



The University of Miami
Department of Philosophy presents

The Fifth Annual Graduate Student Conference in Epistemology

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Thursday, January 10th, 2008

5:30 pm: Reception at the Philosophy Department Library,
Ashe Building Room 735

Welcome Dinner: Casa Panza 1620 Southwest 8th Street Miami, FL 33135

Friday, January 11th, 2008

Location: The Learning Center Rm. 140

10:00–11:30 am: Keynote Address: “‘Improbable Knowing’”
Timothy Williamson (Oxford University)

11:45–12:45 pm: “Is Knowability Factive?”
Davide Fassio (University of Padua)
Commentary: Ben Burgis (University of Miami)

12:45–1:45 pm: Lunch

1:45 – 2:45 pm: “Blameworthy, Yet Epistemically Justified”
Jonathan Matheson (University of Rochester)
Commentary: Nick Wiltshire (University of Miami)

3:00–4:00 pm: “Quantum Gravity and Formal Epistemology”
Mark Shumelda (University of Toronto)
Commentary: Noel Alphonse (University of Miami)

TBA: Dinner, Location TBA

Saturday, January 12th, 2008

Location: The Learning Center Rm. 140

10:00–11:00 am: “Knowledge Closure and Evidential Defeaters”
John Shoemaker University of Rochester
Commentary: Brian Mondy (University of Miami)

11:15–12:15 pm: “The Log-likelihood Ratio Measure as the Bayesian Measure
of Scientific Confirmation”
Jordan Delange (The University of Houston)
Commentary: Shane Oakley (University of Miami)

12:30–1:30 pm: Lunch

1:30–2:30 pm: “**TBA**”
Nenad Popovic (Southern Methodist University)

2:45–4:00 pm: Endnote Address: “Evidence Per Se”
Edward Erwin (University of Miami)

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