Canadian-American Theological Association Annual Meeting
Congress of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Regina
May 27, 2018

All CATA meetings are held in rooms the Education Building - ED 312 Room ID: 15548 and Education Building - ED 441 Room ID: 15547, University Dr N, Regina

9:00-9:15 a.m. Opening Worship. ED 312

9:15–11:15 a.m. Session One

Section A. Chair: Lee Beach Room ED 312

J. Gerald Janzen, Christian Theological Seminary, “Transplanted by Torah in Psalm 1 and Beyond”


Marion Taylor, Wycliffe College, “Nineteenth-century Women Wrestling with Pauline Texts”

Nate Wall, Wycliffe College, “God the Metaphysical Poet: Contradiction and Divine Speech in John Donne’s Biblical Interpretation”

Section B. Chair: Ian Ritchie Room ED 441

Amanda Hackney, Wycliffe College, “In the space of the church: An analysis of Karl Barth’s interlocutors in his lectures on John 1”

Daniel Rempel, Canadian Mennonite University, “Intellectual Disability, Community, and the Other: Karl Barth and Jean Vanier in Dialogue”

Brent Rempel, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and Providence Theological Seminary, “Triune Perfection and Scriptural Reading in John Webster”

Yuri Forbes-Petrovich, Lakehead University, “‘Improperly Basic’: Jacques Lacan, Reformed Epistemology, and Presuppositionalism”

11:15–11:30 a.m. Break
11:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m. CATA 2017 Business Meeting, Room ED 312

12:00- 1:30 p.m. Lunch

1:30–3:30 p.m. Session Two – sections A and B will join for the final paper and Closing Led by Gus Konkel

Section A. Chair: Marion Taylor, Room ED 312. Please Join Section B for Closing Room ED 441 Led by Gus Konkel at 3:30

Maria Power, University of London, “Food Banks as Sites of Theological Reflection: a new method of faith-based engagement in the public square?”


Ryan Turnbull, Thorneleoe University, “Toward a Christian Grammar of Place: Wendell Berry and Linguistic Theology after Wittgenstein”

Kira Moolman, Wycliffe College, “The Stories We Tell Our Children: Literature and Death in a Secular Age”

Section B Chair: Gus Konkel. Room ED 441 and Closing Led by Gus Konkel at 3:30


Jesse Smith, St. Paul University, “Simple Souls: Some Shortcomings of Contemporary Interpretations of the Human Soul”

Stephen W. Martin, The King’s University, “Gathering: The Sacramental [Prophetic] Imagination of Desmond Tutu”

Chanelle Robinson, Regis College, “From Red Fields and White Christ Towards a Theology of Apology: Decolonizing Roman Catholic Mission in an Age of Truth and Reconciliation in Canada”