

Call for Abstracts
THE KRISTEVA CIRCLE

October 27-28, 2017, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA



Keynote Speakers:

Hortense Spillers, Vanderbilt University

Jack Halberstam, University of Southern California at Los Angeles

Please submit abstracts (500-750 words) on any topic related to the work of Julia Kristeva, to kristevacircle@gmail.com. We welcome submissions from across all disciplines. Themes may vary from the study of Kristeva's relevance in the arts, philosophy, theology, disability studies etc. to the study of central themes in Kristeva's work: abjection, melancholy, transference. Abstracts should be suitable for anonymous review; include a separate document with name, paper title, affiliation, and contact information. The deadline for abstracts is **April 1, 2017**.

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