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EMPLOYMENT

- 2015 continuing **Senior Lecturer in Philosophy** (since 2019, previously Lecturer in Philosophy)
La Trobe University
- 2012–2014 **Lecturer in Philosophy**
University of East Anglia
- 2008–2012 **AHRC Postdoctoral Research Fellow**
Arché Research Centre, University of St Andrews
- 2008 **Sessional Lecturer**
Australian National University
- 2004–2005 **Visiting Scholar and Teaching Assistant**
University of North Carolina Chapel Hill.

EDUCATION

- 2009 **PhD Philosophy**, Australian National University
- 2003 **MA, Hons (1st Class) Philosophy**, University of Auckland.
- 1998 **BFA**, University of Auckland.

ACADEMIC INTERESTS

- **AOS**: Epistemology, Philosophical Methodology
- **AOC**: Ethics, Philosophy of Mind

RESEARCH

BOOKS

In preparation. *Knowing What it is Like*. Under contract with Cambridge University Press.

ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

Forthcoming (2023). Social Epistemology and Knowing-How, to appear in *The Oxford Handbook of Social Epistemology*, J. Lackey and A. McGlynn (eds.), Oxford University Press.

2022. Transformative Experiences and the Equivocation Objection. *Inquiry: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Philosophy* Online first <<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/0020174X.2022.2107063>>

2021. Know-How and Skill: The Puzzles of Priority and Explanation, *The Routledge Handbook of Skill and Expertise*, E. Fridland and C. Pavese (eds.), Routledge.

2020. Seumas Miller on Knowing-How and Joint Abilities. *Social Epistemology Review and Reply Collective* 9: 14–21.

2019a. Knowing How. *Analysis* 79 (3): 487–503.

- 2019b. Knowing What It Is Like and Testimony, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* 97 (1): 105–120
2017. Intellectualism and Testimony, *Analysis* 77 (2): 259–266.
2016. Reflective Equilibrium, in the *Oxford Handbook of Philosophical Methodology*, eds. H. Cappelen, T. Gendler and J. Hawthorne, Oxford: Oxford University Press: 213–230.
- 2015a. Revisionary Intellectualism and Gettier, *Philosophical Studies* 172 (1): 7–27.
- 2015b. Knowing How and ‘Knowing How’, in the *Palgrave Handbook of Philosophical Methods*, ed. C. Daly, London: Palgrave Macmillan: 527–552.
2013. Regarding a Regress, *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly* 94 (3): 358–388.
2012. Evidence and Intuition, *Episteme* 9 (4): 311–328.
- 2011a. Knowing How Without Knowing That, in *Knowing How: Essays on Knowledge, Mind, and Action*, J. Bengson and M. Moffett (eds.), New York: Oxford University Press: 113–135.
- 2009a. The Ability Hypothesis and the New Knowledge-how, *Noûs* 43 (1): 137–156.

BOOK REVIEWS AND MISC.

- 2019c. ‘Know-how as Competence: A Rylean Responsibilist Account’, by David Löwenstein. *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*: 97 (3):633–634.
- 2015c. Edouard Machery and Elizabeth O’Neil Current Controversies in Experimental Philosophy. *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*.
- 2011b. Metaphilosophy, *Oxford Bibliographies: Philosophy*, ed. D. Pritchard, New York: Oxford University Press.

GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS

- 2020 Teaching Award from the School of Humanities and Social Sciences at La Trobe University for “High quality resources for online and/or blended learning” (\$3,000). For more details see my application for the award here, and the outcome letter here.
- 2016–2017 “Transformative Experience and Testimony” Research Grant from the Philosophy of Transformative Experience funding initiative, part of the Experience Project run jointly by Notre Dame University and the University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, and funded by the John Templeton Foundation. (USD \$23,560/AUD \$33,000). For more details see the full proposal [here](#).
- 2016–2017 La Trobe College Research Start-Up Grant (\$20,000)
- 2008–2012 AHRC Research Fellowship (GBP £115,000 approximate)
- 2003–2007 Australian National University PhD Scholarship
- 2006 Accommodation and travel grant from The Arché Research Centre for the 3rd Arché Graduate Conference at The University of St Andrews
- 2006 Travel grant from The Australian National University for travel to the 3rd Arché Graduate Conference at The University of St Andrews
- 2004 Travel grant from The Australian National University for travel to The University of North Carolina Chapel Hill
- 2001–2003 University of Auckland Masters/Honours Scholarship
- 2001–2002 Australian National University Summer Research Scholarship
- 2002 Accommodation and travel grant from The Australian National University for the Philosophy/SPT Graduate Workshop at The Australian National University
- 2000 Senior Prize in Philosophy, University of Auckland

PRESENTATIONS

2021:

- “Transformative Experience and the Equivocation Objections”. [Phenomenal Knowledge and Testimony Workshop](#) for the [How Does it Feel?](#) project run jointly by the University of Duisburg-Essen and the University of Liverpool.

- “Comments on Bob Beddor and Carlotta Pavese’s ‘Skills as Knowledge’”. [6th Online Meeting of the Asian Epistemology Network](#)
- 2019:
- “Intellectualism, Luck, and Controlled Action”. Know-How and Skill Workshop. University of Erlangen-Nuremberg.
 - “Knowledge of Experience for the Uninitiated”. 20th Anniversary Arché Reunion Conference. University of St Andrews.
 - “Know How and Skill: The Puzzles of Priority and Equivalence”. [Language and Mind Seminar](#). Arché Research Centre, University of St Andrews.
 - “Transformative Choices and the Structure of Experience”. [Epistemic & Personal Transformation: Dealing with the Unknowable & Unimaginable](#) workshop, University of Queensland.
 - “Transformative Choices and the Structure of Experience”. Deakin Philosophy Seminar, Deakin University.
 - “Know How and Skill: The Puzzles of Priority and Equivalence”. ACU Work-in-Progress Seminar, Australian Catholic University
- 2018:
- “Moral Testimony and Knowing-Wh”. [ACU International Conference on Moral Epistemology](#).
- 2017:
- “Knowing What it is Like and Learning from Others”. [Colloquium talk](#) for the Department of Philosophy at the Central European University, Budapest.
 - “Knowing What it is Like and Learning from Others”. Seminar talk for the Philosophy Department at Goethe-Universität Frankfurt.
 - “Know How and Skill: The Puzzles of Priority”. [Norms and Capacities in Epistemology Workshop](#), Freie Universität Berlin.
 - “Intellectualism and Testimony”. Open Session, 2017 Proceedings of the Aristotelian Society, University of Edinburgh.
 - “Knowing What It Is Like and Testimony”, [Seminar Talk](#), Department of Philosophy, Charles Sturt University, Wagga Wagga.
 - “Transformative Experience by Degrees”. The Experience Project’s Collaborative UNC and Notre Dame Workshop, Chicago.
 - “Transformative Experience and Testimony”. [Transformative Experience Workshop](#), University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.
- 2016:
- “Intellectualism and Testimony”. [Soochow International Workshop on “Knowledge and Action”](#), Soochow University.
 - “Knowing What It Is Like and Testimony”. Philosophy Department Seminar, Soochow University.
 - “Knowing What It Is Like and Testimony”. [Department of Philosophy Seminar](#), Lingnan University.
 - “Knowing What It Is Like and Testimony”. Philosophy Department Seminar, Wuhan University.
 - “Intellectualism and Testimony”. Philosophy Department Seminar, Wuhan University.
 - “Knowing What It Is Like, Choice, and Consent”. Philosophy Department Seminar, Kyoto University.
 - “Knowing What It Is Like and Testimony”. [Tokyo Forum for Analytic Philosophy](#), University of Tokyo
 - “Knowing What It Is Like and Testimony”. Thursday Seminar, School of Philosophy, Australian National University
- 2015:
- “Knowledge of experience and the limits of empathy”. Perspectives on Empathy Conference, The Centre for Agency, Values, and Ethics (CAVE), Macquarie University.
 - “Transformative Experience and Testimony”. [Philosophy & Bioethics Staff Seminar Series](#), Monash University
 - “Transformative Experience and Knowledge-Wh”. [Department of Philosophy Thursday Seminar Series](#), University of Melbourne
 - “Revisionary Intellectualism”. [Deakin Philosophy Seminar](#), Deakin University
- 2013:
- “Revisionary Intellectualism and Gettier”. [The Gettier Problem at 50 Conference](#), Scots Philosophical Association, University of Edinburgh.

- “Revisionary Intellectualism and Gettier”. Logic, Epistemology and Metaphysics Forum, Institute of Philosophy, School of Advanced Study, University of London
- 2012:
 - “Intuiting as Possessing”. [Philosophical Insights Conference](#), Institute of Philosophy, School of Advanced Study, University of London
- 2011
 - “Understanding, Enabling and Knowing”. Inferentialism and the Epistemology of Logic Workshop, Northern Institute of Philosophy, University of Aberdeen.
 - “Evidence and Intuition”. Epistemology Research Seminar, University of Edinburgh.
 - “Evidence and Intuition”. [The XIII Taller d'Investigació en Filosofia](#), LOGOS Research Group, The University Barcelona.
 - “Evidence and Intuition”. Research on the A priori Workshop, Emmy Noether Research Group, University of Cologne
 - “The Nature and Value of Practical Knowledge”. [Rutgers-Arché Knowing How Workshop](#), The University of St Andrews.
 - “Three Conceptions of Practical Knowledge”. [European Epistemology Network Meeting 2011](#), Lund Sweden.
- 2010:
 - Comments on Jason Stanley’s ‘Ryle on Knowing How’ [American Philosophical Association Pacific Division](#) Meeting 2010.
- 2009:
 - “Knowledge Pluralism”. [Winter Reflectorium 2009](#), University of St Andrews.
 - “Knowing How Without Knowing That”, Senior Seminar Series, University of Glasgow.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Lecturing

- PHI3VRP *Virtual Reality as Philosophy*, La Trobe University, 2020, 2021
- PHI3MBM *Minds, Brains, and Machines*, La Trobe University 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021
- PHI2KIS *Knowledge, Individuals, and Society*, La Trobe University 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021
- PHI4APB *Advanced Topics in Philosophy B*, La Trobe University 2018
- PHI3TCP *Twentieth Century Philosophy*, La Trobe University, 2015 (with Jake Chandler), 2017, 2018
- PHI3ETH *Ethics*, La Trobe University, 2015 (with Norva Lo) and 2017 (with Nikolai Alksnis)
- PHI2KRB *Knowledge Reason and Belief*, La Trobe University 2017
- PHI1PPR *Philosophical Problems*, La Trobe University 2015, 2016 (co-taught both times with various colleagues, coordinator 2016)
- PHI3MFQ *Metaphysics: Fundamental Questions*, La Trobe University 2015 (with Ricky Sebold)
- *Moral Epistemology*, University of East Anglia, 2014
- *Kinds of Minds*, University of East Anglia, 2014 (with John Collins)
- *Language and Reality*, University of East, 2012, 2013, and 2014 (with John Collins)
- *Knowledge and Perception*, University of East Anglia, 2013
- *Metaphysics: Time and Modality* University of St Andrews, 2012 (with Derek Ball)
- *Philosophical Methodology*, University of St Andrews 2011 and 2009 (with Dilip Ninan in 2011 and with Jonathan Ichikawa in 2009)
- *Contemporary Epistemology*, University of St Andrews 2010 (with Jonathan Ichikawa)
- *Ideas, Causality and Personal Identity: Issues from Locke and Hume*, Australian National University 2008 (with Aisling Crean)

Tutoring/TA-ing:

- Teaching Assistant for *Main Problems in Philosophy* (intro-level course), Lecturer: Ram Neta, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, 2005
- Teaching Assistant for *Main Problems in Philosophy* (intro-level course), Lecturer: Dorit Bar On, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, 2004
- Tutor for *Ethical Theory 2*, Lecturers: Tim Mulgan and Christine Swanton, University of Auckland, 2003
- Tutor for *Introduction to Metaphysics* (intro course), Lecturer: Denis Robinson, University of Auckland, 2001

- Tutor for *Kant and Hegel* (upper level undergraduate course), Lecturer: Robert Wicks, University of Auckland, 2001

GRADUATE SUPERVISION AND TEACHING

La Trobe University

- Sole supervisor for an honours dissertation
- Primary supervisor for an MA Dissertation on Nietzsche and Meta-Ethics (Grade: First)
- Sole supervisor for an MA Dissertation on Meta-Ontology, (Grade: First) [On the basis of this work this student was accepted into the PhD program in Philosophy at the Australian National University]
- Sole Supervisor for Honours Dissertation on [On the basis of this work the student earned La Trobe University]
- Sole supervisor for Honours Dissertation on accounts of Evil in Moral Philosophy (Grade: First)
- Sole supervisor for Honours Dissertation on accounts of Evil in Moral Philosophy (Grade: First)
- Co-supervisor for PhD candidate doing a dissertation on slurs and speech acts (ongoing)
- Co-supervisor for PhD candidate doing a dissertation on meta-ethics (ongoing)

University of East Anglia

- Sole supervisor for Masters of Research Dissertation (15,000 words) “Intuition, Understanding and Ability”, 2014, Grade: First [On the basis of this work the student was accepted to the PhD program at the Arché Research Centre, University of St Andrews, and they now have a continuing position in philosophy]
- Sole supervisor for Masters of Research Dissertation (15,000 words) “Understanding and Ability”, 2013, Grade: First.
- Sole supervisor for 6 students doing the one semester Masters of Research Supervised Study Module (3x 3,000 word essays on supervised topics), Grades: 5 Firsts and 1 Upper Second (period 2012-2014)
- Module Convenor for Graduate Workshop

University of St Andrews

- Course designer and lecturer for the Second Arché Summer School 2009 (for graduate students and early career academics)

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Book Reviews Editor for the *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* (since August 2021)

Journal Refereeing (often multiple times per journal)

<i>Analysis</i>	<i>Philosophy and Phenomenological Research</i>
<i>Analytic Philosophy</i>	<i>Philosophical Psychology</i>
<i>Australasian Journal of Philosophy</i>	<i>Philosophical Quarterly</i>
<i>Canadian Journal of Philosophy</i>	<i>Philosophical Review</i>
<i>Episteme</i>	<i>Philosophical Studies</i>
<i>European Journal of Philosophy</i>	<i>Mind</i>
<i>Linguistics and Philosophy</i>	<i>Mind and Language</i>
<i>Philosophical Explorations</i>	<i>Noûs</i>
<i>Philosopher's Imprint</i>	<i>Thought</i>
<i>Philosophical Papers</i>	<i>Synthese</i>

Book Refereeing:

- Book manuscripts: Cambridge University Press (x1), Oxford University Press (x1)
- Book proposals: Oxford University Press (x3), Routledge (x2), Cambridge University Press (x1)
- Book chapters: Oxford University Press (x2)

Other:

- External Reviewer for the Council for the Humanities of the Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research (NWO, the Dutch Research Council)
- Member of the Editorial Panel for the journal [Thought](#).

LEADERSHIP AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

La Trobe University

- **Convenor of Philosophy and Discipline Leader for Political Theory, Philosophy, and Gender Sexuality and Diversity Studies** (in the Department of Politics, Media, and Philosophy), 2019–continuing.
 - My duties in this role have included: (i) serving on the leadership group for our large department which meets on a weekly basis; (ii) detailed curriculum planning for the Philosophy major curriculum revisions for it in 2021; (iii) assisting the HoD with Allocated Workload Planning for the staff in the Discipline Cluster I lead; (iv) serving on the job committee for a Level B hire in Philosophy in 2020
- **Cultural Influencers Development Program**, 2020–2021: I was selected for a leadership training program at La Trobe “based on [my] high performance, and recommendation from a senior leader in your Department and/or Campus”. The program
- **Member of the HUSS School Research Committee**, 2018–2019
- **Research Coordinator** for the Philosophy Program, 2015–2017
- **Project Leader** for a major “Blended Learning Curriculum Design” project for Philosophical Problems PHI1PPR, 2015–2016 (leading a team of three academic and multiple outside consultants)
- **Philosophy Seminar Series Coordinator**, 2015–2018, 2020 (program organised for 2020 but then cancelled due to covid)
- **Academic Integrity Advisor**, Department of Politics and Philosophy, 2018

University of East Anglia

- **Chair of Examiners** for the joint School of Philosophy and the School of Political, Social and International Studies exam board, 2012–2014 (chairing the exam board meetings for Philosophy and Politics, and leading a team comprised of multiple external reviewers and administrative staff)
- **Course Director** for the BA in Philosophy, 2012–2014
- **Philosophy Society Convenor**, 2012–2014
- **Post-Graduate Workshop Convenor**, 2012–2013

Arché Research Centre, University of St Andrews

- **Conference Organiser** for: a workshop on The Philosophy of Philosophy (2008); a conference on Philosophical Methodology (2009); a workshop on Philosophy Without Intuitions (2009); a Rutgers/Arché conference on Evidence (2010); a Arché/Copenhagen workshop on Knowledge Ascriptions (2010); a workshop on Philosophical Evidence, Disagreement and Scepticism (2010); a Rutgers/Arché conference on Ordinary Language, Linguistics and Philosophy (2011); and a Rutgers/Arché workshop on Knowing How (2011).
- **Co-convenor of Philosophical Methodology seminar**, 2008–2012
- **Convenor of Epistemology Seminar**, 2010–2011
- **Member of the organizing team for the Second Arché Summer School 2009**

REFEREES

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 Yale University
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