From the Editor:
With this issue, we welcome the Society’s new Secretary-Treasurer, Professor Jeremiah Hackett, and thank our outgoing Secretary-Treasurer, Professor Mary-Beth Ingham, for her service to the Society over the past three years.

Many thanks as well to those of you who paid your 2005 dues in timely fashion by responding to the form on the back of the fall newsletter. If you haven’t yet done so, payments are still being accepted by our Secretary-Treasurer at the following address:

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Annual Dues Schedule: regular membership: $10; contributing membership: $15 or more; associate membership: $5; student membership: $5; lifetime membership: $150.

Please remember that the Society depends on your support. If you don’t like to think about having to send in your payment every year, please consider joining the 20 or so of your colleagues in our lifetime membership category.

One final bit of news: our website is being renovated and will soon be migrating from its current home at Loyola Marymount University to the Cornell University server. We hope you will enjoy the new look and added features. I will keep you informed as this develops.

With my best wishes for a relaxing and enjoyable summer,

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MINUTES OF THE 2004 BUSINESS MEETING OF THE SOCIETY

The annual business meeting was held at 7:30 p.m. in the Harvard Room of the Copley Marriott Hotel, Boston, on December 28, 2004.

President Steven Marrone called the Business meeting to order at 7:35 pm. Mary Beth Ingham presented the minutes of the Executive Committee meeting. She also reported that the assets
of the Society are currently $27,614.35. There are currently 320 members. She announced that there would be an effort made over the next several months to update current addresses, especially email addresses.

An announcement was made about the affiliation of SIEPM with APA. In the future, SIEPM will sponsor a session at Eastern APA. This represents a more collaborative working relationship between SMRP and SIEPM. In April 2005, we will co-sponsor a session at the Central Division meeting of the APA.

No essays were submitted for the Young Scholar award this year. Members are urged to publicize this award. Mention of it will be placed on the Society’s website.

Thérèse Druart presented the names from the Nominating Committee. They are:

Gordon Wilson, Vice President
Jeremiah Hackett, Secretary-Treasurer
Edith Sylla, Executive Committee
Thomas Hibbs, Executive Committee

The nominations were voted on and approved by the membership.

President Marrone announced that new brochures were available and that application forms were at the entrance to the room, for anyone who wished to join the Society. He reminded the members of the reception to be held on December 29, following the second session sponsored by the Society. He thanked Mary Beth Ingham for her work as Secretary-Treasurer.

The Business meeting adjourned at 7:50 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Beth Ingham
Secretary-Treasurer

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Reti Medievali
Iniziative on line per gli studi medievistici
Online Initiatives for Medieval Studies

Reti Medievali was established in 1998 by a group of scholars from the Universities of Florence, Naples, Palermo, Venice, and Verona, and started online in May of 2000. In 2001 more scholars from other Italian universities joined the editorial board. Since 2004, the contributions of a group of Italian and foreign corresponding editors have extended the thematic and geographic range of our initiative.

RM aims at establishing itself as an online community of medievalists, beyond specialist fields, and at encouraging institutions and individual scholars in experimenting and exploring, through a common action, the potential of new communication technologies.

RM proposes itself as a high-level scientific and informative website and aims at offering texts, working tools and reflections on historiography, in keeping with present trends in Italian research and teaching practice.

Texts and materials published by RM are peer-reviewed by the editorial board.

RM has been published since 2002 by Firenze University Press and deposited...
in digital form at the Biblioteca Nazionale Centrale of Florence.


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Call for Papers: *The Philosophy of Peter Abelard*

Jeffrey E. Brower, editor

Every 3rd issue of *American Catholic Philosophical Quarterly* is devoted to a particular philosopher. In 2006, there will be a special issue devoted to Peter Abelard. Submissions on any aspect of Abelard’s philosophy or philosophical theology are welcome.

**Contributor guidelines:**

2. Papers should be no longer than thirty pages (typed, double-spaced) and should adhere, in matters of style, to *The Chicago Manual of Style*, 14th ed., using footnotes and no bibliography. (Detailed style sheet is available on-line at: [http://www.acpamain.org/ACPQSubmissionGuidelines.html](http://www.acpamain.org/ACPQSubmissionGuidelines.html).)
3. Papers should be submitted in duplicate, along with two copies of an abstract (100 to 150 words), to the following address (electronic submissions are welcome):

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**INTERNATIONAL MEDIEVAL CONGRESS**

(IMC), University of Leeds, July 11-14, 2005

Theme: *Youth & Age*


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**THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO COLLOQUIUM IN MEDIAEVAL PHILOSOPHY 2005**

Friday, 23 September

SESSION I: 4:30 - 6:30  
Chair, Jennifer Ashworth (University of Waterloo)

Scott MacDonald (Cornell University), “Aquinas on Prudence: From Personal Virtue to Natural Law”

Thomas Williams (University of Southern Florida), commentary

6:30 reception

Saturday, 24 September

SESSION II: 10:00 - 12:00  
Chair, Robert Pasnau (University of Colorado, Boulder)
Richard Cross (Oxford University), “Scotus on Substance and Identity”

Timothy Noone (Catholic University of America), commentary

lunch break

SESSION III: 2:30 - 4:30
Chair, Jack Zupko (Emory University)

Claude Panaccio (Université de Québec à Montréal), “Ockham on Conceptual Similitudes”

Gyula Klima (Fordham University), commentary

7:00 Conference Dinner (reservation required)

All sessions will be held in Alumni Hall, Room 400 (St. Michael’s College, 121 St. Joseph Street). The sessions are free and open to the public. If you plan to attend please let us know: medieval.philosophy@utoronto.ca.

The colloquium is sponsored by the Department of Philosophy, Department of Classics, and Centre for Medieval Studies, University of Toronto; University of St. Michael’s College; Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies.

Organizers: Deborah Black, Peter King, Martin Pickavé.

Accommodations: The Quality Hotel Midtown (to be rebranded as the Holiday Inn Midtown) in Toronto, located next to the St. George campus, is offering rooms at a reduced rate for the conference if you reserve before August 23rd: call (416)-968-0010, and use the Group ID #102835 or the Group name “Toronto Colloquium in Mediaeval Philosophy.”

We hope you can join us!

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The Third Annual

MIDWESTERN CONFERENCE IN MEDIEVAL PHILOSOPHY

Marquette University
Milwaukee, Wisconsin
16-17 September 2005

The conference is intended to provide a formal occasion and central location for philosophers and scholars of the Midwest region (and elsewhere!) to present and discuss their current work in medieval philosophy.

Conference sessions will take place in the Raynor Library Friday and Saturday 16-17 September, 2005.

Arrangements have been made for a block of 12 reserved rooms just a few blocks down the avenue from Marquette University at the Holiday Inn Milwaukee City Center, 611 West Wisconsin Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53203. Tel. 1-414-273-2950. Rate: $89/nt. single or double. Reservation deadline: August 15, 2005.

For further information, please contact Professor Richard Taylor at: Richard.Taylor@Marquette.edu.

or visit the conference website: http://homepage.mac.com/mistertea/Personal32.html

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The Word in Medieval Logic, Theology and Psychology

XIIIth Annual Colloquium
Société Internationale pour l’Étude de la Philosophie Médiévale (SIEPM)
Kyoto, JAPAN
27 September - 1 October 2005
Kyoto International Conference Hall

For additional information, click on:
http://www.siepm.uni-freiburg.de/

Transcendence and Immanence in the Thought of Thomas Aquinas

Third international conference of the Thomas Institute at Utrecht, The Netherlands
15-17 December 2005
Location: conference-center ISVW in Leusden (near Utrecht)

Main speakers: Conor Cunningham (Nottingham), Harm Goris (Utrecht), Bruce Marshall (Dallas), Herwi Rikhof (Utrecht), Gregory Rocca (Berkeley), Hans-Christian Schmidbaur (Lugano), Henk Schoot (Utrecht) and Rudi te Velde (Amsterdam/Tilburg).

Topics: Aquinas’
- understanding of God
- teaching on creation
- teaching on grace and life eternal
- approach to Christ and his sacraments

The main lectures will be followed by parallel paper sessions, which will also focus on these four subject areas. We kindly invite scholars from different disciplines to send in proposals for papers, which will take approx. 25 minutes. Conference languages are English, German and French.

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http://www.thomasinstitute.org/

THE 41ST INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON MEDIEVAL STUDIES

Medieval Institute, Western Michigan University, May 4-7, 2006

Call for papers and session proposal forms:
http://www.wmich.edu/medieval/congress/41cfp/

INTERNATIONAL MEDIEVAL CONGRESS (IMC), University of Leeds, July 10-13, 2006

Theme: Emotion and Gesture

Conference and session proposal information available at:
http://www.leeds.ac.uk/imi/imc/imc2006/imc2006.htm
CALL FOR MONOGRAPHS

The Publications Committee of the Society has both a publishing arrangement with The Catholic University of America Press and funding available to subsidize the publication of significant scholarly works in medieval or Renaissance philosophy. The Committee especially seeks mature and distinctly philosophical treatments of texts, figures, periods, or problems.

Although we wish to encourage young scholars, we will not consider unrevised doctoral dissertations. Since we are looking for philosophical monographs, we will not at present consider text editions or translations of Latin texts.

For further information, please contact the Chair of the Publications Committee:

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SOME RECENT WORKS IN MEDIEVAL AND RENAISSANCE PHILOSOPHY


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FREUDENTHAL, GAD, Science in the Medieval Hebrew and Arabic Traditions, Variorum Collected Studies Series, Aldershot (UK) and Burlington (VT), Ashgate, 2005.


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