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EDUCATION

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| 2024 (expected) | Queens College, City University of New York Master of Arts in Philosophy, GPA 4.00 | Queens, NY |
| 2024 (expected) | Queens College, City University of New York Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, GPA 4.00 Double Minor in Arabic Studies & Honors in the Humanities | Queens, NY |
| 2022 | LaGuardia Community College, City University of New York Associate of Arts in Philosophy, <i>high honors</i> Inducted into Phi Theta Kappa | Long Island City, NY |

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

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| 2022 | “Empowerment: Between the Universal and the Parochial.” <i>The Gadfly</i> 6 (2023): 33-48. (<i>Forthcoming</i>) |
| 2022 | “Will and Desire: Suffering in Buddhism and Augustinian Christianity.” <i>Asian American Voices</i> 4 (2022): 22–27. |

Non-Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

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| 2022 | “The Existential Breath of Love in Sufi Metaphysics,” <i>Proceedings from Philosophy of Love</i> 4 (2022): 1-12. (<i>Forthcoming</i>) |
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Edited Works

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| 2022 | <i>Proceedings from Philosophy of Love</i> 4 (2022), LaGuardia Community College. |
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Cataloged Manuscripts

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| 2021 | <i>Kitāb al-Kāfīyah</i> by Ibn al-Hājib, at the Hill Museum & Manuscript Library (HMML) collection: https://www.vhmml.org/readingRoom/view/128997 |
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FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, HONORS & AWARDS

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| 2022 | CUNY Pipeline Fellowship |
| 2022 | Graduate Assistant Trainee Fellowship – Writing Consultant |
| 2022 | Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship |
| 2022 | CUNY Peer Leader Fellowship |
| 2022 | Transfer Honors Program (Full Tuition Scholarship) |
| 2022 | Chaffee Award of Excellence |

RESEARCH & TEACHING INTERESTS

Early and Medieval Islamic Theology
 Islamic Philosophy (Metaphysics and Epistemology)
 Islamic Intellectual History

CONFERENCES

2022 “Empowerment: Between the Universal and the Parochial,” invited presentation at LaGuardia Undergraduate Philosophy & Social Science Conference, New York, 05/13/2022

WORKSHOPS & CERTIFICATES

2021 Certificate in Introduction to Arabic Manuscript Studies, Hill Museum & Manuscript Library

LANGUAGES

Burmese (*native*)
 English (*near-native*)
 Classical Arabic (*reading and listening knowledge*)
 Modern Standard Arabic (*beginner*)
 French (*elementary reading knowledge*)

SCHOLARLY & PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

International Qur’anic Studies Association

EXPERIENCE

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| 2022– | <p>The Islamic Seminary of America Graduate Teaching Assistant</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Classes Taught: Advanced Sirah (TISA 615); Advanced Qur’anic Studies and Tafsīr (TISA 601); Advanced ‘Aqīdah (TISA 611). ● Assist faculty with lectures, data entry, and classroom setup. ● Evaluate and grade examinations, assignments, papers, and record grades. | Richardson, TX |
| 2022– | <p>The Islamic Seminary of America Graduate Writing Fellow</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Assisting students with writing issues and any other related activities. ● Hold Writing Workshops across the semester and draft the necessary writing guideline document. ● Responsible for issues directly related to the instructional program, academic research, or special projects which require knowledge and skills possessed by graduate students. | Richardson, TX |
| 2019– | <p>The Islamic Institute of Burma Senior Editor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Review, proofread, edit, and fact-check the content. ● Providing feedback on the content written. ● Researching and writing relevant articles. | Yangon, Myanmar |
| 2022 | <p>Queens Public Philosophy Internship Organizer and Moderator (Intern)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Conduct three philosophy workshops for the public, on the topics of love, knowledge, and consciousness, respectively. ● Research current philosophical movements and their effects on current American society. | Queens, NY |

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- 2022 **Philosophy for Children Internship** Long Island City, NY
 Assistant Instructor (Intern)
- Designed and led workshops that engage young children (ages 3 to 5) in philosophical thinking.
 - Researched and learned about the International Philosophy for Children movement through hands-on practice.
 - Assisted and provided support to a Philosophy for Children expert.
- 2022 **Proceedings from Philosophy of Love Journal (vol. 4)** Long Island City, NY
 Editor
- Providing guidance to the authors on writing conventions and style.
 - Performing editing and proofreading submitted articles.
 - Assisting with page layouts and publication design tasks.

REFERENCES

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