



Richard Shusterman

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Philosophy as a Way of Life: On Camera

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The Cinematic Thinking Network is pleased to present an opportunity to engage with the work of philosopher-artist Richard Shusterman.

Exhorting philosophy as a way of life, Socrates eschewed the practice of philosophical writing as a corrupting distraction. But writing soon became philosophy's privileged medium. To what extent and in what ways can philosophy take advantage of new media technology — not simply through the digital production of articles, books, and blogs but also through visual media?

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