

Katilina White

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INTERESTS

19th and 20th century continental philosophy, Simone Weil, aesthetics (esp. fashion and the decorative arts), critical theory, psychoanalysis

EDUCATION

BA, Philosophy and Political Science

May 2023

Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

- Minor: Russian
- Cumulative GPA: 3.9/4.0
- Semester abroad (Spring 2022): Leiden University, Leiden, Netherlands

Ph.D., Philosophy

Expected May 2028

The Graduate Center, City University of New York, New York City, NY

RESEARCH AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Wilke Undergraduate Research Intern

April 2021 – December 2021

Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana

- Supervisor: Chris Yeomans
- Project: Critical Theory of Economic Agency
- Read and evaluated sources, worked as part of a research group including graduate students and faculty with the goal of producing an original philosophical text for publication

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

August 2021 – December 2021

Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana

- Course: PHIL 208- Ethics of Data Science
- Graded assignments including essays and exams, assisted students with course material

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

North Texas Philosophical Association

Upcoming (March 29, 2024)

Perfume Against Interpretation: The Pursuit of Erotics over Hermeneutics and the Sense of Smell

Pacific University Undergraduate Philosophy Conference

April 28, 2023

"The Limitations of Language in Inquiries about Phenomenal Consciousness"

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Outreach and Promotions Intern

August 2022-May 2023

Purdue University Department of Philosophy, West Lafayette, Indiana

- Manage philosophy department social media accounts
- Create graphics and original content to post, answer comments and messages, promote department events
- Develop ideas to increase student engagement with the department

Office Assistant

April 2021-July 2023

Purdue University Office of Student Rights and Responsibilities, West Lafayette, Indiana

- Schedule appointments, manage inbox and phone calls
- Assist students who are going through the conduct process by providing information and answering questions
- Work with confidential information including student academic and disciplinary records

HONORS & AWARDS

Purdue University Department of Philosophy Distinguished Senior
 Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society
 Eric L. Clitheroe Memorial Scholarship
 Dean's List

Spring 2023
Spring 2023
Spring 2023
Fall 2019-Spring 2023