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)

6:00 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*

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

*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.)