

## CALL FOR PAPERS

# Philosophy of Race, Gender, and Social Groups

15<sup>th</sup> Annual Virginia Tech Graduate Conference in Philosophy  
October 19-20, 2018 | Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA.

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE: August 15th, 2018**

### *Keynote Speakers*

**Elizabeth Barnes** (University of Virginia)

**Meena Krishnamurthy** (University of Michigan)

### *Submission Guidelines*

We invite current graduate students to submit papers that philosophically engage with topics concerning social groups and social phenomena, broadly construed. Submissions may be from any philosophical sub-field, and may address, e.g. metaphysical, epistemic, moral, or political issues concerning social phenomena, as well as questions regarding social phenomena in areas such as philosophy of science, philosophy of mind, or aesthetics. Suggested social groups and phenomena of interest may include but are not limited to the following:

- gender, sex, gender identity
- race, racial identity
- disability
- health, well-being, and the body
- sexuality, sexual orientation
- class, poverty, privilege
- immigration, illegalization, citizenship
- colonialism, decolonization
- science, technology, and values
- discrimination, bias, e.g. racism, ableism

- ❖ Papers should be prepared for anonymous review and submitted in .docx, .doc, or .pdf format to [vt.gradphilclub@gmail.com](mailto:vt.gradphilclub@gmail.com)
- ❖ Submissions may be up to 5,000 words in length
- ❖ Please submit a separate cover sheet that includes your name, contact information, institutional affiliation, keywords and relevant area(s) of research, and a short abstract of approximately 300 words

***We especially encourage submissions from members of groups historically underrepresented in philosophy***

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