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EMPLOYMENT

Milwaukee School of Engineering, Milwaukee, WI

2022 –	Associate Professor of Philosophy Department of Humanities, Social Science, and Communication
2016 –	Assistant Professor of Philosophy Department of Humanities, Social Science, and Communication

University of Pennsylvania Law School, Philadelphia, PA

2015 – 16	Program Director, Center for Ethics and the Rule of Law

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

2013 – 15	Andrew W. Mellon Postdoctoral Teaching Fellow in the Humanities Department of Philosophy

Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, IL

2012 – 13	Visiting Assistant Professor of Philosophy

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Ethics and Applied Ethics

AREAS OF COMPETENCE

Epistemology, Social & Political Philosophy, Philosophy of Science

EDUCATION

2012	**Indiana University Bloomington**, Bloomington, IN Ph.D. in Philosophy, Minor in History and Philosophy of Science
2001	**The University of Iowa**, Iowa City, IA B.A., with High Distinction, in Philosophy and English

PUBLICATIONS

2019	"Regret." (with Marcia Baron, lead author). *International Encyclopedia of Ethics*. Ed. Hugh LaFollette. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell. DOI: 10.1002/9781444367072.wbiee743.pub2

2018* "Hopes and Misconceptions: Comment on Gert."* *American Philosophical Association Newsletter on Philosophy and Medicine*. Newark, DE: American Philosophical Association.
accepted for publication Fall 2018; newsletter discontinued by APA prior to scheduled publication

2016 "Moral Distress, Moral Injury, and Moral Luck." *The American Journal of Bioethics*. 16 (12): 29-31. DOI: http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/15265161.2016.1239790

2015 "Activity, Passivity, and Normative Avowal." *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly*. 96 (3) DOI: 10.1111/papq.12090

2014 "Acting for a Reason and Following a Principle." *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice*. 18 (3): 649-661. DOI: 10.1007/s10677-014-9551-7

2009 "Animal Communication and Neo-Expressivism." *The Philosophy of Animal Minds*. Ed. Robert Lurz. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. (Co-authored with Grant Goodrich and Colin Allen.)

2009 "Review of Frans de Waal et al., *Primates and Philosophers: How Morality Evolved*." *The Journal of Philosophy, Science & Law*. Volume 9.

TALKS AND PAPERS PRESENTED

"Machine Learning and Reflective Agency"
2022 Values in Medicine, Science, and Technology (VMST) Annual Conference, University of Texas at Dallas, May 19-22

"Moral Distress Across the Professions: Some Parallels and Their Limitations"
2022 Center for Bioethics and Medical Humanities, Medical College of Wisconsin, Grand Rounds Speaker Series, Milwaukee, WI, May 17
2021 30th Annual Conference of the Association for Practical and Professional Ethics, Virtual Conference, February 25-27

"Go Big or Go Home? Micro-ethics, Macro-ethics, and the Deliberative Perspective in Engineering Ethics Education"
2020 Values in Medicine, Science, and Technology (VMST) Annual Conference, University of Texas at Dallas, May 29-31*
accepted for presentation 4/2/2020; VMST conference cancelled due to coronavirus pandemic
2019 28th Annual Conference of the Association for Practical and Professional Ethics, Baltimore, MD

"Two Perspectives on the Value of Deliberative Reasoning"
2019 Illinois Philosophical Association Annual Conference, Illinois State University, Normal, IL
2019 Wisconsin Philosophical Association Annual Conference, Mount Mary University, Milwaukee, WI

"Engineering Ethics in the Classroom: Go Big or Go Home?"

2017   Milwaukee School of Engineering, Faculty Development Workshop Series

"Ethics and National Security"
2016   Adult Educational Forum, Hope Church, Sturgeon Bay, WI

"What Is the Value of Deliberation?"
2014   3rd Annual Tennessee Value and Agency Conference: Reason, Sentiment, and
               Sensibility in the Moral Life, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN
2014   Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress VII, Poster Session, University of Colorado,
               Boulder, CO

"Evolution and the Value of Deliberative Reasoning"
2014   40th Conference on Value Inquiry: Evolution and the Foundations of Ethics,
               Neumann University, Aston, PA

"Acting for a Reason and Following a Principle"
2013   University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, Department of Philosophy
2013   APA Pacific Division Meeting, San Francisco, CA
2012   Illinois Philosophical Association, University of Illinois, Champaign, IL

"Must We Be Aware of the Reasons for Which We Act?"
2012   Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, IL, Department of Philosophy
2010   Indiana University Bloomington, James B. Nelson Fellowship Lecture

"Ethics and Evolutionary Biology"
2011   Science of Morality Interdisciplinary Reading Group, Indiana University
               Bloomington

"Neo-Expressivism and the Meaning of Animal Communication," with G. Goodrich and C. Allen
2006   Expression Workshop: Art, Language, Ethology, and Ethics, University of North
               Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC

COMMENTS

2019   On Jeffrey Wisdom's "Moral Semantics Meets Neuroscience," Illinois Philosophical
               Association Annual Conference, Illinois State University, Normal, IL

2018   On Heather Gert's "Valid Consent and the Altruistic Misconception," APA Pacific
               Division Meeting, San Diego, CA

2015   On Michael Robinson's "Responsibility for Disjunctions and an Alleged
               Counterexample to Rule A," APA Central Division Meeting, St. Louis, MO

2015   On Gary Hatfield's "Perceiving Color: Subjectivity and Objectivity in Practice,"
               Penn Humanities Forum, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

2014   On Neera Badhwar's "Reasoning about Wrong Reasons, No Reasons, and Reasons
               of Virtue," Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress VII, University of Colorado, Boulder,
               CO

2014   On Gabriel Rockhill's "The Janus Face of Democracy," Penn Humanities Forum,
               University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

2012   On Stephen Davey's "The Problem with (Quasi-Realist) Expressivism," APA Central Division Meeting, Chicago, IL

COURSES TAUGHT

Milwaukee School of Engineering
        Ethics for Engineers and Managers
        Philosophy
        Social and Political Philosophy
        Epistemology
        Informal Logic
        Philosophy of Mind and Artificial Intelligence
        Bioethics
        Ethics of Digital Technologies and AI

University of Pennsylvania
        Biomedical Ethics – as both a traditional classroom course and a live online course
        Topics in Ethics: Duties, Consequences, and Meaningfulness
        The Social Contract – an historically oriented political philosophy course

Illinois Wesleyan University
        Ethics and the Environment
        Mind and World – an introductory metaphysics and epistemology course
        The Evolution of Morality – a first-year, writing-intensive seminar on ethics, moral psychology, and evolution

Indiana University Bloomington, Primary Instructor
        Introduction to Ethics
        Introduction to College Composition – a topic-based intensive writing seminar for incoming freshmen from low-income school districts in Indiana
        Introduction to Philosophy

Indiana University Bloomington, Teaching Assistant
        Thinking and Reasoning – an introductory formal logic course
        Ancient Philosophy

Center for Talented Youth, Franklin and Marshall College, Teaching Assistant
        Introduction to Logic

THESIS ADVISING EXPERIENCE

2013 – 14   Member, Doctoral Preliminary Examination Committee, Thomas Noah, "The Problems of Moral Psychology," University of Pennsylvania

GRANTS, AWARDS, AND HONORS

2022   CREATE Curriculum Integration Grant ($2000), Bioethics, Spring 2022, MSOE

2020	Summer Development Grant ($3000), MSOE, for *Five-Year Plan for MSOE Center for Ethics, Technology, and the Professions*
2019	Protracted Leave (half-time course release), Fall 2019, MSOE
2018	Course Development Grant ($2400) for Ethics of Digital Technologies and Artificial Intelligence, MSOE
2017	Course Development Grant ($2400) for Philosophy of Mind and Artificial Intelligence, MSOE
2016	University of Pennsylvania University Research Foundation Impact Seminar Grant ($8000) for conference on *Producing Leaders of Character and Integrity: Instilling Value into Public Life* (as Program Director with Center for Ethics and the Rule of Law, with Director Claire Finkelstein)
2016	University of Pennsylvania Campaign for Community Grant ($1000) for screening and discussion of *Thank You for Your Service* (as Program Director with CERL, with Director Claire Finkelstein)
2012	Philosophy Department's Nominee, Esther L. Kinsley University-Wide Ph.D. Dissertation Award, Indiana University Bloomington
2011 – 12	Louise B. McNutt Dissertation Research Fellowship, College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University Bloomington
2009 – 10	James B. Nelson Dissertation Year Fellowship, Department of Philosophy, Indiana University Bloomington
2008	Outstanding Associate Instructor Award, Department of Philosophy, Indiana University Bloomington
2001	Collegiate Scholar Award, College of Liberal Arts, The University of Iowa
2000	Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society
2000	Ruth Gulden Holsteen and Charles Sophus Holsteen Memorial Scholarship, Department of English, The University of Iowa

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ACTIVITIES

2021 – 22	Member, Organizing Committee, MCW/MSOE Conference on Ethics of AI in Health Care
2022	Member, Hiring Committee for PieperPower Endowed Chair in Artificial Intelligence, EECS Dept, MSOE
2021 – 22	Member, Hiring Committee for Assistant Professor of Philosophy, HSC Dept, MSOE
2021 –	Member, Institutional Review Board (IRB), MSOE
2021	Member, General Educational Assessment Committee, MSOE
2021	Member, General Education Subcommittee on Common Learning Outcomes, MSOE
2020	Referee, 30th Annual Conference of the Association for Practical and Professional Ethics (APPE)
2020	Presenter, Integrating Ethics in Engineering Faculty Development Workshop, University of Massachusetts, Lowell
2020	Presenter, Engineering Ethics, ASME Milwaukee Section Continuing Education Seminar, March 14th
2019 –	Presenter, Engineering Ethics, Professional Engineers Advancing Knowledge (PEAK) Education Seminar, MSOE, 3x/year
2019 – 20	Conference Chair and Moderator, UNESCO World Bioethics Day Conference 2020: *Moral Distress across the Professions*
2019 –	Member, Steering Committee, UNESCO Bioethics Chair Unit, MSOE
2019	Marketing Coordinator, 2019 Big Ideas Festival, MSOE HSC Department
2018 – 20	Member, MSOE Task Force on Best Pay Practices

2018 – 19	Member, Philosophy Faculty Hiring Committee, MSOE HSC Department
2018 – 19	Member, MSOE HSC Departmental Subcommittee on Expectations for Faculty Reappointment and Rank Advancement
2017 - 19	Departmental Representative, Faculty Senate, MSOE
2017 - 19	Member, Organizing Committee, MSOE's Matthew Stachelski Memorial Bike Ride
2017 - 18	Faculty Advisor and Coach, MSOE Ethics Bowl Team
2017 - 18	Member, Committee on Higher Learning Commission (HLC) Accreditation, MSOE
2017	Referee, Indiana Philosophical Association Annual Conference
2016 - 18	Faculty Co-Advisor (with Dr. Anne Alexander), MSOE Secular Student Alliance
2016 - 19	Departmental Representative, Computer User Committee, MSOE
2016	Referee, *Ethical Perspectives*
2014	Referee and Member of Organizing Committee, Penn-Rutgers-Princeton Social Epistemology Workshop, University of Pennsylvania
2014	Guest Speaker on Teaching and Evaluating Writing in the Classroom, Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Pennsylvania
2013 – 15	Associate Scholar, Penn Humanities Forum, University of Pennsylvania
2010 – 11	Member, Science of Morality Interdisciplinary Reading Group, Indiana University Bloomington
2009	Volunteer, 35th Annual Meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Bloomington, IN
2007 – 08	President, Graduate Association of Students in Philosophy (voting representative at faculty meetings), Department of Philosophy, Indiana University Bloomington
2007	Volunteer, Conference on Agency and Responsibility, Indiana University Bloomington
2006 – 07	Graduate Student Representative and Liaison, Graduate Admissions Committee (voting representative), Department of Philosophy, Indiana University Bloomington
2005 – 06	Organizer, Graduate Student Workshop Series, Department of Philosophy, Indiana University Bloomington

MEDIA APPEARANCES AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH

2021	Panelist, PBS Milwaukee Discussion of Documentary Film, *Coded Bias*, March 10th
2019	Guest Speaker, Wauwatosa East High School Philosophy Club, Wauwatosa, WI, February 21st

REFERENCES

Available on request.