# Miles Hentrup, PhD

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#### Education

Stony Brook University, Ph.D. Philosophy (2017)

Dissertation: "Once Again from the Beginning: On the Relationship of Skepticism and Philosophy in Hegel's System" (Advisor: Dr. Allegra De Laurentiis, Stony Brook University)

Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena, Guest Student (2015-2016)

University of Oregon, M.A. Philosophy (2010)

M.A. Thesis: "Toward a Critique of Crisis Consciousness" (Advisor: Dr. Cheyney Ryan, University of Oregon, Oxford University)

University of Oregon, B.A. Philosophy, Religious Studies (2007)

## **Employment History**

Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Florida Gulf Coast University (2017-present) Visiting Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Florida Gulf Coast University (2016-2017) Graduate Instructor/ Graduate Teaching Assistant, Stony Brook University (2011-2015)

### **Areas of Specialization**

Modern Philosophy (especially Kant and Hegel) Metaphysics and Epistemology

## **Areas of Concentration**

Twentieth Century Continental Philosophy (especially Marxism and Critical Theory)
Philosophy of Religion
Ancient Philosophy (especially Skepticism and Hellenistic Philosophy)

### **Publications**

- 1. Hentrup, Miles. "Comments on Knowledge and Ideology: The Epistemology of Social and Political Critique." Florida Philosophical Review, forthcoming.
- 2. Hentrup, Miles. "Hegel's Logic as Presuppositionless Science." *Idealistic Studies: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Philosophy* 49, no. 2 (2019): 145-165.
- 3. Hentrup, Miles. "Self-Completing Skepticism: On Hegel's Sublation of Pyrrhonism." *Epoché: A Journal for the History of Philosophy* 23, no. 1 (2018): 105-123.

### **Courses Taught**

The German Philosophical Tradition, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2019

Kant's Critique of Pure Reason, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2018

Directed Independent Study, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2018 (Marcuse)

Philosophies of Liberation, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2018

From Kant to Hegel, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2017

Ancient Philosophy, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2018

Introduction to Philosophy, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2017

Marx, Freud, and other Heretics, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2016

History of Ideas, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

Hegel's Phenomenology of Spirit, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2015, 2019

Contemporary World Religions, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2014

Jewish Philosophy, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2014

Philosophy of Human Communication, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2014

Directed Independent Study, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2018 (Kant's Critique of Pure Reason)

Directed Independent Study, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2018 (Hellenistic Philosophy)

Politics and Society, Stony Brook University, 2013

Moral Reasoning, Stony Brook University, 2012, 2013

#### **Conference Presentations**

- 1. "On Michael Morris' Knowledge and Ideology" (2018, Florida Philosophical Association, *Pensacola State College*, Pensacola, FL)
- 2. "The Problem of Presuppositionlessness in Hegel's Logic" (2017, Annual Southwest Seminar in Continental Philosophy, *California State University Northridge*, Northridge, CA)
- 3. "Skepticism in Hegel's *Phenomenology of Spirit*" (2016, Fourth Annual Lehigh Philosophy Conference, *Lehigh University*, PA)
- 4. "Hegel's Self-Completing Skepticism" (2015, Comparative and Continental Philosophy Circle, *University of Reykjavík*, Iceland)
- 5. "Reflections on Strauss' 'Athens and Jerusalem'" (2015, Religious Diversity Forum, *Florida Southwestern State College*, FL)
- 6. "Hegel and Skepticism" (2014, Invited Lecture, Center for Inclusive Education, *Stony Brook University*, NY)
- 7. "Taking Doubt Seriously: Cartesian Skepticism and the Achievement of the Cogito" (2014, Seventh Annual Graduate Student Conference, *University of South Florida*, FL)
- 8. "Against History: Karl Löwith's Challenge to Left Hegelianism" (2013, Society for Phenomenology and the Human Sciences, *University of Oregon*, OR)
- 9. "Borrowed Normativity: The Legacy of Hegel's Critique of Kant in Horkheimer, Adorno, and Habermas" (2012, Fifty-First Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential

- Philosophy, Rochester Institute of Technology, NY)
- 10. "Critique, Complicity, Responsibility: Gayatri Spivak and the Politics of Deconstruction" (2012, Radical Philosophy Association Tenth Biennial Conference, *Canisius College*, NY)
- 11. "Borrowed Normativity: The Legacy of Hegel's Critique of Kant in Horkheimer, Adorno, and Habermas" (2012, "Critical Theories," *Villanova University*, PA)
- 12. "Compromised Nature: Axel Honneth's Curtailed Critique of the Dialectic of Enlightenment" (2011, The Fifteenth Annual Meeting of the International Association for Environmental Philosophy, Philadelphia, PA)
- 13. "Perceiving the Contours of the Future: Revolutionary an Counter-Revolutionary Time in Benjamin's Historical Writings" (2011, "The Revolution of Time and the Time of Revolution:" Philosophy, Interpretation, and Culture Twenty-First Annual Conference," *Binghamton University*, NY)
- 14. "The Poetics of Salvage: Benjamin on Baudelaire's Ragpicker" (2011, "Redemption:" The Fourth Annual Philosophy and the Arts Conference, *Stony Brook University*, NY)
- 15. "Reflections from Damaged Experience: Adorno, Benjamin, and Bloch on the Limits of Critique" (2010, Radical Philosophy Association Ninth Biennial Conference, *University of Oregon*, OR)
- 16. "Rethinking Marx's Crisis Theory" (2010, Radical Philosophy Association Group Meeting, Pacific APA, *University of San Francisco*, CA)
- 17. "Crises Undeniable, Ideological: Jürgen Habermas and the Legitimacy of Critical Theory" (2010, "Justice: Foundations and Crisis," *Loyola University Chicago*, IL
- 18. "Between Taboo and Transgression: Bataille's Answer to Nature" (2009, Pacific Association for the Continental Tradition, *Seattle University*, WA)
- 19. "Unmasking and Unconcealment: Deleuze and Heidegger's Morbid Ontologies" (2009, The Second International Deleuze Studies Conference, *University of Cologne*, Germany)
- 20. "Building a Fence Around the Text: Deconstruction and the Position of the Critic" (2009, "New French Thought," *Villanova University*, PA)
- 21. "Wild Birds, Wax Etchings: Mnemotechnics in Plato's *Theaetetus*" (2008, "The Poetics and Politics of Memory," *Purdue University*, IN)

#### **Awards and Grants**

Mary Jo Small Fellow, Society for Values in Higher Education, 2018

Professional Development Grant, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2017

Max Kade Fellowship, Collegium Philosophiae Transatlanticum, *Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena*, 2015 2016 (award of \$18,000)

Researcher of Distinction, Center for Inclusive Education, Stony Brook University, 2014

Hugh J. Silverman Travel Award in Continental Philosophy, 2014

W. Burghardt Turner Graduate Fellowship, *Stony Brook University*, 2011-2016 (award of \$10,000 annually for 5 years)

International Association for Environmental Philosophy, Best Graduate Student Essay, 2011

## Languages

German (reading proficiency)

Biblical Hebrew (reading proficiency)

Classical Latin (reading proficiency)

# **Service History**

#### Service to the University

- 1. University Curriculum Committee, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2018, 2019
- 2. Religious Studies Search Committee, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2018
- 3. Faculty Advisor, Teaching Internship, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2017, 2018
- 4. Faculty Advisor to the Philosophy Club, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2017-present
- 5. Co-organizer of "History, Memory, and Justice" Conference, *Florida Gulf Coast University*, 2016-2017
- History of Philosophy Exam Committee, Graduate Representative, Stony Brook University, 2013-2014
- 7. Graduate Program Committee, Graduate Representative, Stony Brook University, 2012-2013
- 8. Early Modern Philosophy Search Committee, Graduate Representative, *Stony Brook University*, 2012 -2013
- Ancient Philosophy Search Committee, Graduate Representative, Stony Brook University, 2012-2013
- Philosophy Colloquium Committee, Graduate Representative, Stony Brook University, 2011-2012
- 11. Philosophy Colloquium Committee, Graduate Representative, *University of Oregon*, 2009-2010

### Service to the Profession and Community

- 1. Book Panelist, Knowledge and Ideology, Florida Philosophical Association, Pensacola, FL, 2018
- 2. Judge, Southwest Florida Regional Ethics Bowl, Fort Myers, FL 2017, 2018
- 3. Panel Chair, Hegel Society of America, Evanston, IL, 2014
- 4. Panel Chair, "Freedom's Right: A Symposium on Axel Honneth's Political Philosophy," 2013
- Panel Chair, Eastern APA, Author-Meets-Critic Session on Rainer Forst's The Right of Justification, 2012

- 6. Editorial Assistant, *The Bloomsbury Companion to Hegel*, Edited by Allegra de Laurentiis and Jeffrey Edwards, Bloomsbury Press, 2012
- 7. Panel Chair, Radical Philosophy Association Ninth Biennial Conference, Eugene, OR, 2010
- 8. Response to Mat Foust, Northwest Philosophy Conference, Portland, OR 2007

## References

- 1. Dr. Allegra de Laurentiis, Associate Professor of Philosophy, Stony Brook University, allegra.delaurentiis.stonybrook.edu
- 2. Dr. Jeff Edwards, Associate Professor of Philosophy, Stony Brook University, jeff.edwards@stonybrook.edu
- 3. Dr. Alan Kim, Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Stony Brook University, alan.kim@stonybrook.edu
- 4. Prof. Dr. Klaus Vieweg, Professor of Philosophy, Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena, klaus.vieweg@uni-jena.de
- 5. Dr. Eduardo Mendieta, Professor of Philosophy, Pennsylvania State University, ezm5325@psu.edu
- 6. Dr. Cheyney Ryan, Emeritus Professor of Philosophy, University of Oregon and Oxford University, cheyney.ryan@politics.ox.ac.uk