

The 2010 Annual Meeting of the **Concerned Philosophers for Peace**
L'édition 2010 du colloque annuel des **Philosophes engagés pour la paix**

THE **OBAMA YEARS**

**WAR, PEACE AND
ENVIRONMENTAL
SUSTAINABILITY**

LES ANNÉES OBAMA

**GUERRE, PAIX ET
DÉVELOPPEMENT
ENVIRONNEMENTAL**



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MONTREAL, 29-30.10.2010

MCGILL UNIVERSITY THOMSON HOUSE 3650 MCTAVISH

**REGISTRATION FEE: \$100 - STUDENTS NO CHARGE
FRAIS D'INSCRIPTION: \$100 - GRATUIT POUR ÉTUDIANTS**

**FEATURING KEYNOTE DIALOGUE
FRIDAY 29.10 AT 7 PM**

**DIALOGUE EN PLÉNIÈRE
VENDREDI 20.10 À 19 H**

**PROGRAMME:
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Friday / Vendredi 29.10

Room 404

Room 406

9:00 Registration

9:30 **War**

CHARLES BLATTBERG (Université de Montréal)
Taking War Seriously
DENNIS ROTHERMEL (CSU Chico)
Unplugging the War Machine
JOHN W. LANGO (Hunter College)
U.S. Policies about the Possession and Use of Nuclear Weapons

11:30 **Peace and Nonviolence**

RICHARD PETERSON (Michigan State)
Nonviolence in an age of social catastrophe
ANDREW FITZGIBBON (SUNY Cortland)
Somaesthetics: Body Consciousness and Nonviolence

12:45 **LUNCH/DÎNER**

13:45 **Environmental Sustainability**

PIERRE-ANDRÉ GAGNON (UQAM)
Le Sénat et l'échec des ambitions climatiques du président Obama
JEAN-MARIE MAKANG (Frostburg State)
Climate Justice and the Global Action on Climate Change
TRACEY NICHOLLS (Lewis University)
If Only They Were Money

9:30 **La Justice Cosmopolitique**

ANDRÉ DUHAMEL (University of Sherbrooke)
Le mal existe dans le monde
EDDY SOUFFRANT (UNC Charlotte)
Paix et Cosmopolitanisme
RYOYA CHUNG (Université de Montréal)
Soft Power and the Cosmopolitan Ideal

11:30 **Expectations of Obama**

PREDRAG CICOVACKI (College of the Holy Cross)
Yes We Can! But What?
ARNOLD L. FARR (University of Kentucky)
Inheriting Wrong Life and One-Dimensional Politics

12:45 **LUNCH/DÎNER**

15:45 **Public Policy in the Age of Obama**

WILLIAM C. GAY (UNC Charlotte)
The 'Browning of Terror' During the Obama Years
GAIL M. PRESBEY (University of Detroit Mercy)
From 'Global War on Terror' to 'Overseas Contingency Operation'

7 pm **Keynote Dialogue**

War, Peace and Social Justice: From Theory to Practice

featuring

ARASH ABIZADEH (McGill University), DOMINIQUE LEYDET (UQAM) and DANIEL WEINSTOCK (Université de Montréal)

at the Moot Court, McGill Faculty of Law (3644 rue Peel)

Saturday / Samedi 30.10

Room 406

10:00 **Knowledge, Violence and Upheaval**

KURTIS HAGEN (SUNY Plattsburgh)
Spinning a Response to Crippled Epistemologies
JORGE RODRIGUEZ (University of San Carlos)
Violence and Cultural Traditions in Mesoamerica
JOSEPH BETZ (Villanova)
Sponsoring the Resettlement of an Iraqi Family of War Refugees

12:30 **LUNCH/DÎNER**

14:00 **Author meets critics:**

A discussion of the second edition of Duane Cady's *From Warism to Pacifism* featuring:
DUANE L. CADY (Hamline University)
ROBERT L. HOLMES (University of Rochester)
RICHARD WERNER (Hamilton College)
BARRY L. GAN (St. Bonaventure University)

17:00 **Concerned Philosophers for Peace Annual Business Meeting**
Open to all

19:00 **BANQUET/SOUPER AND PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS, DANIELLE POE**

(at the *Nil Bleu* – 3706, rue St-Denis – banquet tickets: \$25/person)



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