The University of Miami
Department of Philosophy presents

The Seventh Annual
Graduate Student Conference in Epistemology

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Thursday, January 14th, 2010

5:30 pm: Reception, Philosophy Department Library,
Ashe Building Room 735

7:00 pm: Welcome Dinner: Soyka

Friday, January 15th, 2010
The Learning Center, Rm. 110

9:30-10:00 am: Light Breakfast

10:00–11:00 am: The Semantic Dilemma of Metaphysics
Tyler Hildebrand University of Colorado at Boulder
Commentary: Robin Neiman

11:15 am–12:15 pm: Towards a Reconciliation Between the Epistemology and
Metaphysics of Modality
Lars Enden University of Washington
Commentary: Micah Dugas

12:15–1:15 pm: Lunch, provided at the Learning Center
1:15 – 2:15 pm: Kripke on Modal Error  
Alma Barner *Universität zu Köln*  
Commentary: Mark Warren

2:30–4:00 pm:  
**Keynote Address:**  
What is the Source of our Knowledge of Modal Truths?  
E.J. Lowe  
*Durham University*

7pm: Dinner: Greenstreet

**Saturday, January 16th, 2010**  
The Learning Center, Rm. 110

9:30-10:00 am: Light breakfast at the Learning Center

10:00–11:00 am: How to Resolve Kripke's Dogmatism Paradox  
Todd Beattie *Princeton University*  
Commentary: Aaron Wilson

11:15–12:15 pm: Relativism and Sceptical Paradox  
Dirk Kindermann *University of St Andrews*  
Commentary: Noel Alphonse

12:15–1:15 pm: Lunch, provided at the Learning Center

1:30–2:30 pm: Causal Constraints on Conceivability: Exploring Modal Skepticism  
Shane Oakley ('Alumnus' Speaker)

2:45-4:00pm: **Panel Discussion on Modal Epistemology**  
Panelists:  
E.J. Lowe  
Amie Thomasson  
Simon Evnine

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