# Religion and the Sciences

## Opportunities and Challenges

### A Kripke Symposium

#### Thursday, February 20, 2014

	8:30-9:15	Elizabeth F. Cooke, "Science, Religion and Conflict: A Pragmatist Perspective"
	9:15-10:00	Donna Bowman, "Data-Driven Religion: Empirical Thinking in Theological Inquiry"
	10:30–11:15	Ronald A. Simkins, "Scientific Nonsense, Historical Fiction, and Biblical Truth: The Historical Adam and Other Misguided Dogmas"
	11:15–12:00	John J. O'Keefe, "Athens and Jerusalem, or How to Think Theologically about Scientia"
	1:00–1:45	Jill O'Brien, "Environmental Ethics: What Do the Various Disciplines Need to Know About Each Other to Engage in Productive Dialogues?"
	1:45–2:30	Kiara Jorgenson, "Creation Facing Forward: How the Irreversible Consequences of Climate Change Challenge and Inform Christian Conceptions of Creation"
	3:00–3:45	Tracy N. Leavelle, "The Earth Trembles and the Hills Melt Like Wax: The Natural Theology of Volcanoes in Nineteenth-Century Hawaii"
	3:45-4:30	Leandra Swanner, "Contested Spiritual Landscapes in Modern American Astronomy"
	4:30–5:15	Leonard J. Greenspoon, "One Man, Many Professions: Moses ben Maimon (Maimonides) as Religion Scholar, Community Leader, Philosopher, and Physician"
Friday, February 21, 2014		

8:30–9:15	Gintaras K. Duda, "Big Questions' in Cosmology: Intersections between Science and Religion"
9:15–10:00	Lisa H. Sideris, "The Varieties of Evolutionary Enchantment"
10:30–11:15	John F. Haught, "How Much Can Biology Explain?: The Encounter of Theology and Evolutionary Naturalism"
11:15–12:00	Salman Hameed, "Evolution, Islam, and Fluid Perceptions of Science and Religion"
1:00-1:45	Stephen Pope, "What Can Christian Ethics Learn from Evolutionary Examinations of Altruism?"
1:45-2:30	Thomas M. Kelly, "Inquiry for Action: The Latin American Church and the Social Sciences Post Vatican II"
3:00-3:45	Joseph Selling, "Some Psychological Aspects of Ethical Decision-Making"
3:45-4:30	Todd A. Salzman, "Theology, Science, and Sexual Anthropology: A Methodological Investigation"

All presentations will be given in the Harper Center 3029 The symposium is free and open to the public



