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New Currents in Teaching Philosophy 2022

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Please share with deans, program chairs, and faculty members in philosophy and closely-related fields.

WHAT:
Enhance teaching, attract students, and build programs. Learn about new models for successful courses and innovative pedagogy. Experience four days of presentations by philosophers from leading research and teaching institutions, practical workshops, and intense conversations with peers from institutions similar to yours.

WHEN & WHERE:
Baltimore, Maryland, July 24–28, 2022. There is no fee to participate. All program materials, a hotel room, and most meals during the Institute are included, and CIC will offer a travel reimbursement of up to $250.

WHY:
“Philosophy as a discipline is facing headwinds,” says program director Ned Hall (chair of the philosophy department at Harvard University). Departments face many challenges, and persuading students to take philosophy courses at most colleges and universities can be a daunting task. New Currents in Teaching Philosophy invites dedicated philosophy instructors to tackle these challenges together.

WHO:
Any full-time faculty member in philosophy who teaches at a CIC member institution can be nominated to participate in the 2022 Institute—unless someone from the institution participated in the 2021 Institute.

HOW TO APPLY:
A faculty member must be nominated by the chief academic officer at their institution. Applications include a statement of purpose from the faculty member—describing current challenges and opportunities facing the institution’s philosophy program—and a nomination letter from the institution. Visit www.cic.edu/philosophy22 for additional guidelines. All materials must be submitted online. The deadline is January 21, 2022. The selection process is competitive.

PRESENTATION & WORKSHOP TOPICS
(subject to change)
• Rethinking the “History of Philosophy” Course
• Philosophy and the Good Life
• Minds and Machines
• Expanding Access to Philosophy
• Building a Vibrant Philosophy Program
• Narratives of Freedom and Justice
• Argument Mapping in the Classroom

“I have never experienced anything quite like this workshop, and the experience was overwhelmingly positive, as well as being deeply useful professionally.”
—Participant in the 2021 Institute

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