

# CALL FOR PAPERS



## PASSHE IAPRS PHILOSOPHY & RELIGIOUS STUDIES CONFERENCE AT KUTZTOWN UNIVERSITY

The [Kutztown University Department of Philosophy](#) will host the 25<sup>th</sup> annual conference of the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education ([PASSHE](#)) Interdisciplinary Association for Philosophy and Religious Studies ([IAPRS](#)). A registration form for the conference will be available soon.

**Date:** Friday March 30-Saturday March 31, 2012

**Place:** [McFarland Student Union Building](#), Kutztown University of Pennsylvania

**Keynote Speaker:** [Lynne Rudder Baker](#), Distinguished Professor of Philosophy, University of Massachusetts, Amherst. Her areas of research interest are Metaphysics, Philosophy of Mind, and Philosophical Theology. She is the author of [Saving Belief: A Critique of Physicalism](#) (1987), [Explaining Attitudes: A Practical Approach to the Mind](#) (1995), [Persons and Bodies: A Constitution View](#) (2000), and [The Metaphysics of Everyday Life: An Essay in Practical Realism](#) (2007).

**Submission Deadline:** February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012

We invite papers from **students and faculty** on any topic in Philosophy or Religious Studies. Papers should have a reading time of 15-20 minutes, be prepared for blind review, have a *100-word abstract*, and be submitted electronically in an easily accessible form. Decisions will be made by March 1<sup>st</sup>. Undergraduate students whose paper is accepted for the conference will have their rooms for Friday night paid by the IAPRS. The top three undergraduate papers will be awarded prizes if the papers are of sufficient merit. Students whose paper wins a prize are encouraged to submit their papers to *Janua Sophia*. For enquiries or to submit a paper for the conference, contact Joseph Jedwab, with subject heading "*IAPRS Conference*," at [jedwab@kutztown.edu](mailto:jedwab@kutztown.edu).