

## Online 2020 Polanyi Society Annual Meeting

The Polanyi Society will hold its annual meeting as a Zoom conference with sessions on Thursday, November 19; Friday, November 20; and Saturday, November 21, 2020. Papers will not be read in Zoom sessions but will be posted here for downloading and review by early November 2020. The sessions will focus on discussion. When a paper is available, the title listed below will provide a link. Anyone interested can participate in the online discussion sessions focused on this set of annual meeting papers. It is not necessary to be a member of the Polanyi Society. By sending an email to *both* parties listed below, you will gain admittance to as many of the sessions as you desire to attend.

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You will later receive a link for the Zoom session or sessions that you have registered for. If you have signed up for a session, you will be notified directly about any necessary changes in this schedule. Any changes will also be posted here and will be announced on the Polanyi Society discussion list.

**Thursday, November 19 Zoom Session:** Begins at 11 a.m. Central Standard Time. The discussion of the second paper listed for the session will begin at 12:15 p.m. There will be about a 15-minute break between sessions.

Jessica Schroeder, [“Beyond Confirmation: Expanding Beauty in Polanyi’s Epistemology”](#)

Stan Scott, [“The Poetics of Discovery II: Creative Imagination and Dynamic Intuition in Polanyi, Stevens, and Bergson”](#)

**Friday, November 20 Zoom Session:** Begins at 11 a.m. Central Standard Time. Since there are three papers to be discussed, each paper will be allocated 45 minutes with a 5-minute break between sessions.

Robert Frazier, [“Polanyi on Nihilism and the Political Authority”](#)

Richard Moodey, [“Confronting or Denying the Minotaur: ‘Moral Inversion’ Today”](#)

Charles Lowney, [“Three Freedoms and an Emergentist’s Hope for Social Progress”](#)

**Saturday, November 21 Zoom Session:** Begins at 11 a.m. Central Standard Time. The discussion of the second paper listed for the session will begin at 12 noon, with a 5-minute break between discussions. There will be a brief general meeting of the Polanyi Society at the conclusion of the discussion of the second paper (approximately 1 p.m.).

Esther Meek, [“Things, Subsidiary Focal Integration, and a Metaphysics of Liberty: Comparing Michael Polanyi and Michael Hanby on Science and Metaphysics”](#)  
Joshua Gilliland, [“The Silent Knowers: Implications of a Polanyian Account of Knowing and Being for the Computer-Information Model”](#)