

# UNBELIEVABLE

## Jacques Derrida and “Religion”

### THURSDAY, APRIL 26: HIGGINS HALL, ROOM 300

5:00 p.m.

***Derrida's Strategies of Deconstruction in 'Faith and Knowledge'***

J. Hillis Miller, University of California, Irvine

**Reception to follow.**

### FRIDAY, APRIL 27: BURNS LIBRARY, THOMPSON ROOM

9:30–10:00 a.m.

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

10:00–10:15 a.m.

**Welcome**

Kevin Newmark

10:15–10:45 a.m.

**Response to J. Hillis Miller**

Jeffrey Bloechl, Boston College

*Moderator:* Lori Mele

10:45–11:45 a.m.

***Pray Tell: Derrida's Performative Justice***

Michael Naas, DePaul University

*Moderator:* Frances Maughan-Brown

12:00–1:30 p.m.

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1:30–2:30 p.m.

***The Faith of Radical Atheism***

Martin Hägglund, Harvard

*Moderator:* Carolyn Ownbey

2:30–3:00 p.m.

**Response to Martin Hägglund**

Eileen Sweeney, Boston College

*Moderator:* Carolyn Ownbey

3:00–3:15 p.m.

COFFEE BREAK

3:15–4:15 p.m.

**Roundtable Discussion**

with J. Hillis Miller, Jeffrey Bloechl, Michael Naas, Martin Hägglund, Eileen Sweeney, Kevin Newmark, and Kalpana Seshadri