PRW-LC November / December Newsletter

Barcelona - Presenters Wanted

The call for submissions is now open for the 2015 ILA conference in Barcelona - *Leading Across Borders & Generations*.

AJ Grant at Robert Morris University has already provided three panel ideas for Barcelona. Please contact AJ at granta@rmu.edu if you wish to collaborate with him on any of the panels listed below.



Muslims, Christians and Jews: What Does Authentic Dialogue Look Like for the Abrahamic Faiths?

Historically, Spain has been a contested site of the intersection of these three religions. What can we learn from La Convivencia, the Co-existence (780-1492), for the coexistence of Jews, Christians and Muslims today?

Insights on Leadership from Contemporary Spanish Philosophers: Miguel de Unamuno (1864–1936), José Ortega y Gasset (1883–1955), and José Ferrater Mora (1912–1991).

The panel explores the historical contexts of these three important Spanish philosophers utilizing Ortega's soil, subsoil and adversary heuristic.

How Do We Stop Killing Each Other?

This panel explores insights gleaned from a variety of enlightenment, modern and postmodern thinkers who have written clearly on the topic of war, including, but not limited to Hobbes, Locke, Hegel, Rousseau, etc. and including contemporary thinkers like Pinker and Eco who calls for a taboo on war like the universal taboo on incest.

Please contact John or Daryl if you have additional panel proposals for the Barcelona conference that you wish to have included in the next newsletter. The call for submissions closes February 1, 2015.

We would also like to hear from you if you have an idea for and/or are willing to host a **pre-conference** event in Barcelona. Please let us know if you are aware of particular sites of interest unique to the Barcelona area that provide a rich context to discuss philosophy, religion, worldview, and leadership. This could be a visit to a monastery, institution of higher education, or government building. We are hoping among our 575 members that there are some experts who can identify possible preconference workshops that appeal to the whole ILA community.

The purpose of the Philosophy, Religion, and Worldview Learning Community is to promote an understanding of the healthy nexuses between philosophy, religion and worldviews and leadership consistent with ILA's mission statement.

The Philosophy, Religion and Worldviews Leadership Learning Community will be a forum to establish critical crossroads and connections between different belief systems and leadership perspectives and practices.

February 4, 2011

August 2015 Webinar on Michel Foucault

A highlight of the 2014 PRW-LC business meeting in San Diego was identifying a topic and lead presenter for a PRW-LC webinar. Nathan Harter of Christopher Newport University is writing on Michel Foucault with a special emphasis on the lectures from his last three courses ending in 1984, the year of his death.

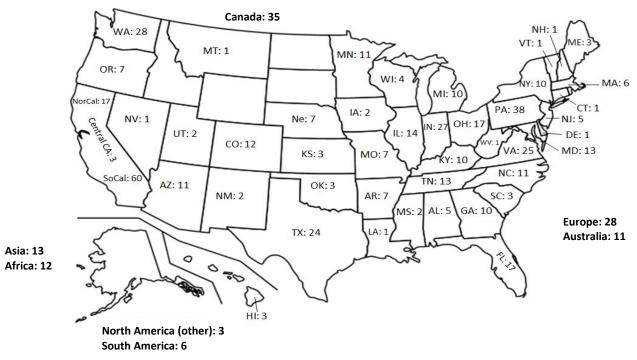
To make the webinar more engaging, Nathan would like to have the format for the webinar be a roundtable discussion on Foucault. Please contact Nathan Harter at nathan.harter@cnu.edu if you interested in being a panel member for the webinar on Foucault and leadership.

"I'm no prophet. My job is making windows where there were once walls."

— Michel Foucault

Regional Gatherings

Below is a map of the geographical density of PRW-LC members. Several members at the business meeting expressed interest in hosting regional events. Please let us know if you would like to use forthcoming newsletters to promote a regional event for PRW-LC members in your area.



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