Mid-Hudson Valley Undergraduate Philosophy Conference
Marist College
15-16 April 2011
Fontaine Hall – Henry Hudson Room

Conference Program

Friday April 15th

2:00 p.m.: “Modal Fictionalism” Eian Kantor (SUNY Oneonta)
Commentator: Austin Lanari (Marist)

3:00 p.m.: “Truthmaking and Fiction” Shawn Jordan (Marist)
Commentator: Dustin Peone (SUNY New Paltz)

5:00 p.m.: Keynote address: “No Exit” Robert Kraut (Ohio State)

6:45 p.m.: Reception

Saturday April 16th

10:00 a.m.: “A Defense of the Morality and Rationality of Suicide” Shane Hemmer (SUNY Fredonia)
Commentator: Chelsea Richardson (Marist)

11:00 a.m.: “Consciousness and Qualia” Nina Bar-Giora (Bard)
Commentator: Jonathan Whelton-Pane (Marist)

12:00-1:00: Lunch

1:00 a.m.: “Peirce and Modern Science” William Edgecomb (Ithaca)
Commentator: Dennis Mulqueen (Marist)

2:00 p.m.: “The Ethics of Gay Marriage” Kirk Schneider (Siena)
Commentator: Michael Dale (Vassar)

3:00 p.m.: “A New Libet Experiment” Carissa Filip (Gordon)
Commentator: Andrew Vincent (Marist)

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