

CURRICULUM VITAE

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION:

Philosophy of Law, Ethics, Applied Ethics, Philosophy of Religion

AREAS OF COMPETENCE:

Political Philosophy, Epistemology, Philosophy of Mind

CURRENT POSITIONS

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

Research Assistant to Stephen M. Gardiner (2018-present)
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Philosophy (2015-2017, 2018-present)

AMERICAN PHILOSOPHICAL ASSOCIATION

Chair, Graduate Student Council (2018-present)
LGBTQ Liaison, Graduate Student Council (2018-present)
Councilmember, Graduate Student Council (2017-present)

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Seattle, WA

PhD, Philosophy, 2019 (expected)

Dissertation: *A Pacifist Solution to the Problem of Multiple Threats*

Committee Members: Michael Blake (chair), Carina Fourie, Stephen Gardiner

MA, Philosophy, 2017

Master's Paper: "Animal Rights Terrorism and Pacifism"

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, Fayetteville, AR

MA, Philosophy, 2014

Master's Paper: "Against Self-Defense"

CEDARVILLE UNIVERSITY, Cedarville, OH

BA, Philosophy, 2011

ARTICLES (*Invited)

*Forthcoming. "Queering Philosophy of Religion," *European Journal of Philosophy of Religion*.

2018. "Why It's Wrong to Stand Your Ground," *Philosophy in the Contemporary World* 24 (1): 40-50.

2017 "Against Self-Defense," *Social Theory and Practice* 43 (3): 613-635.

2016. "Animals and Causal Impotence: A Deontological View," *Between the Species* 19 (1): 32-51.

BOOKS

Forthcoming. *The Lost Sheep: Perspectives on Race, Gender, Disability, and Animals*, eds. Blake Hereth and Kevin Timpe (NY: Routledge).

CHAPTERS

- Forthcoming. "The Shape of Trans Afterlife Justice," in *Hinder Them Not: Centering Marginalized Voices in Analytic Theology*, ed. Michael Rea and Michelle Panchuk (NY: Oxford University Press).
- Forthcoming. "Animal Gods," *The Lost Sheep: Perspectives on Race, Gender, Disability, and Animals*, eds. Blake Hereth and Kevin Timpe (NY: Routledge).
2018. "Queer Issues and Pacifism," *The Routledge Handbook of Pacifism and Nonviolence*, ed. Andrew Fiala (NY: Routledge).
2018. "Two Arguments for Animal Immortality," *Heaven and Philosophy*, ed. Simon Cushing (Lanham, MD: Lexington Press), 171-200.
2017. With Shawn Graves and Tyler M. John. "In Defense of Animal Universalism," *Paradise Understood: New Philosophical Essays About Heaven*, eds. Eric J. Silverman and T. Ryan Byerly (New York: Oxford University Press), 161-192.

UNDER REVIEW & IN PROGRESS

- "Animal Rights Pacifism," under review
- "Saving Lives, Taking Lives," in progress
- "Green Bloodshed: The Defensive Killing of Climate Contributors," in progress
- "Pacifists Are Admirable Only if They're Right," in progress
- "Does Theism Make a Difference to Self-Defense?" in progress
- "A New Defense of Anti-Natalism," in progress (with Anthony Ferrucci)
- "Saving Lives, Making Lives," in progress (with Anthony Ferrucci)
- "Satellites as Sites of Rights," in progress

PEER-REVIEWED PRESENTATIONS (*Invited)

- January 2020. "Higher-Order Evidence in Groups: A Defense of a Peer Summative Account of Group Justification," *APA Eastern Division Meeting*, Philadelphia, PA
- June 2019. "Satellites as Sites of Rights: An Argument in Favor of Treating Satellites as Civilian Targets," *International Society for Military Ethics*, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs, CO
- October 2018. "Saving Lives, Taking Lives," *Northwest Philosophy Conference*, Bellevue College, Bellevue, WA
- September 2018. "Transitioning in the Afterlife," *Society of Christian Philosophers 40th Anniversary Meeting*, Calvin College, Grand Rapids, MI
- May 2018. "Trans* Embodiment and Afterlife Justice," *2018 Logos Workshop in Philosophical Theology*, University of Notre Dame, South Bend, IN
- *January 2018. "Animal Rights Pacifism," *APA Eastern Division Meeting*, Savannah, GA
- November 2017. "Animal Rights Pacifism," *Stockholm Center for the Ethics of War and Peace's Early Career and Graduate Reading Retreat*, Australian National University, Kioloa Coastal Campus
- September 2017. "Healthcare Justice for Unjust Combatants," *MANCEPT Workshop on 'Collectivism in the Morality of War'*, University of Manchester
- August 2017. "How (and How Not) to Be a Luck Prioritarian About Health," *Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO (poster presentation)
- August 2017. "Animal Rights Pacifism," *Society for the Study of Ethics and Animals Workshop*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO
- April 2017. "Unvaccinated Children and Self-Defense," *Concerned Philosophers for Peace at the APA Pacific Division Meeting*, Seattle, WA
- October 2016. "Pacifism and Feminism," *Concerned Philosophers for Peace (CPP)*, Saint Bonaventure, NY (via Skype)
- April 2016. "How (and How Not) to Be a Luck Prioritarian," *APA Pacific Division Meeting*, San Francisco, CA
- *October 2014. "Animals and Causal Impotence: A Deontological View," Bethel University, Saint Paul, MN

October 2014. "Why It's (Sometimes) Wrong to Stand Your Ground," *Concerned Philosophers for Peace (CPP)*, Millersville, PA
April 2014. Comments on Eden Lin's "The Hedonic Coincidence Problem for Desire Satisfactionism," *APA Pacific Division Meeting*, San Diego, CA
February 2014. Comments on Brady Hoback's "Nonculpable Ignorance as an Excusing Condition for Unjust Combatants," *Midsouth Philosophy Conference*, Memphis, TN
February 2014. "Mactatis pro Familia," *Midsouth Philosophy Conference*, Memphis, TN
October 2013. "Mactatis pro Familia," *Concerned Philosophers for Peace*, Yosemite National Park, CA
March 2013. "Theodicy and Moral Qualms," *Evangelical Philosophical Society Southwest*, Dallas, TX
March 2011. "Does God Demean Us?" *Evangelical Philosophical Society Midwest*, Cincinnati, OH

HONORS & AWARDS (*University of Washington)

Department of Philosophy Nominee, Fritz/Macfarlane/Hunter/Lederman Fellowship (2018-2019)
Graduate Teaching Award, Department of Philosophy (2018-2019)*
Chair, APA's Graduate Student Council (2018)
Full-Coverage Stipend, Logos Workshop in Philosophical Theology, University of Notre Dame (Spring 2018)
Eastern APA Travel Stipend (Winter 2018)
Full-Coverage Stipend, Stockholm Center for the Ethics of War and Peace and Australian National University (Autumn 2017)
Program on Values Graduate Research Assistantship, Department of Philosophy (2017-2018)*
University of Manchester Bursary (Summer 2017)
Travel Stipend, *The Graduate School Fund for Excellence and Innovation* (2017)*
Councilmember, APA's Graduate Student Council (2017)
Project Coordinator, Simpson Center for the Humanities' *Philosophy Branches Out Project* (2016-2017)*
High Marks in Student Evaluation, Divisional Dean of Social Sciences (2015-2016)*
Pacific APA Travel Stipend (Spring 2016)
Graduate Student Travel Stipend, Department of Philosophy (2015-present)*
Top Scholar Fellowship, Department of Philosophy (Winter 2016)*
Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Department of Philosophy (2015-present)*
Graduate Summer Stipend, Department of Philosophy (2016-2017)*
Graduate Relocation Stipend, Department of Philosophy (2015)*
Speaking Honorarium, Department of Philosophy, Bethel University (Autumn 2014)
Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Department of Philosophy, University of Arkansas (2012-2014)
Graduate Travel Stipend, Department of Philosophy, University of Arkansas (2012-2014)
Undergraduate Teaching Assistantship (volunteer), Department of Philosophy, Cedarville University (2009-2011)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Primary Instructor

Medical Ethics

University of Washington (Summer 2018)

Introduction to Philosophy

Washington Corrections Center for Women (Autumn 2016)

University of Arkansas (Fall 2013, Spring 2014)

Contemporary Ethical Problems

Drake University (Spring 2015)

Human Nature

Grand View University (Spring 2015)

The Ethics of Harming and Killing

Drake University (Fall 2014)

Teaching Assistant

Practical Reasoning

University of Washington (Winter 2019)

Introduction to Medical Ethics

University of Washington (Spring 2017)

Introduction to Ethics

University of Washington (Autumn 2016)

Contemporary Moral Problems

University of Washington (Autumn 2018)

University of Washington (Spring 2016)

Introduction to Philosophy

University of Washington (Winter 2017)

University of Washington (Autumn 2015)

University of Arkansas (Fall 2012, Spring 2013)

Cedarville University (Spring 2010)

with

Carole Lee

Carina Fourie

Jean Roberts

Paul Franco

Michael Blake

Ian Schnee

Andrea Woody

Matt Burch

Shawn Graves

Grader

Introduction to Philosophy

Cedarville University (Fall 2009)

Ethics

Cedarville University (Spring 2011)

Logic

Cedarville University (Fall 2010)

Shawn Graves

Shawn Graves

Shawn Graves

MEMBERSHIPS & SERVICE (*University of Washington)

American Philosophical Association

Chair, Graduate Student Council (2018-present)

Elected Member, Graduate Student Council (2017-2019)

Student Member (2013-2014, 2015-present)

Regular Member (2014-2015)

Concerned Philosophers for Peace

Student Member (2013-2014, 2015-present)

Regular Member (2014-2015)

Society of Christian Philosophers

Student Member (2012-2014, 2015-present)

Regular Member (2014-2015)

Between the Species (peer-reviewed journal)

Reviewer (2017-present)

Graduate Conference Committee, Department of Philosophy*

Member (2016-present)

Climate Committee, Department of Philosophy*

Member (2016-2017)

Graduate Professional & Student Senate*

Senator (2015-2017)

Colloquia Committee, Department of Philosophy*

Member (2015-present)

Rainbow Grads (LGBTQ+ Graduate Group)*

Member (2015-present)

United Auto Workers Local 4121*

Member (2015-present)

Alpha Sigma (Philosophy Club), Cedarville University

President (2009-2010)

Member (2007-2011)

Pro Terra Forma (Environmental Club), Cedarville University
Animal Ethics Consultant (2009-2011)
Member (2009-2011)

SELECT COURSEWORK

Ethics, Philosophy of Religion, Political Philosophy

Seminar on Climate Ethics
Women and Violence
Seminar on Health Justice
Seminar on Immigration, Ethics, and Justice
Seminar on *Nicomachean Ethics*
Metaethics
Public Health Ethics
Seminar on Personhood
Advanced Topics in Animal Welfare
Seminar on Luck Egalitarianism
Seminar on Derek Parfit's *On What Matters*
Philosophy of Religion
Classical Ethical Theory
Ethics of Harming and Killing

with

Stephen Gardiner
Angela Ginorio
Carina Fourie
Michael Blake
Jean Roberts
Colin Marshall
Carina Fourie
Sara Goering
Karen Emmerman
Bekka Williams
Richard Lee
Thomas Senor
Bekka Williams
Shawn Graves

Epistemology, Metaphysics

Seminar on Group Belief
Philosophy of Mind
Philosophy of Cognitive Science
Seminar on Irrational Belief
The Epistemology of Disagreement

Conor Mayo-Wilson
Ian Schnee
Carole Lee
Eric Funkhouser
Shawn Graves

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