

You are cordially invited to attend *Significations: The 11th Annual CSU Graduate Student Conference*, on Saturday, May 20, 2006. The conference will run from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm and will be located in the Golden Eagle Ballroom at California State University, Los Angeles.

Throughout the day, panels of graduate students will be presenting their research on various topics. We are also delighted to announce that our keynote speaker for this year's conference is Dr. Jim Kincaid. Dr. Kincaid currently holds the Aerol Arnold Chair in English and is a Professor of English at the University of Southern California. His work in Victorian literature and culture and in literary theory has yielded to publication in cultural studies, and he currently conducts research in critical theory, American Studies, and Queer Theory. His honors include a Guggenheim Fellowship, a USC Raubenheimer Outstanding Senior Faculty Award for Teaching and Scholarship, and the USC Center for Excellence in Teaching Faculty Fellow. Professor Kincaid regularly teaches classes in criminality/lunacy/perversion, in age studies, in censorship, and in other areas of literary, political, and cultural studies at the USC.

The conference, including all student panels and the keynote speech, is free to all attendees. However, there is a registration cost of \$25 for those who wish to join us for continental breakfast and full lunch. Copies of the conference proceedings may also be purchased for \$10. Attending the whole day (including breakfast and lunch) is a valuable experience that allows students to network with their peers and discover the variety of research being conducted by fellow scholars.

If you will be attending the conference and wish to include breakfast and lunch, please complete the bottom portion and mail by **April 28, 2006** to:

California State University, Los Angeles
English Department – Significations Graduate Conference
5151 State University Dr.
Los Angeles, CA 90032

Register Early and Save!

The cost for breakfast and lunch on the day of the conference will increase to \$30.

Return this portion with a check made payable to: CSULA English Department

Name: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

School Affiliation: _____

Department: _____

Luncheon: quantity _____ x \$25 \$ _____

Cost includes continental breakfast and lunch.
(Both meat and vegetarian dishes will be served.)

Proceedings: quantity _____ x \$10 \$ _____

Total Included: \$ _____