

Call for Symposium Proposals

Philosophy of Science Association

Seventeenth-Biennial Meeting, 2–5 November 2000

Members of the PSA are invited to submit proposals for symposia to be presented at the PSA 2000 meeting in Vancouver, B.C. on 2–5 November 2000. Proposals must include sufficient supporting material to permit the program committee to evaluate the quality and interest of the symposium. The proposal should include:

1. The title of the proposed symposium
2. A description of the topic and a justification of its current importance to the discipline (about one or two pages)
3. Titles and abstracts of papers
4. A list of participants and either an abbreviated curriculum vitae or a short biographical information file for each
5. Addresses of each participant, with the institutional affiliation, postal and email addresses, and telephone numbers

Please indicate clearly the name of the organizer or contact person for the purposes of communication with the Program Committee.

In addition to inviting proposals in traditional areas of the philosophy of science, the Program Committee wants also to encourage the submission of proposals in areas where the philosophy of science engages social issues in science or issues in science policy.

A selection of symposium papers will be published after the meeting as a supplementary issue of *Philosophy of Science*. Organizers should make it clear to symposium participants that, normally, by accepting the invitation to participate in a symposium they agree to present a paper at the meeting and to deliver a final manuscript of the paper by 15 January 2001. Symposium organizers who wish to invite someone who would not submit a manuscript for publication should make that status clear in the symposium proposal.

Symposium proposals should reach the chair of the Program Committee no later than **1 November 1999**.

The Program Committee for PSA 2000 is as follows: Jeffrey A. Barrett (UC Irvine), Stephen M. Downes (University of Utah), Alan Hajek (Cal Tech), Christopher Hitchcock (Cal Tech), Nancy J. Nersessian (Georgia Tech), John D. Norton (University of Pittsburgh), C. Kenneth Waters (University of Minnesota), Alison Wylie (Washington University—St. Louis).

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