SESSION I: Signs, Language, Logic, Texts
Moderator: Patrick Bourgeois, Loyola University
Gary Madison, McMaster University/University of Toronto
"Merleau-Ponty's Deconstruction of Logocentrism"
Hugh Silverman, SUNY Stony Brook
"Merleau-Ponty and Derrida: Writing on Writing"

SESSION II: Origins of Truth
Moderator: Lynn Pasquerella, URI
Henry Pietersma, Victoria College, Univ of Toronto
"Carnal Knowledge"
Don Ihde, SUNY Stony Brook
"Merleau-Ponty and the move to Non-Foundational Phenomenology"

SESSION III: Reversibility: Mirrors and Magic
Moderator: Betsy Behnke, The California Center for Jean Gebser Studies
David Levin, Northwestern University
"Visions of Narcissism: Freud, Descartes, Lacan, Merleau-Ponty"
Dennis O'Connor, Concordia University
"The Opening of Vision: Response of Levin"
Ernest Sherman, Pace University
"Merleau-Ponty and the Trickster: Philosophy as the Mytho-Logos of Ambiguity"
SESSION IV: Merleau-Ponty and the Irrational
Moderator: Anne Ashbaugh, Colgate University
Martin Dillon, SUNY Binghamton
"Abyss and Logos"
Patrick Burke, Seattle University
"Listening at the Abyss"

SESSION V: Aesthetics: Gesture and Style
Moderator: Ira Kuhn, URI
Carol Bigwood, York University
"Seeing Blake's Illuminated Books"
Michael B. Smith, Berry College
"The role of Proust's 'notions without equivalent' in Merleau-Ponty's Ontology"
Stephen Watson, University of Notre Dame
"Merleau-Ponty: Transcendental Imagination and Body-Schema"

SESSION VI: Persons, Power, Persuasion
Moderator: Gail Weiss, Yale University
Richard Lanigan, Southern Illinois University
"The Algebra of History: Merleau-Ponty and Foucault on the Rhetoric of the Person"
Merold Westphal, Fordham University
"Situation and Suspicion in the Thought of Merleau-Ponty: The Question of Phenomenology and Politics"

SESSION VII: Philosophy and Non-Philosophy
Moderator: Dennis Schmidt, SUNY Binghamton
Joseph Flay, Pennsylvania State University
"Merleau-Ponty and hegel: Radical Essentialism"
Richard McCleary, Old Dominion University
"What's the Sense of Philosophy?"
DISTINGUISHED LECTURE
Moderator: Fritz Wenisch, URI
Introduction: Bernard Flynn, Empire State College SUNY
"Flesh and Otherness (Chair et alterite)"

SESSION VIII: Selfhood and Alterity
Moderator: Ken Liberman, University of Oregon
Lawrence Hass, University of Illinois
"Consideration of Merleau-Ponty and the Value of the Other"
Wayne Froman, George Mason University
"Alterity and the Paradox of Being"
Robert Bernasconi, University of Essex
"Levinas and the Trace of Merleau-Ponty"

SESSION IX: Earth, Dwelling, Place
Moderator: C.B. Peters, URI
Monika Langer, University of Victoria
"Merleau-Ponty and Deep Ecology"
J. Barry, SUNY Stony Brook
"The Primacy of Perception and the Proper Place of Things"
David Abram, SUNY Stony Brook
"Time and Space: Animal Objections and Topological Reflections"