Michigan State University 17th Annual Graduate Philosophy Conference

# Starting from the Actual: Working Against Oppression and Marginalization

## March 18th-19th, 2016

**Friday, March 18th** 109 South Kedzie Hall

#### 3-5pm Keynote

#### Erinn Gilson

University of North Florida

Challenges and Possibilities for Theorizing Oppression and Vulnerability

5:10- Reception (TBD)

### Saturday, March 19th

Conference Room: 112 Brody Hall (Break Room: 175 Brody Hall)

Morning Session

9am Breakfast & Introduction

#### 9:30 Sam Sumpter

University of Washington With Great Power Comes Great Responsibility: Relational Trans Identity, Microaggressions, & Moral Accountability 10:00 Commentary: Amelia Martin 10:10-30 Response, Q&A

#### 10:40 Stacey Goguen

**Boston University** 

Why Asking 'What Women Want' Is The Wrong Question: Gender norms and the ideal number of women in philosophy

11:10 Commentary: Sophia Pavlos

11:20-40 Response, Q&A

#### 11:50 Beth Hupfer

Rice University Global Distributive Justice: Coercion, Cooperation, and Structures 12:20pm Commentary: Alex Neitzke 12:30-50 Response, Q&A

#### Afternoon Session

#### 1-2pm Lunch

#### 2-3 MSU Faculty Keynote

#### **Kyle Whyte**

Back to the Future: Indigenous Peoples, Vulnerability and Climate Justice

#### 3:10 Dana Grabelsky

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

#### **Locutionary Disablement and Epistemic Injustice**

3:40 Commentary: Ben Kenofer

3:50-4:10 Response, Q&A

#### 4:20 Heather Stewart

University of Louisville **Denial of Identity and Experience: An Analysis of Epistemic Injustices Towards Trans Persons in Health Care** 4:50 Commentary: Shelbi Nahwilet Meissner 5:00-5:20 Response, Q&A

#### 5:30- Reception (TBD)

Thank you for your participation!