CALL FOR PAPERS

CTSA Convention, Cleveland, Ohio
June 11-14, 2020

TOPIC SESSION: Fundamental Theology and Method

ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM:
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CONVENTION THEME: “All You Who Labor…”:
Theology, Work, and Economy

The Fundamental Theology and Method Session is interested in receiving paper proposals that address issues in the area of fundamental theology and method relating specifically to the 2020 convention theme. In particular, we welcome papers that consider the work of theology and human flourishing. Areas of possible exploration within or supplementary to that theme might include:

• Connections between Christology, ministry, work
• Sin and work, grace and work
• Human nature and work, including themes such as consumerism, identity, idolatry

We also welcome papers considering the following:

• The work of theology and divisions of labor (e.g., Lonergan’s functional specialties)
• Structures within academia and the field of theology that lead to flourishing—or not
• Theology vs. religious studies

Other topics in Fundamental Theology and Theological Method will of course be considered.

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN YOUR PROPOSAL:
• Your paper proposal should be not more than 500 words.
• You should also include a 100 words précis that will be posted on the CTSA website should your paper be accepted.
• Please provide your name, institution, and contact information, including e-mail.
• Indicate whether you will be requiring A/V equipment.

ELIGIBILITY FOR SUBMITTING PAPER PROPOSALS

• CTSA guidelines require that those making proposals ordinarily be associate or full members in good standing with their dues paid up. Anyone with an associate or full membership application on file can also submit a proposal if they expect to be accepted for membership in the upcoming June convention.
• No member may present a paper/respond to a paper/participate on a panel more than once at a given convention. An exception is made for members of under-represented groups. Presentations made to the Women’s Consultation on Constructive Theology are included in this rubric.
• Members cannot have a speaking role for more than two consecutive years in a three-year period.

Deadline: September 1, 2019. Please submit proposals to Christopher Hadley, S.J., Jesuit School of Theology of Santa Clara University, at chadley@scu.edu.

You will be notified by e-mail whether your paper has been accepted by September 14, 2019.