



2011 Call for Papers

The Orthodox Theological Society in America announces the annual Call for Papers. The Society will meet September 15-17 at Holy Cross Greek Orthodox School of Theology, Brookline, MA. Individual submissions on any topic on Orthodox theology and culture are encouraged, although complete sessions are preferred. Members are encouraged to organize a panel, dealing with a single theme or a panel devoted to a recent book, especially if the book's author could attend the session.

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The Orthodox Theological Society in America was organized under the auspices of the Standing Conference of Canonical Orthodox Bishops in the Americas (SCOBA) for the promotion of Orthodox theology, the cultivation of fellowship and cooperation among Orthodox Christians, and to coordinate the work of Orthodox theologians in the Americas.

The Society is very pleased to announce that Fr. John McGuckin will deliver the Annual Georges Florovsky Lecture on Friday, September 16th. The tentative title of his lecture is "Frs. Georges Florovsky and Sergey Bulgakov: A Conflict of Typologies Concerning the Dialogue of Orthodoxy and Contemporary Society?"

Please send an abstract of each paper and of the proposed session not to exceed 250 words in length along with an abbreviated c.v. of the presenters to the Secretary of the Society no later than 25 April 2011. Please send all submission to the secretary of the Society (secretary@otsamerica.com). Abstracts must follow the format specified below.

The Officers of the Society will act as the Program Committee and will make the final decisions on the program and respond to submissions with an announcement of the final program no later than June 1, 2011.

Presenters will be given 20-25 minutes for presentation of the paper (approximately 10-12 pages) with time for questions and discussion. These time limits will be strictly enforced.

Abstracts of accepted papers will be posted on the Society's website as part of the Annual Meeting program.

Regards,
Maria McDowell
Secretary, OTSA
secretary@otsamerica.org

Submitting an abstract:

1. Please submit your document as a doc (Word), odt (Open Office), .txt or .rtf. Name your file using the following pattern: "OTSA-2011-YourLastName"
2. Please use the format below to submit your abstract.

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Name:

Address:

Academic affiliation: (or the designation “Independent Scholar” with city and state of residence)

Are you a graduate student?

Are you a member of OTSA?

Phone (day):

Fax number:

E-mail address that will be active on May 1:

Paper title:

Audio/visual equipment needed (LCD projector, slides, overhead, etc):

Abstract (Page 2)

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