# Announcements and

# Calls for Papers

## SOCIETY FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF AMERICAN PHILOSOPHY: 33rd ANNUAL MEETING

## March 9-11, 2006

The 2006 SAAP meeting will take place at the Sheraton Gunter Hotel in San Antonio, Texas. Your host is Texas State University -- San Antonio, together with Northwest Vista College, San Antonio. The Sheraton Gunter is one from block the San Antonio River Walk http://thesanantonioriverwalk.com/, and directly across the street from the Majestic Theater, home of the San Antonio Symphony. The discounted room rates are \$124 for single or double rooms. If attendees find lower room rates through a travel agent or on-line service, we ask that they identify themselves as SAAP attendees at check-in. This will have two benefits: first, we will receive credit toward our contracted room numbers, and second the attendee will receive free high speed internet. http://www.gunterhotel.com/gunterhome.html

210-227-3241

The Gunter opened in 1909, and was recently renovated. The hotel has a small exercise room, a pool, and jacuzzi. San Antonio is a wonderful city for food, one of the oldest cities in the Americas, and the downtown/riverwalk area allows walking access to historic sites such as The Alamo <a href="http://www.thealamo.org/">http://www.thealamo.org/</a> or restaurants such as Le Reve <a href="http://www.restaurantlereve.com/">http://www.thealamo.org/</a> or restaurants such as Le Reve <a href="http://www.restaurantlereve.com/">http://www.restaurantlereve.com/</a>. We encourage you to spend time and explore San Antonio. The Gunter is holding rooms beginning Sunday 6 March, and will honor our rate for as many nights as they have rooms available.

San Antonio has good road and air connections (and only minimal train connections). The San Antonio International Airport http://www.sanantonio.gov/airport/?res=800&ver=true has

service with these airlines:

AM	Aerolitoral	1-800-237-6639
VW	Aeromar	1-210-950-0747
HP	America West	1-800-235-9292
AA	American	1-800-433-7300
EV	ASA	1-800-221-1212
со	Continental	1-800-525-0280
OH	Comair	1-800-221-1212
DL	Delta	1-800-221-1212
MX	Mexicana	1-800-531-7921
YX	Midwest Express	1-800-452-2022
NW	Northwest	1-800-225-2525
WN	Southwest	1-800-435-9792
UA	United	1-800-241-6522

We are awaiting final word on discount airfares, and will make that information available soon. Additional airport information can be found at: http://www.sanantoniocvb.com/visitors/com airportinfo.asp

The San Antonio Airport is only 10-15 minutes from downtown and the Gunter hotel. There are regular shuttles and easy cab service.

SATRANS Airport Shuttle 1331 N. Pine San Antonio, TX 78202 (210) 212-5395 Reservations:(210) 281-9900 (800) 868-7707 Fax:(210) 212-4514 Contact: Annette Holmes Website: www.saairportshuttle.com Email: info@saairportshuttle.com

Service between airport and downtown hotels \$12 each way with purchase of round trip, or \$14 one way. Services also available to other area destinations. ADA accessible minibuses.

Taxicabs: Metered service based on \$1.60 during daytime hours (5 a.m.-9 p.m.); \$2.60 during nighttime hours (9 p.m.-5 a.m.). Time to downtown business district is approximately 15 minutes, average fare \$19.00 - \$20.00 plus tip. There is no extra charge for additional passengers. Rates subject to change. Large minivans are also available and can transport up to 7 passengers downtown for an average of \$15 per trip.

San Antonio Taxis Inc.

255 E. Rampart #209 San Antonio, TX 78216 (210) 444-2222 Fax:(210) 375-0909 Contact: Haider Mirza Website: www.sanantoniotaxis.com Email: hjmirza@yahoo.com

We plan to have a guided visit to The Witte Museum, http://www.wittemuseum.org/

For those who are interested, Andre Watts will be appearing with the San Antonio Symphony on Friday, 11 March. Information and tickets are available at: http://www.sasymphony.org/

The San Antonio Convention and Vistors Bureau has a very informative and helpful website: http://www.sanantoniocvb.com/visitors/com history.asp

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## Eastern APA

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2005 Eastern APA

GII-11. Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy and William James Society

> Wednesday, December 28, 2005 9:00-11:00 a.m. Gramercy Suite B (Second Floor)

Topic: The Correspondence of William James: A Celebration

Chair: James Pawelski (University of Pennsylvania)

Speakers:

James Campbell (University of Toledo) "The Correspondence of William James"

Peter Hare (University at Buffalo-State University of New York) "William James and the Perils of Intellectual Biography"

John McDermott (Texas A&M University) "Reading Letters: Euro-America in Correspondence"

## CALL FOR PAPERS

The Graduate Student Sessions at the 33rd annual meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy

March 9-11, 2006

San Antonio, Texas Texas State University

The Graduate Student Session at every SAAP conference is designed to highlight excellent graduate work in American Philosophy, and gives graduate students the opportunity to participate in the vigorous philosophical community the society offers.

Papers from all areas of American Philosophy are welcome.

Submission guidelines:

\* 3,000 word limit (please include a word count with submission)

\* 100 word abstract

\* Please prepare papers for BLIND REVIEW, with no identifying names or university affiliations mentioned in the paper. Submit papers electronically to dstrand@emory.edu as an attached word processing or text file (in a suitable format e.g., word, word perfect, rich text format, html)

Deadline for submissions will be November 30, 2005 Notification for acceptance will be sent out shortly thereafter.

Limited travel funds are available for papers accepted to this session.

For more information on the conference or the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, visit the society's website at: www.american-philosophy.org or visit the conference page at:www.americanphilosophy.org/2006 conference/2006 conference main.htm

David Strand Emory University Graduate Session Organizer, SAAP Email: dstrand@emory.edu

## CALL FOR PAPERS

SAAP Sessions at the Central APA, April 26-29, at the Palmer House, Chicago. There will be two themed sessions.

Session 1: Sources of Peirce's Philosophy of Religion Session 2: Dewey's Theory of Education and its Critics

These sessions will be scheduled around the William James Society Meeting.

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\* 100 word abstract

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Persons interested in commenting or chairing sessions should contact me at roger ward@Georgetowncollege.edu.

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