Commentator: Elena Holmgren Moderator: David Collins
3:15 - 4:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toward a Critical Phenomenology of Space: A Trans Perspective Eden Kinkaid (University of Toronto Scarborough) Commentator: Steven Burgess Moderator: Nina Belmonte 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Existential Metaethics: A Constructivist Reading Griffin Klemick (Hope College) Commentator: Emmanuel Cuisinier Moderator: David Collins
4:30 - 5:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Francis Jeanson as a Critic of Camus: On <i>The Myth of Sisyphus</i> and <i>The Plague</i> D. Z. Shaw (Douglas College) Commentator: Paula Schwebel Moderator: Nina Belmonte 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eternity in an Hour: The Incomplete Completeness of Well-Being as Autotelic Experience Elena Holmgren (University of British Columbia) Commentator: Griffin Klemick Moderator: David Collins

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June 3	Clearihue A313	Clearihue A312
9:00 - 11:30	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Workshop on Applied Phenomenology</u> Coordinator: Neal DeRoo (Institute for Christian Studies)</p>	
11:45 - 12:45	<i>Executive Committee Meeting</i>	
LUNCH		
2:00 - 3:00	<p>• The Body Pre-Empted: Bodily Sense-Making in Data Driven Technologies Michelle Charette (Centre for Addiction and Mental Health) Commentator: Iman Fadaei Moderator: Nina Belmonte</p>	<p>• Toward an Ontological Non-Indifference: Rethinking Individuation with Levinas Changyuan Chen (Wuppertal University) Commentator: Victor Bruzzone Moderator: Tyler Correia</p>
3:15 - 4:15	<p>• Thoughts Toward a Phenomenology of Online Time-Consciousness David Collins (Churchill College, Cambridge) Commentator: Michelle Charette Moderator: Nina Belmonte</p>	<p>• Facing the Enemy: Levinas and Asymmetric Mutual Understanding Victor Bruzzone (Penn State) Commentator: Changyuan Chen Moderator: Tyler Correia</p>
4:30 - 5:30	<p>• Techno-Colonialism: Enframing and the Ontological Conditions of Digital Colonialism Iman Fadaei (University of Victoria) Commentator: David Collins Moderator: Nina Belmonte</p>	<p>• Utility and the Transcendental: A Pragmatist Appraisal of DeRoo's Transcendental Phenomenology Tyler May (Institute for Christian Studies) Commentator: Neal DeRoo Moderator: Tyler Correia</p>

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June 4	Clearihue A313	Clearihue A312
9:00 - 10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Imagination and Action: The Difference between Bachelard and Ricoeur on the Poetic Image Erik Brownrigg (York University) Commentator: Julian Evans Moderator: David Collins 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Experience of Shame: A Detailed Phenomenological Process View Richard Dennison (University of York, U.K.) Commentator: John Atytalla Moderator: Michelle Charette
10:10 - 11:10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Tonality of Being: Bachelard's Ecological Cosmology Julian Evans (University of Victoria) Commentator: Erik Brownrigg Moderator: David Collins 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why Am I Like This? Reasons, Causes, and Self-Attestation in the Phenomenology of Mental Illness John Atytalla (University of Ottawa) Commentator: Richard Dennison Moderator: Michelle Charette
COFFEE		
11:40 - 12:40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Seattle Sound Linnea Zeiner (Benedictine University) Commentator: Ece Cizmeci Moderator: David Collins 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On the Phenomenology of Alienation in Hartmut Roza's <i>Resonanztheorie</i> Connor Cosgrove (University of Ottawa) Commentator: Nicholas Birmingham Moderator: Michelle Charette
12:50 - 1:50	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cinematic Excess: Straying from the Anthro-Loop in Jerzy Skolimowski's <i>EO</i> Ece Cizmeci (Brock University) Commentator: Linnea Zeiner Moderator: David Collins 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flesh and the Phenomenology of Sleep: Merleau-Ponty, Carson, and Nancy Nicholas Birmingham (University of Western Ontario) Commentator: Connor Cosgrove Moderator: Michelle Charette
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3:20 - 4:30	<i>Annual General Meeting</i>	