

WPES: THE POLITICAL THEORY WORKSHOP

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Fridays 12:00 – 1:30 pm at Washington University, Seigle Hall 248 (2nd Floor Conference Room)

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- Sep 7 **The Dangers of Surveillance**
Neil Richards, Law
Discussant: Jim Bohman, Philosophy, St. Louis University
- Sep 14 **Stories and Spaces: How Americans Make Race***
Clarissa Hayward, Political Science
Discussant: Rogers Smith, Political Science, University of Pennsylvania
* This meeting is part of a two-day book manuscript workshop, held Sep. 14–15, to mark the 10th anniversary of WPES. In addition to Smith, invited guests include Michael Neblo (Political Science, Ohio State) and Sarah Song (Political Science and Law, Berkeley)
- Sep 21 **Self-Respect, Liberty, and Public Reason**
Greg Whitfield, Political Science
Discussant: Julia Driver, Philosophy
- Sep 28 **Human Dignity and Human Rights**
Charles Beitz, Politics, Princeton University
Discussant: Greg Whitfield, Political Science
(co-sponsored by the Center for New Institutional Social Sciences)
- Oct 5 **Courts, Cooperation, and Legitimacy**
John Drobak, Law
Discussant: Randy Calvert, Political Science
- Oct 12 **Cyber Commodification**
Miriam Cherry, Law, St. Louis University
Discussant: Linda Nicholson, History and Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
- Oct 19 **The Insufficiency of Accountability**
Ron Watson, Political Science
Discussant: John Inazu, Law
- Oct 26 **Free Market Fairness**
John Tomasi, Political Science, Brown University
Discussant: Ron Watson, Political Science
- Nov 2 **The Political Protection of Language**
Daniel Weinstock, Law and Philosophy, McGill University
Discussant: Ian MacMullen, Political Science
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- Nov 9 **Inter-Sovereign Justice**
Wally Siewert, Center for Ethics in Public Life, University of Missouri – St. Louis
Discussant: Wynne Moskop, Political Science, St. Louis University
- Nov 16 **Let Me Tell You Who I Am: Intimacy and Self-Disclosure**
Linda Nicholson, History and Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
Discussant: Lisa Cagle, Philosophy
- Nov 30 **Dialogical Openness – What Deliberation Needs**
Molly Scudder, Politics, University of Virginia
Discussant: Bryan Stagner, Philosophy
- Dec 7 **Republican Liberty, Constitutionalism and the Obsolescence of the State**
José Luis Martí, Law, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona
Discussant: Cristian Pérez Muñoz

Papers will be distributed one week prior to each session

To receive an e-mail copy of the papers contact politheo@artsci.wustl.edu

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