

**The Society for Existential and Phenomenological Theory and Culture ([EPTC](#))
La société de théorie et cultures existentialistes et phénoménologiques ([TCEP](#))**

Panels Devoted to Animals
University of Victoria, British Columbia, Canada (June 4 to 7, 2013)

Wednesday June 5:

9:00 – 11:30: **Panel « Phenomenological Approaches to Animal Otherness »**

→ **Brett Buchanan** (Laurentian University, author of *Onto-Ethologies: The Animal Environments of Uexküll, Heidegger, Merleau-Ponty, and Deleuze*, SUNY, 2008)

Being Towards Extinction

→ **Don Beith** (McGill University)

Merleau-Ponty's Animate Epistemology: Learning to Perceive (as) Animals

14:00 – 16:30: **Panel « Animals: Rights, Veganism and Justice »**

→ **Valéry Giroux** (Université de Montréal)

An Antispeciesist Approach to Fundamental Rights

→ **Sue Donaldson** (co-author with Will Kymlicka of *Zoopolis: A Political Theory of Animal Rights*, Oxford University Press, 2011)

Unruly Beasts: Humans and Animals Sharing the Demos

Thursday June 6

9:00 – 12:30: **Panel « Veganarchism and Paleoethics: Equality beyond Species »**

→ **Cynthia Willet** (Emory University, author of *Irony in the Age of Empire*, 2008), *The Soul of Justice: Social Bonds and Racial Hubris* (2001), *Maternal Ethics and Other Slave Moralities* (1995)

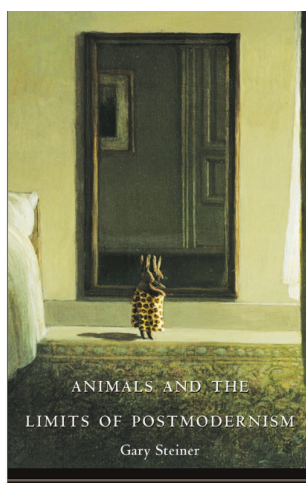
Interspecies Living (a serious ethics with a comic twist)

→ **Dinesh Wadiwel** (University of Sidney)

Resisting the War Against Animals: Counter-Conduct and Truce

→ **John Sanbonmatsu** (Worcester Polytechnic Institute), [*Critical Theory and Animal Liberation*](#) (Rowman & Littlefield, 2011)

14:00 – 17:30: **Book Panel on Gary Steiner's [*Animals and the Limits of Postmodernism*](#) (Columbia University Press, 2013)**



→ **Patrick Llored** (Université de Lyon), *Jacques Derrida, Politique et éthique de l'animalité* (Sils Maria, 2013)

→ **Chloë Taylor** (University of Alberta), « Foucault and the Ethics of Eating », (*Foucault Studies*, 2010)

→ **Jan Dutkiewicz** (PhD candidate in the Department of Politics at the New School for Social Research)

→ **Gary Steiner** (Bucknell University), *Animals and the Moral Community* (CUP, 2008), *Anthropocentrism and Its Discontents: The Moral Status of Animals in the History of Western Philosophy* (2005)