PRINCETON UNIVERSITY
Program in Classical Philosophy
Classical Philosophy Conference

December 7-8, 2013
Betts Auditorium, School of Architecture

Necessity and Teleology in Aristotle’s Natural Philosophy

Note: See below for arrangements for the conference dinner on Saturday night

Saturday, December 7

1:30 – 4:00 PM  Devin Henry, University of Western Ontario
“The Cosmological Significance of Animal Generation”
Commentator: Sean Kelsey, University of Notre Dame

4:00 PM  Coffee and Rolls – Tower Room, 1879 Hall

4:30 – 7:00 PM  Mariska Leunissen, The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
“Teleology and Necessity in Aristotle’s Account of the Natural and Moral Imperfections of Women”
Commentator: Jessica Gelber, Syracuse University

7:00 PM  Cocktails followed by Dinner at 8:00 at Prospect House
(See note on next page)

9:30 PM  Party at the home of John Cooper, 182 Western Way, Princeton

Sunday, December 8

9:00 AM  Coffee and Rolls – Tower Room, 1879 Hall

10:00 AM- 12:30 PM  James Lennox, University of Pittsburgh
“Why Do We Breathe? Aristotle on Norms for Teleological Inquiry”
Commentator: Monte Ransome Johnson, University of California, San Diego

The Conference organizers would like to thank the Departments of Philosophy and Classics, the Council of the Humanities, the University Center for Human Values, and the Stanley J. Seeger ’52 Center for Hellenic Studies for their generous financial support.
Copies of the papers are available on the Philosophy Events Website http://philosophy.princeton.edu/events under the Classical Philosophy Announcement.

Papers may not be read in full at the sessions, and everyone attending is strongly requested to read the papers in advance.

For further information on the conference, please see our webpage at http://philosophy.princeton.edu

Note: On Saturday there will be a dinner at the Prospect House on the Princeton Campus. Apart from a small charge for reserving a place, the dinner will be without charge for all participants. If you plan to attend, please let Ms. Brigid Sudnick of the Philosophy Department staff know in advance (609-258-4289; e-mail bsudnick@princeton.edu). Dinners must be reserved in advance for a non-refundable fee of $10 made payable by check to Princeton University. No exceptions please. (There is no charge to Princeton faculty and students.)

Princeton Area Hotel Accommodations

As in previous years, we are not able to reserve a block of rooms at the Nassau Inn in central Princeton for conference participants. Those needing hotel rooms should make their own arrangements. Please be sure to let the hotel know that you are attending a conference at the university, as some of them may have special rates.

Among hotels to be considered are:

- Nassau Inn (Princeton downtown) 609-921-0255
- Princeton Hyatt Regency (US Hwy 1) 800-233-1234 or 609-987-1234
- Courtyard by Marriott (US Hwy 1) 800-321-2211
- Amerisuites Hotel (US Hwy 1) 800-833-1516
- Princeton Marriott (US Hwy 1) 800-228-9290
- Days Inn (US Hwy 1) 800-325-2525
- Palmer Inn (US Hwy 1) 800-688-0500
- Novotel Hotel (US Hwy 1) 609-520-1200