ANESS KIM WEBSTER

Curriculum Vitae

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EMPLOYMENT	Jan 2016 -	Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, University of Nottingham

EDUCATION	Aug 2016	Ph.D., University of Southern California

- Dissertation Title: Rights and Responsibility: A Search for a Principled Distinction between Criminal Law and Tort Law
- Dissertation Committee Chair: Gary Watson
- Dissertation Committee Members: Jonathan Quong, Gideon Yaffe, Gregory Keating

	Sep 2007	MA in Philosophy, University of Auckland (First Class Honours)
	May 2005	BA (Hons) in Philosophy, University of Auckland (First Class Honours)
	May 2004	BA/LLB (Conjoint), University of Auckland

AOS	Social Philosophy (esp. Philosophy of Race and Racism, Feminist Philosophy & Philosophy of Disability) Agency and Responsibility Philosophy of Law

AOC	Ethics Epistemology (especially Rationality)

AWARDS	Flewelling Award, USC, 2011 College Merit Fellowship, USC, 2009-2015 Senior Prize in Law, University of Auckland, 2003 Senior Prize in Philosophy, University of Auckland, 2001 Annual Prize in Philosophy, University of Auckland, 2000

PUBLICATIONS	"Socially-Embedded Agency: Lessons from Marginalised Identities" (forthcoming) *Oxford Studies in Agency and Responsibility*, Vol. 7, David Shoemaker (ed.) "How to Theorise about the Criminal Law" (forthcoming) *Jurisprudence* "Shame and the Ethical in Williams" (forthcoming) *Agency, Fate, and Luck: Themes from Bernard Williams*, OUP (with Steve Bero) "Disability, Impairment, and Marginalised Functioning" (2020) *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* (with Katharine Jenkins), 2020 10.1080/00048402.2020.1799048 "Conjuring Ethics from Words" (2015) *Noûs*, 49(1): 71-93 (with Jonathan McKeown-Green & Glen Pettigrove) 10.1111/nous.12004 "Burdens of Proof and the Case for Unevenness" (2013) *Argumentation*, 27(3): 259-282 (with Imran Aijaz & Jonathan McKeown-Green) 10.1007/s10503-012-9285-4 Review of *Equality and Legitimacy* by Wojciech Sadurski (2009) *Australian Journal of Legal Philosophy*, 34: 266-8.

WORK IN PROGRESS	INVITED: • "Proof Paradoxes: Lessons from the Wrongs of Stereotyping" for *Philosophical Issues* on Law and Epistemology, Alex Guerrero (ed.) • "Distinguishing between Criminal and Tort Law: Rights and Responsibilities" for *New Directions in Private Law*, UCL Press, Fabina Bettini, Martin Fischer, Charles Mitchell, and Prince Saprai (eds.)

UNDER REVIEW:

- "Making Sense of Shame in Response to Racism"

IN PROGRESS:

- "Rehabilitating Shame and Lessons from Oppressive Shame" with Steve Bero
- "Blameworthiness and Negligence"
- "How Demanding are Morality and Rationality?"

PRESENTATIONS	Feb 2021 "Blameworthiness for Negligence", *Criminal Law and the Mind Seminar*, UCL (as a part of Alexander Greenberg's Leverhulme project)

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Feb 2021   "Agency and Stereotyping: An Agency-Based Argument", Work-in-Progress Workshop, University of Nottingham

Nov 2020   "Statistical Generalisations and Stereotyping: An Agency-Based Argument", *Maastricht Law and Philosophy Online Seminar Series*

Nov 2019   "Autonomy and Agency: Lessons from Marginalised Identities", *New Orleans Workshop on Agency and Responsibility*, Murphy Institute at Tulane University [refereed]

Jul 2019   Comments on Sabine Tsuruda's "Religious Workplaces in a Liberal Democracy", *New Directions in Philosophy of Law*, University of Surrey

Jun 2019   "Asking Too much of Shame", *Agency, Fate and Luck: Themes from Bernard Williams*, Lund University [Co-presented with Stephen Bero] [refereed]

May 2019   Comments on Giada Frantantino's "Testimonial Evidence and Proof Paradoxes", *Legal Philosophy Workshop*, University of Surrey

"Social Agency", *Symposium in Honor of Gary Watson*, University of Southern California

Feb 2019   "Distinguishing between Torts and Crimes", *Private Law Forum*, School of Law at London School of Economics

Jan 2019   Comments on Michael Bruckner's "From Embodied to Experiential: A Reply to Sullivan", *Philosophy in Progress*, Graduate Conference, University of Nottingham

Oct 2019   "Demandingness of Morality and Rationality", Department Seminar, University of Southampton

Sep 2019   "Demandingness of Morality and Rationality", Ethics Seminar, University of Edinburgh

Jul 2018   "Disability, Impairment, and Marginalised Functioning", *Social Metaphysics Conference*, University of Nottingham [Co-presented with Katharine Jenkins] [refereed]

"Why and When Focusing on Criminal Law Can Lead Us Astray", *New Directions in Philosophy of Law 2*, All Souls College, Oxford University

Jun 2018   "Demandingness of Morality and Rationality", Keynote, *Nottingham-Birmingham-Warwick Graduate Conference*, University of Nottingham

"Underexplored Harms of Racism: Emotional & Cognitive Costs of Shame", *GRSelona: Conference on Gender, Race, and Sexuality*, Universitat de Barcelona [refereed]

Apr 2018   "Demandingness of Morality and Rationality", Department Seminar, University of St Andrews

Dec 2017   "Demandingness of Morality and Rationality", *Workshop in Law and Metaethics*, Centre for Law and Philosophy, University of Surrey

Oct 2017	"Underexplored Harms of Racism: Emotional & Cognitive Costs of Shame", Department Colloquia, Arizona State University
	"Disability as Marginalised Functioning", Department Seminar, University of Glasgow
Sep 2017	"What's Bad about Racism: Emotional and Cognitive Costs of Shame", *Philosophy of Oppression Workshop*, University of Nottingham
Jul 2017	Comments on Hrafn Asgeirsson's "Reasons for Treating Something as a Reason", *New Directions in Philosophy of Law*, All Souls College, Oxford University
Jun 2017	Comments on Martin Smith's "When Does Evidence Suffice for Conviction?", *Knowledge, Truth, and the Criminal Trial*, University of Nottingham
May 2017	"Blameworthiness for Negligence", *Legal Philosophy Workshop*, University College London [refereed]
Apr 2017	Comments on Hannah Tierney's "Reasons and Responsibility", *American Philosophical Association (Pacific)*, Seattle
Mar 2017	"What's Bad about Casual Racism?", *Social Metaphysics Conference*, University of Nottingham
Feb 2017	"What's Bad about Casual Racism?", Department Seminar, University of Nottingham
Apr 2016	"Terror, Tactics, and preferences: Why We Don't Need Intentions to Describe the Doctrine of Double Effect Cases", *American Philosophical Association (Pacific)*, San Francisco [refereed]
Feb 2016	Comments on Irina Schumski's "The Complexity of the Moral Domain, the Individuation Principle & the Cognitive Nature of Action: An Explanatory Trilemma", *Ethics and Explanation Conference*, University of Nottingham
Apr 2015	Comments on Saba Bazargan's "Self-Defense and the Reprisal Dilemma", *Self-Defense Workshop*, USC
Apr 2014	Comments on Kerah Gordon Solmon's "Fairness and Liability to Defensive Harm", *American Philosophical Association (Pacific)*, San Diego
Mar 2013	"Corrective Justice Supplemented", *American Philosophical Association (Pacific)*, San Francisco [refereed]
May 2011	"Corrective Justice Supplemented", *McMaster Graduate Conference for Legal Theory* [refereed]
Apr 2011	"Too Hard: The Demandingness Objection to Ethics & Rationality", *NYU/Columbia University Graduate Conference* [refereed]
	"Too Hard: The Demandingness Objection to Ethics & Rationality", *Brandeis Graduate Conference* [refereed]
Dec 2008	"Burden of Proof and the Quest for Truth", *Australasian Association of Philosophy (NZ) Conference*, Christchurch [Co-presented with Imran Aijaz & Jonathan McKeown-Green] [refereed]
Jul 2008	"Giving Till It Hurts", *Australasian Association of Philosophy Conference*, Melbourne [refereed]

	INSTRUCTOR	
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	2021 Spring	Ethics: Well-Being (Masters)
		Social Philosophy (2nd Year)
	2020 Autumn	Philosophical Topics (Masters)

2018 Spring	Social Philosophy (3rd Year) [4.55]
2017 Spring	Philosophy of Race (2nd Year) [4.6]
2016 Autumn	Normative Ethics (Masters) [4.63]
	Free Will and Action (3rd Year) [4.3]
2016 Spring	Philosophy of Race (2nd Year) [4.34]
2010 1st Semester	Introduction to Metaphysics & Theories of Knowledge (1st Year) Auckland [Section on Free Will; Co-taught with Jonathan McKeown-Green]
2009 1st Semester	Critical Thinking (1st Year) Auckland [Co-taught with Jonathan McKeown-Green] [Also taught in 2008, 2007 and three times in 2006]
	Philosophy of Law, Auckland (Continuing Education Programme)
2004 1st Semester	Law for Business, Business School, Auckland University of Technology

TEACHING ASSISTANT

VALUE THEORY

2015 Spring	Contemporary Moral and Social Issues (100-level) USC [4.47]
2012 Spring	Legal Controversies and Ethical Principles (100-level) USC [4.67]
2010 Fall	Moral and Political Philosophy (100-level) USC [4.76]
2007 1st Semester	Medical Ethics, Auckland School of Medicine (upper-level) Auckland
2007 2nd Semester	Freedom, Rights & Justice (1st Year) Auckland
2006 1st Semester	Philosophy of Law (upper-level) Auckland [Also taught in 2004 and 2005]
2004 2nd Semester	Applied Ethics (2nd Year) Auckland
2002 2nd Semester	Introduction to Ethics (1st Year) Auckland

M&E

2015 Fall	Introduction to Metaphysics (lower-level) USC [4.75]
2008 2nd Semester	Philosophy of Mind (upper-level) Auckland
2008 1st Semester	Problems in Epistemology (upper-level) Auckland
2007 1st Semester	Philosophy of Science (upper-level) Auckland
2005 1st Semester	Critical Thinking (1st Year UG) Auckland [Also taught in 2002]

HISTORY

2012 Fall	Ancient Greek Philosophy (100-level) USC [4.82] [Also taught in Spring 2011 (4.77)]
2009 1st Semester	Early Modern History (upper-level) Auckland

GUEST LECTURER

2020 Fall	"Implicit Bias" for Philosophy in the Contemporary World (1st Year) Nottingham [Also taught this in 2017]
2012 Fall	"Bernard Williams on Utilitarianism" for Normative Ethics (400-level) USC
2011 Spring	"Plato's *Republic* (Book I)" for Ancient Greek Philosophy (100-level) USC
2009 1st Semester	"Mill's Political Philosophy" for Newstart Programme [Also taught in 2007 2nd Semester]
2008 2nd Semester	"Descartes' *Meditations*" for Early Modern Philosophy (upper-level) Auckland

2008 1ˢᵗ Semester	"Knowledge & Evidence" for (Masters) Clinical Scholarship Programme, Auckland School of Nursing [Also taught in 2007]	
	"Constructing and Evaluating Arguments" for *Systems Engineering and Professional Issues* (4ᵗʰ Year) Auckland School of Engineering [Also taught this in 2007]	
	20-Minute Lecture on Infinity, Courses and Careers Day, Auckland	
2007 1ˢᵗ Semester	"Moral Dilemmas and Decision Making", Auckland Hospital	
2006 1ˢᵗ Semester	"Civil Disobedience" for *Philosophy of Law* (upper-level) Auckland	

PGR SUPERVISION	Alice Monypenny	Primary Supervisor (60%)	Start Date: September 2017 [Covid Extension Until April 2022]
	Sean Shields	Primary Supervisor (60%)	Start Date: October 2020
	Ozun Centikaya	Supervisor (20%)	Start Date: April 2018 [Covid Extension Until June 2022]
	Taylor Matthews	Supervisor (20%)	Start Date: September 2018
	Max Mitchell	Supervisor (20%)	Start Date: September 2019

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

ADMINISTRATIVE / SERVICE

2020 –	Co-Director of University of Nottingham Centre for Social Philosophy
2020 –	Member of Executive Committee for SWIP(UK): Society for Women in Philosophy in UK
2020 –	Director of BPA (British Philosophical Association)/SWIP(UK) Mentoring Scheme
2020 –	Member of Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee, School of Humanities, Nottingham
2018 – 2019 2020 –	Director of Taught Graduate Studies (MA)
2020 –	Faculty Contact for Nottingham Chapter of MAP
2017 –	Member of the Organizing Committee for the Legal Philosophy Workshop
2017 –	Graduate Teaching Mentor for the Department of Philosophy, Nottingham (Creating and running training program for all new TAs; Teaching observations and discussions) [except 2019-2020]
2017 –	Facilitator of Implicit Bias training for Faculty of Arts, Nottingham
2017 –	Member of the Equality and Diversity Committee, Department of Philosophy, Nottingham
2017 – 2019	Mentor for Job Candidate Mentoring Program for Women in Philosophy
2016 –	Philosophy of Law Area Category Editor for PhilPapers
2016 – 2018	Co-organiser of *Just Philosophy*, an annual practical workshop dedicated to making philosophy more inclusive. [Held Nov 2016, Nov 2017, and Nov 2018]
2016 – 2017	Faculty Liaison to PhilSoc (an undergraduate philosophy society), Nottingham
2012 – 2014	Graduate Student Representative to the USC Philosophy Graduate Curriculum Committee
2012 – 2013	USC Graduate Student Organization President
2011 – 2012	USC Graduate Students Seminar Series Organizer

| 2009 & 2010 | Organizer for Philosophy Festival for High Schools |
| 2005 & 2006 | University of Auckland Graduate Students Seminar Series Organizer |

REFEREEING

2020 –	*Australasian Journal of Philosophy*
2019 –	Bay Area Feminism and Philosophy Workshop
2018 –	*Analysis*
2018 –	*Ergo*
2017 –	*Ethical Theory and Moral Practice*
2017 –	Legal Philosophy Workshop (Abstracts)
2011 – 2016	*Pacific Philosophical Quarterly*
2009 – 2015	USC/UCLA Graduate Conference
2012	Manuscript Reader, MIT Press

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

2017 –	Associate Fellow of the Higher Education of Academy UK
2016 –	Member of SWIP(UK): The Society for Women in Philosophy in UK
2012 – 2013	Philosophy Student Member of Saks Institute for Mental Health, Policy, and Ethics
2010 –	Member of American Philosophical Association
2008 – 2009	Board Member of New Zealand Association of [High School] Philosophy Teachers
2005 - 2008	Board Member & Resource Manager for P4C (NZ), an association for teaching philosophy to children [Elementary & Middle school]

PUBLIC-FACING PHILOSOPHY

| 2020 – | Member of Diversity in the Workforce Working Group for Nottingham Playhouse |
| 2020 – | Research partner to Sexual Violence Action Network in partnership with Nottingham City Council |

REFEREES

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