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Presents:

Reflections on Earth: Objectification, Self-Portraiture, and Self-Consciousness

Thursday, October 4\textsuperscript{th}
Liberal Arts Building, Room 114
3:45 – 5:00 pm

Focusing on works by Hannah Arendt, Edmund Husserl, and Maurice Merleau-Ponty, I will discuss the use of images in photography and painting to capture objects and people, including artists themselves in self-portraits. I will use photographs of Earth from space, a recent self-portrait of an astronaut, self-portraits of artists, and surrealist art to highlight the reversible roles of objectification and subjectivity in the development of self-consciousness.

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