

Royce, California, and the World

Friday, August 16

12:00 – 1:30 **REGISTRATION**
Foyer Outside Arletta Douglas Room

12:30 – 1:20
Room A
Chair: Randall Auxier, Southern Illinois University Carbondale
— “Royce’s Problem with Sin: Morbid Obsession or Moral Insight?”
Bette Manter, Curry College

1:30 – 2:45
Room A
— “On the Secularization of Sin, from Royce to Rawls”
Martin Woessner, City College of New York, CUNY
— “A Beloved Community of Traitors”
Benjamin Craig, Land of Lincoln College
Commentator: **Scott L. Pratt**, University of Oregon

Room B
— “Josiah Royce on Imagination”
J.L. Roche, Southern Illinois University Carbondale

— “How Provincial Is Wise Provincialism, and How Wise?”
Myron Jackson, Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Commentator: **Dwayne Tunstall**, Grand Valley State University

3:00 – 4:45
Room A
— “The Transitional Importance of Loyalty in the Philosophy of Josiah Royce”
Dave Rodick, Xavier University (Cincinnati)

— “Josiah Royce’s Influence on Charles Sanders Peirce”
David E. Pfeifer, Indiana University-Purdue University, Indianapolis

Commentator: **Randall Auxier**, Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Room B
— “Loyalty and Immigration”
David K. Glidden, University of California, Riverside

— “All this tale is one disgrace to our people’: Royce’s California as an Exercise of Guilty Identity,”
Kevin Harrelson, Ball State University

Commentator: **Jacquelyn Kegley**, California State University, Bakersfield

5:00 - 6:15 **Book Signing and Readings**
Booktown Books, 107 Bank Street
Officiating: Iven Lourie
(First time in print, *Pussy Blackie’s Travels*, by Josiah Royce)

6:30 **BANQUET GATHERING**

6:30-7:30 Holbrooke Hotel, Arletta Douglas Room

Officiating: Randall Auxier
Welcome and Recognition, **Robin Wallace**
Introduction of Speaker, **Scott L. Pratt**

“Grass Valley to the Great Community”
Jacquelyn A. K. Kegley
CSU Outstanding Professor; Wang Award for Outstanding Teaching, Research and Service; Chair of Philosophy and Religious Studies, California State University, Bakersfield

7:30 Dinner

Saturday, August 17

9:00 – 11:00 **REGISTRATION**
Foyer Outside Arletta Douglas Room

8:30 – 9:20
— “Social Division and the Healing Power of the Ethics of Community”
Olav Bryant Smith, California State University, Chico

9:30 – 10:20
— “Royce’s Philosophy of Evil, Loyalty, Sorrow, and Atonement, in Response to Probable Ecological Devastation”
Robert McDermott, California Institute of Integral Studies

10:30 – 11:20
— “Between or Beyond the ‘Abyss of Abstract Conception’ and the ‘Heaven of Glittering Immediacy’: Did Royce Pull It Off?”
Lucio Privitello, The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey

11:30 – 12:20
— “A Deweyan Inspired Roycean Idealism”
Dwayne Tunstall, Grand Valley State University (Michigan)

Afternoon Free: Tour of Grass Valley sponsored by Nevada County Historical Society

4:30-6:00 **RECEPTION**
Grass Valley Library, Royce Branch

6:00 **BANQUET GATHERING**
151 Union Square

Officiating: Dwayne A. Tunstall
Welcome and Recognition, **Iven Lourie**
Introduction of Speaker, **Jacquelyn A. K. Kegley**

“Josiah Royce and the Renewal of the United States: A Challenge to the Royce Community”
Kevin Starr
University Professor of History, Univ. of Southern California; California State Librarian, Emeritus

7:15 Dinner*

Sunday, August 18

8:30 – 9:20
— “Building the Great Community: Assessing Royce’s International Conflict Insurance Proposal in Light of the Collective Security Ideal of the League of Nations and the UN”
Marc Anderson, Montreal, Quebec Canada

9:30 – 10:20
— “From Provincialism to Bioregionalism: Place and the Saving Community”
Kelvin J. Booth, Thompson Rivers University

10:30 – 11:20
— “There’s Something (Someone) in Between”
William Elkins, Drew University

11:30 – 12:20
— “Royce as Psychologist: A Forgotten Aspect of His Thought”
Jacquelyn A.K. Kegley, California State University, Bakersfield

12:20 – 2:00 Lunch (On one’s own)

2:00 “Beyond Our Mountains,” a reading of a play in two acts*
by **Robin A. Wallace**
directed by **Dinah Smith**

*For persons not attending the banquet, there will be a special presentation of “Beyond Our Mountains” on Saturday evening, August 15 at 7:30, open to the public Arletta Douglas Room, Holbrooke Hotel, \$10 at the door. (Both performances open to the public.)