DOMINICK COOPER

Curriculum Vitae

Graduate Teaching Assistant Department of Philosophy University of Virginia

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AREAS OF INTEREST

• Social and Political Philosophy; Ethics; Epistemology; Philosophy of Mind

EDUCATION

PhD. Philosophy, University of Virginia, (in progress) 2017-present

Philosophy, Virginia Tech, 2017

B.A. Philosophy and Political Science, Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts, 2015 Summa Cum Laude, Commonwealth Honors Scholar

PUBLICATION

"The Weak Principle of Universalization and the Vulnerable: Comments on Minimal Morality," Analysis (forthcoming)

TEACHING

Instructor

- Animal Minds and Animal Ethics, PHIL 1510, U. Virginia, Summer 2019
- Morality and Justice, PHIL 1304, Virginia Tech, Summer II 2016

Teaching Assistant

- Introduction to Ethics
- Animal Minds
- The Meaning of Life
- Jurisprudence
- Morality and Justice (x2)
- Global Ethics

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

"Justice, Opportunity Pluralism, and the Social Determinants of Health" Virginia Tech Graduate Student Philosophy Conference (October 2018) Commentary on Michael Moehler's Minimal Morality: A Multilevel Social Contract Theory (2018: Oxford: OUP) American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division (January 2018)

Commentary on Taine Duncan's Habermas and Feminism: Critical Reflections on Normativity (2018: Palgrave) American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division (January 2017)

Commentary on Lindley Slipetz's 'The Future of the Bias Paradox' Virginia Tech Graduate Student Philosophy Conference (October 2016)

SERVICE

Social Chair, Philosophy Department at University of Virginia (event organizer for graduate students), Fall 2018 - present.

APA Eastern Moderator, sessions for Society for Philosophy in the Contemporary World, July 2016 - present (three year term)

Co-founder, Minorities and Philosophy (MAP) Chapter, at the Philosophy Department of Virginia Tech, October 2016 - May 2017.

Graduate Student Fellow, Philosophy, Politics, and Economics (PPE) Program at Virginia Tech, August 2016 - May 2017.

SCHOLARSHIPS

University of Virginia Department of Philosophy

Graduate Teaching Assistantship, 2017-present

Mercatus Center at George Mason University

• Adam Smith Fellowship, 2018-present

Virginia Tech Department of Philosophy

- PPE Graduate Student Fellowship, 2016-2017
- Graduate Teaching Assistantship, 2015-2017