



Call for Papers  
American Society for Aesthetics, Eastern Division Meeting  
Philadelphia, PA April 4-6, 2019

Submission deadline: **January 15<sup>th</sup>**, 2019

We are looking forward to a second year in our new venue, the Courtyard Marriott in Center City Philadelphia.

Plenary Lecture:     **Amie Thomasson**, Daniel P. Stone Professor of Intellectual and Moral Philosophy at Dartmouth College.

Temple University's Beardsley Lecture:     **Fred Rush**, Professor of Philosophy at the University of Notre Dame.

Papers on any topic in aesthetics are invited, as well as proposals for panels, author-meets-critics, or other special sessions. Papers and proposals from traditionally underrepresented groups (including women, racial minorities, and persons with disabilities, among others) are encouraged. We welcome volunteers to serve as session chairs and commentators. To submit a paper or panel proposal for consideration you must be a member of the American Society for Aesthetics, and if your paper is accepted you must register for the conference. You can join ASA on-line: <http://aesthetics-online.org>. **Papers** should not exceed 3,000 words, should be accompanied by a 100-word abstract, and must be prepared for blind review. **Panel proposals** must include a general description of the topic or theme, the names and affiliations of all proposed participants, and a long abstract (approximately 1000 words) for each of the presentations. The abstract should articulate the thesis and central argument(s) of the talk.

\$1000 will be available for Irene H. Chayes Travel grants, from the American Society for Aesthetics, for paper presenters with no other access to travel funds. To apply, notify the organizers that you wish to be considered, and estimate your travel costs. Do not include this in your paper.

Please send submissions in PDF, Word, or RTF format to Laura di Summa, Michel-Antoine Xhignesse, and John Dyck at [esasubmissions@gmail.com](mailto:esasubmissions@gmail.com).

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