



Philosophizing Social Justice in Nursing: The 14th International Philosophy of Nursing Conference in Association with the International Philosophy of Nursing Society (IPONS)

September 20-22, 2010
Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada



Mark your calendars and plan to attend the 14th International Philosophy of Nursing Conference sponsored by the University of British Columbia School of Nursing in Vancouver, Canada. We are delighted to welcome IPONS and all who share a fascination for philosophical thinking from a nursing perspective to a lively and enthusiastic dialogue on a theme of immediate relevance to our discipline and to society.

CONFIRMED KEYNOTE SPEAKERS (TO DATE):

- **Dr. Trevor Hussey**, Professor Emeritus of Philosophy, Buckinghamshire New University UK and part-time Tutor in Philosophy, University of Oxford.
- **Dr. Joy Johnson**, Scientific Director, Institute for Gender & Health, Canadian Institutes of Health Research and Professor, UBC School of Nursing.
- **Dr. Sioban Nelson**, Dean and Professor, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Abstracts on the theme of Philosophizing Social Justice in Nursing (or on any philosophical aspect of health care practice, research or education) are invited.

At this time we are calling for Abstract submissions for papers for oral presentation. Paper presentations will be 20 minutes in length, followed by 10 minutes for discussion.

Abstract submission will be in two phases

First Call - firm due date: March 1, 2010 with acceptance decisions by April 1, 2010
Second Call - firm due date: June 1, 2010 with acceptance decisions by June 15, 2010
The first call is timed to ensure that international delegates have written acceptance in ample time to make travel arrangements. The second call allows for submissions closer to the actual date, but may be more limited in terms of the number of abstracts that can be accepted. Submissions not accepted in the first call may be revised for reconsideration in the second round.

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:

Submit a 250 word abstract for your proposed oral paper, including:

- Title
- Focus of paper
- Typeset in single-spaced, 12 point font, lay out on one page.
- On a separate page, specify the author(s), including degrees, titles, and agency affiliations. Identify presenting authors by underlining their name(s). Provide contact information for the first author.

Please submit your abstract by (by e-mail attachment, in MS Word or Word Perfect) to the Scientific Review Committee at IPONS2010@nursing.ubc.ca

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CONFERENCE VENUE

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Please make your own reservation by calling the hotel directly. Identify yourself with the 14th International Philosophy of Nursing Society Conference to obtain the conference rates.

Online booking code is: **CPS-GFC4209**

Rates: \$159 single, double or twin occupancy and \$179 one-bedroom suites, 640 square feet with and kitchen facilities (city view, price includes 2 adults)

Children under 18 stay free in parent's room at this family friendly hotel. (Max applies).

Hotel taxes of approximately 18% must be added to all rates.

This block of rooms will be held at the conference rate until August 20, 2010.

please note: conference fee is not included in hotel rate

The Coast Plaza is located in a safe, central neighborhood and within easy walking distance of world famous Stanley Park, the beaches of English Bay and a wide variety of restaurants can be found right outside the hotel. Shopping in the city centre of Vancouver and tourist attractions such as the Art Gallery or Vancouver Aquarium are within 20-30 minutes safe walking distance or just a short bus ride away. For more information in regards to tourism and activities please visit: www.tourismvancouver.com

Other hotel options within a 15-20 minute walk from the Coast Plaza include

1. Hostelling International Vancouver DT location

web: www.hihostels.ca/westerncanada/169/Hi-Vancouver_Downtown.hostel

Reservations: 1.866.762.4122

Address: 1114 Burnaby St (not fully west end)

2. Buchan Hotel

web: www.buchanhotel.com

Tel: 1.800.668.6654

Address: 1906 Haro St.

Room rates not yet available.

CONFERENCE COORDINATING COMMITTEE

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