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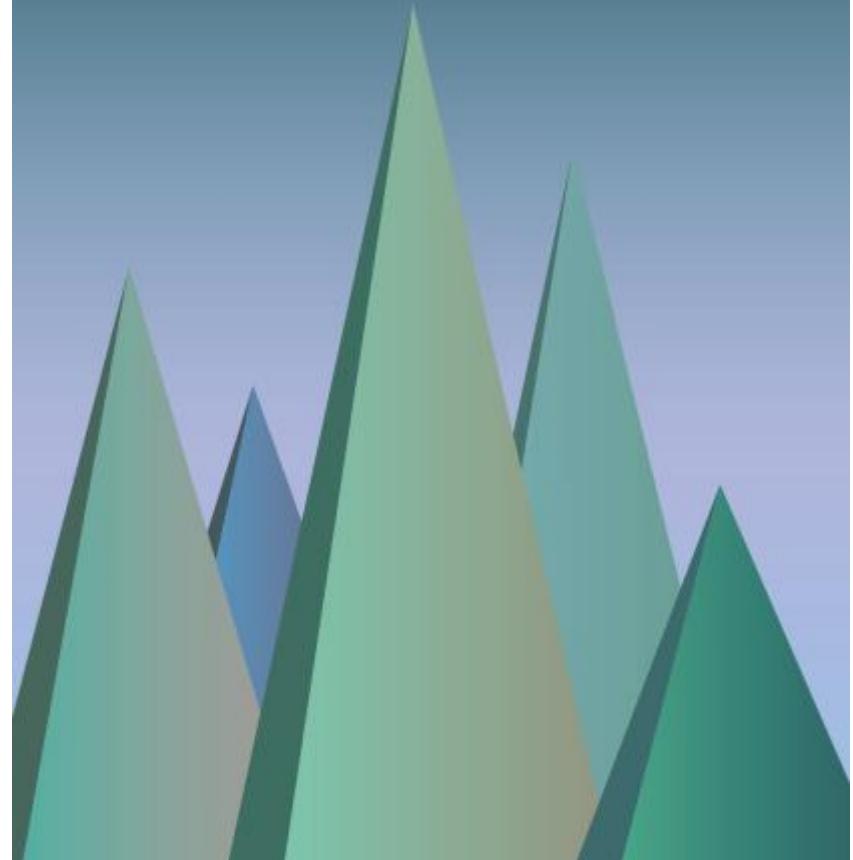
Environmental Ethics

*A Philosophy Conference
at the University of Memphis*

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Structural Oppression

March 24 - 25, 2017



Opening Keynote

Chris J. Cuomo
The University of Georgia

Chris J. Cuomo is Professor of Philosophy and Women's Studies at The University of Georgia, and an affiliate faculty member of the Environmental Ethics Certificate Program, the Institute for African-American Studies, and the Institute for Native American Studies. The author and editor of many articles and several books in feminist, postcolonial, and environmental philosophy, Cuomo served as Director of the Institute for Women's Studies from 2006-2009. Her book, *The Philosopher Queen*, a reflection on post-9/11 anti-war feminist politics, was nominated for a Lambda Award and an APA book award, and her work in ecofeminist philosophy and creative interdisciplinary practice has been influential among those seeking to bring together social justice and environmental concerns, as well as theory and practice.

Closing Keynote

Kyle Powys Whyte
Michigan State University

Dr. Whyte holds the Timnick Chair in the Humanities at Michigan State University. He is Associate Professor of Philosophy and Community Sustainability, a faculty member of the Environmental Philosophy & Ethics graduate concentration, and a faculty affiliate of the American Indian Studies and Environmental Science & Policy programs. His primary research addresses moral and political issues concerning climate policy and Indigenous peoples and the ethics of cooperative relationships between Indigenous peoples and climate science organizations. He is an enrolled member of the Citizen Potawatomi Nation.

FRIDAY, MARCH 24

3:00-5:00 p.m.

Why Environmental Justice Requires Highly Valuing Women and Their Work
Chris J. Cuomo, The University of Georgia

6:00-9:00 p.m.

Conference Reception (off campus)

SATURDAY, MARCH 25

10:00-11:00 a.m.

Water Rights Panel

Morgan Elbot and Thomas Mann, The University of Memphis

11:00-11:50 a.m.

Climate Change, Structural Injustice, and Moral Responsibility
Georges Alexandre Lenferna, The University of Washington, Seattle

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

1:00-1:50 p.m.

Fūdo, Horizontality, and the Hermeneutic Dimensions of Environmental Racism and Settler-Colonial Wastelanding
B. Tamsin Kimoto, Emory University

2:00-2:50 p.m.

In Favor of Stewardship

Kimberly Dill, The University of Texas at Austin

3:00-3:50 p.m.

Intrinsic Value and Environmental Ethics: Land and Sustainability
Adriana Pérez Cortés, Pontificia Universidad Javeriana

4:00-6:00 p.m.

Indigenous Climate Justice, Decolonization and Settler Ecologies
Kyle Powys Whyte, Michigan State University

*Conference Location: Michael D. Rose Theater, Room 115