

# CALL FOR PAPERS

for

International Merleau-Ponty Circle panels

at the

**Diverse Lineages of Existentialism II:  
Critical Race, Feminist, & Continental Philosophy Conference**

<https://dleii.com/>

**Note: Submission deadline extended: December 1, 2018**

**George Washington University, Washington DC**

**JUNE 3-5, 2019**

How does Merleau-Ponty's phenomenology encourage, engage, hinder, and inform diversity, and how does diversity inflect, support, challenge, and transform Merleau-Ponty's phenomenology?

We invite submissions from International Merleau-Ponty Circle members for two panels discussing this robust cross-fertilization. Papers may consider Merleau-Ponty's intersection with other lineages; pre-personal, gendered, and situated embodiment; reversibility, cooperation, and reciprocal power; cultural sedimentation, power structures, and creativity; center, periphery, decentering, self, and other; ability and vulnerability; embodied horizons; the flesh as transformative encounter; and other, unanticipated directions and lines of inquiry.

Completed papers will be given strong priority. Papers should be no more than 3000 words/20 minutes reading time. Please send submissions to: [gweiss@gwu.edu](mailto:gweiss@gwu.edu)