

Conference Program: The Philosophy of Luce Irigaray September 7-8th, 2007

The Luce Irigaray Circle is an interdisciplinary group of students and faculty based at Stony Brook University in New York. We are dedicated to the study of Luce Irigaray and to fostering Irigarayan work inside and outside of the academy.

Please note: while the beginning and ending times of the conference are firmly established, the times of individual panels and events are subject to change.

Friday, September 7th, 2007		
8:30-9:00	Registration and Coffee	
9:00-9:30	Opening Remarks	Mary C. Rawlinson , Co-Chairwoman: Luce Irigaray Circle
9:30-10:45	Keynote Address	Elaine P. Miller, Associate Professor of Philosophy, Miami University of Ohio.
10:45-11:00	Coffee Break	
11:00-12:05	Concurrent Sessions	
<i>Panel A: Irigaray & Feminist Aesthetic Practice</i>		
Moderator: TBD		
11:00-11:20	Michael Eng, Pratt Institute.	<i>"We're going to show them our sexts!": Nancy Spero and la peinture feminine</i>
11:20-11:40	Kimberly Lamm, Pratt Institute.	<i>The Matter of the Excluded Middle: The Poetry of Rosmarie Waldrop and Luce Irigaray's "Envelope"</i>
11:40-11:50	Katie Grosh, Villanova University.	<i>Response</i>
<i>Panel B: Erotic Love</i>		
Moderator: Leslie Aarons, NY Laguardia		
11:00-11:20	Danielle Poe, University of Dayton.	<i>The Transformative Power of Erotic Love in Luce Irigaray's Work</i>
11:20-11:40	Stephanie Jenkins, Pennsylvania State University.	<i>By Our Lips We Are Women: Transgendered Bodies and Essentialism in Irigaray's Memesis</i>
11:40-11:50	A. Z. Perry, Miami University of Ohio,	<i>Response</i>
12:05-1:30	Lunch Break	
1:30-3:00	<i>Panel C: Irigaray & Psychoanalysis</i>	
Moderator: Emanuela Bianchi, Haverford College		
1:30-1:50	Sara Beardsworth, Southern Illinois University.	<i>The Feminine and the Unconscious Between East and West</i>
1:50-2:10	Claire Potter, Université Paris VII.	<i>Torn letters and reading letters letter by letter: The poetic eschatology / epistemology of Lacan's La femme n'existe pas via an Irigarayan and a Hardyan track</i>
2:10-2:30	Britt Marie Schiller, Webster University.	<i>Gendering Drives: Amae, Philotes, and the Sensible Transcendental</i>
2:30-2:40	James Manos, Depaul University.	<i>Response</i>
3:40-5:00	Concurrent Sessions	
<i>Panel D: Comparative Literature</i>		
Moderator: TBD		
3:00-3:20	Simone Roberts.	<i>Jorie Graham, First in the Wake of Irigaray</i>
3:20-3:40	Jillian Canode, Purdue University Love of Mother: Irigaray's Love and Jamaica	

	3:40-3:50	Kincaid's <i>My Brother</i> Chung-yi Chu, Stony Brook, <i>Response</i>
	Panel E: Feminine Voice	
		Moderator: Kathleen Hulley, Stony Brook University
	3:00-3:20	Emma Jones, University of Oregon. <i>Imagining Difference Sexually: Otherness and Ertoic Tension in Irigaray's Vision of Embodied Speaking</i>
	5:45-6:05	Hannah Gruber, Webster University. <i>Locating Irigaray's Hysteria in Operatic Masquerade</i>
	3:40-3:50	Kyoo Lee, John Jay College, CUNY, <i>Response</i>
4:05-4:20	Coffee Break	
4:20-5:20	Panel: The Nature of Sexual Difference: A Discussion Section	
		Lauren Hesse, Stony Brook University Sabrina Hom, Stony Brook University Jane Jones, Stony Brook University.
4:05-4:20	Artist Presentation	
		Moderator: Megan Craig, Stony Brook University
	5:20-5:50	Jill Downen, Washington University in St. Louis <i>Body/Building: Involuntary Anatomies</i>
	5:50-6:00	Rebecca Walsh, Miami University of Ohio, <i>Response</i>
7:00-10:00	Conference Dinner Copper Chimney Restaurant, 128 E. 28th St. (Registered Participants only)	
Saturday, September 8th		
9:00-9:30	Registration and Coffee	
9:30-10:45	Panel G: Linguistics / Anthropology	
		Moderator: Christopher Cohoon, Stony Brook University
	9:30-9:50	Gail Schwab, Hofstra University. <i>Creating Inter-Sexuate Inter-Subjectivity in the Classroom? Luce Irigaray's Linguistic Research in its Latest Incarnation</i>
	9:50-10:10	Mary-Beth Mader, University of Memphis. <i>Luce Irigaray and Anthropological Thought</i>
	10:10-10:20	Julie Sushytska, Stony Brook University. <i>Response</i>
10:45-12:15	Concurrent Sessions	
	Panel H: Contemporary Interlocutors	
		Moderator: Krista E. Hughes, Drew University
	10:45-11:05	Cathy Hsiao, Stony Brook University. <i>Irigaray and Das Unheimlich in Heidegger, Kristeva and Freud: the Politics of Home and Belonging</i>
	11:05-11:25	Janae Sholtz, University of Memphis. <i>Wondering about Alice Through the Looking Glass in Irigaray and Deleuze</i>
	11:25-11:45	Stacy Keltner, Kennesaw State University. <i>"An Oblivion of Death:" Irigaray's Reading of Heideggarean Finitude</i>
	11:45-11:55	Daria Rogers, Stony Brook University, <i>Response</i>
	Panel I: Mother-Daughter	
		Moderator: Ree Boddé
	10:45-11:05	Phyllis Kaminiski, St. Mary's College. <i>Some Flashes of Lightning and A Long Pause</i>
	11:05-11:25	Fanny Soderback, The New School for Social Research. <i>Returning to the Beginning: On Maternal Genealogy in the Work of Luce Irigaray and Julia Kristeva</i>
	11:25-11:45	Emily A. Holmes, Emory University. <i>The Gift of Breath</i>
	11:45-11:55	Adrian Switzwzer, Emory University, <i>Response</i>

11:00-11:15	Lunch	
1:45-2:00	Keynote Introduction	Danae McLeod, Co-Chairwoman: Luce Irigaray Circle
2:00-3:15	Keynote Address	Elizabeth Grosz, Professor of Women's Studies, Rutgers University
3:15-3:30	Coffee Break	
3:30-5:15	Concurrent Sessions	
	<i>Panel J: Irigaray & Butler</i>	
		Moderator: Alyson Cole, Queens College, CUNY
3:30-3:50		Sarah Hansen, Vanderbilt University. <i>Butler, Irigaray and the Politics of Bodily Vulnerability</i>
3:50-4:10		Erin McCarthy, St. Lawrence University. <i>Corporeal Cues East and West: Ethics and the Body</i>
4:30-4:50		Anne VanLeeuwen, The New School for Social Research. <i>Spatiality and Embodiment: Towards An Ontology of Difference</i>
4:50-5:00		Maria Prado, Stony Brook University, <i>Response</i>
	<i>Panel K: Politics</i>	
		Moderator: Anne O'Byrne, Hofstra University
3:50-4:10		Christopher Ian Foster, City University of New York. <i>"Approaching the Other as Other:" Futures of Feminist Globality from Luce Irigaray to Gayatri Spivak</i>
4:10-4:30		Gertrude Postl, Suffolk County Community College. <i>"Neither One Nor Two"—Civil Identity and Sexual Difference</i>
4:30-4:40		Serene Khader, Stony Brook University, <i>Response</i>
5:15-5:30	Coffee Break	
5:30-6:45	Plenary Session	Mary C. Rawlinson, Stony Brook University Elizabeth Grosz, Rutgers University Elaine P. Miller, Miami University of Ohio Cheryl Lawler, St. Louis Psychoanalytic Institute Sara McNamara, Stony Brook University
6:45	Closing Address	Gail Schwab, 2008 Irigaray Circle Conference Chairwoman
8:00	Advisory Board Meeting & Dinner, TBD	