

September 20 & 21, 2019

# LONERGAN

on the edge: a graduate student conference at  
MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY

## Bias & Conversion

**How can we learn from the works of Bernard Lonergan to seek truth, love, and conversion in the presence of human and community bias?**

*In light of Lonergan's insights on bias, transformation, and conversion, we invite proposals that use these insights as a springboard to explore conversion away from biases in any field of human endeavor: history, politics, sociology, psychology, ethics, theology, & more.*

**Please submit your proposed abstract to [lonergansociety@gmail.com](mailto:lonergansociety@gmail.com) by July 31st, 2019.**

Accepted proposals will be notified in early August.

### Call for Abstracts:

#### 2019 "Lonergan on the Edge" Graduate Student Conference

Submit your MS Word or PDF proposal as a one-page, double-spaced abstract prepared for blind review (i.e. no name on the proposal itself). Only one submission per student will be accepted. Regular paper presentations will be 30 minutes: 20 for presentation, 10 for Q&A.

We are also accepting panel proposals from groups of 2-3 students. If considering a panel, please indicate the panel theme and submit proposals together, following the blind review guidelines.

All are welcome to attend, but we request proposals from current or recent (within the last five years) graduate students who have not yet received a PhD. Special consideration will be given to proposals that address this year's theme, though other proposals in Lonergan studies may be considered.

**"Bias** creeps into one's outlook, rationalization into one's morals, ideology into one's thought. So one may come to **hate the truly good, and love the really evil.**

Nor is that calamity limited to individuals.

It can happen to groups, to nations, to blocks of nations, to [hu]mankind.

It can take different, opposed, belligerent forms

to divide [hu]mankind and

to menace civilization  
with destruction."

Method in  
Theology.  
Chapter 2

### Call for Applications:

#### M. Shawn Copeland Presentation in Contextual Theology

The 7<sup>th</sup> annual M. Shawn Copeland Presentation in Contextual Theology is a student presentation on the intersection of contextual theology and Lonergan studies. The selected presenter will receive an expanded presentation format and financial support for travel and accommodations.

Students interested in applying for the M. Shawn Copeland Presentation should follow the standard submission instructions and indicate interest in being considered in their application email.

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