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## AREAS OF FOCUS

AOS Philosophy in the Islamic world · Philosophy of Language  
AOC Metaphysics · Epistemology

## EMPLOYMENT

2026-2027 Princeton University · Visiting Research Scholar  
2025- University of Glasgow · Lecturer ( $\approx$  Assistant Professor) in World Philosophy  
2024-2025 Princeton University · Postdoctoral Research Associate in Philosophy

## EDUCATION

2018-2024 Johns Hopkins University · Ph.D. in Philosophy  
2018-2019 Johns Hopkins University · M.A. in Philosophy  
2015-2017 Boğaziçi University · M.A. in Philosophy  
2011-2015 Boğaziçi University · B.A. in Translation & Interpreting Studies

## RESEARCH

### PUBLICATIONS

2025 [Non-literal lies are not exculpatory](#)  
*The Philosophical Quarterly*. 76(1):151-175.  
2023 [Razian prophecy rationalized](#)  
*British Journal for the History of Philosophy*. 32(3): 401–425.  
2023 [Counterfactuals, hyperintensionality and Hurford disjunctions](#)  
*Linguistics and Philosophy*. 46(1): 169-195.  
2022 [That solution to Prior's puzzle](#)  
*Philosophical Studies*. 179(9): 2765-2785.

### DISSERTATION

2024 [Counterfactuality, Necessity and Possibility in Truthmaker Semantics](#) Johns Hopkins University

### IN PROGRESS (DRAFTS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST)

Under review [A paper on conceivability, possibility and implication]  
Under review [A paper on al-Ghazālī and deductive reasoning]  
Under review [A paper on epistemic necessity]  
In preparation [A paper on Abu Bakr al-Rāzi and epistemology]

In preparation [A paper on possibilities]

## TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS

May 2026	Faith and Reason in the Islamic Tradition	Princeton-Yale-Bilkent Workshop
March 2026	Comments on Imran Aijaz's <i>Islam and philosophy</i>	Society for Philosophy of Religion
	[A paper on al-Ghazālī and a paradox of implication]	
December 2025	Islam and Philosophy Series	Online
February 2026	Department Colloquium	University of Stirling
	[A paper on al-Ghazālī and deductive reasoning]	
December 2024	Seminar in Medieval and Early Modern Philosophy	Johns Hopkins University
November 2024	3PR Weekly Meeting	Princeton University
	Non-literal lies are not exculpatory	
October 2024	Partial truth seminar (Justin Bledin)	Johns Hopkins University
	A <i>mighty</i> fine update	
July 2025	Truthmakers and Modality	ESSLLI 2025
March 2024	Department Colloquium	Koç University
	Razian prophecy rationalized	
February 2024	Introduction to Islamic Philosophy (Hashem Morvarid)	Johns Hopkins University
	How strong is epistemic must?	
April 2024	Epistemology workshop (Branden Fitelson)	Northeastern University
October 2022	Introduction to Truthmaker Semantics (Kit Fine)	New York University
	Fine-graining modality with modal states	
July 2023	Truthmaker Semantics and Related Approaches	New York University Florence
	Counterfactuals, hyperintensionality and Hurford disjunctions	
September 2022	Prometheus Undergraduate Society	Johns Hopkins University
May 2021	SemanticsBabble colloquium	University of California, San Diego
May 2021	Philosophy of Language Seminar (Matt Mandelkern)	New York University
March 2021	Semantics Research Seminar (Yasu Sudo, Paul Marty, Jacopo Romoli)	University College London
	Truthmaker semantics for indicative conditionals	
July 2019	Truthmaker Semantics: Applications in Philosophy and Linguistics	Hamburg University

## TEACHING

### PRIMARY INSTRUCTOR

Spring 2025	Junior Honours Seminar in Phil of Language at University of Glasgow	
Spring 2025	Proofs of God in the Islamic Tradition at University of Glasgow	
Fall 2025	MSc Seminar on Philosophy of Language at University of Glasgow	[E-mail for syllabus]
Fall 2025	Introduction to Philosophy in the Islamic World at Princeton	[Cancelled due to move]
Summer 2024	Philosophical issues in Artificial Intelligence at JHU	[E-mail for syllabus]
Fall 2023	An Iconoclast in Islamic Philosophy: Abu Bakr al-Razi at JHU	Ratings   <a href="#">Student comments</a>

## ASSISTANT INSTRUCTOR AT JHU

Spring 2023	Ethics of Making Babies for Prof. Travis Rieder	<a href="#">Ratings</a>   <a href="#">Student comments</a>
Fall 2022	Life and Death for Prof. Ben Holguín	<a href="#">Ratings 1 / 2</a>   <a href="#">Student comments</a>
Spring 2022	Philosophy of Gender for Prof. Elanor Taylor	<a href="#">Ratings</a>   <a href="#">Student comments</a>
Fall 2021	Ethics and Animals for Prof. Hilary Bok	<a href="#">Ratings</a>   <a href="#">Student comments</a>
Spring 2021	Philosophical Problems for Prof. Steven Gross	<a href="#">Ratings 1 / 2</a>   <a href="#">Student comments</a>
Fall 2020	Formal Methods of Philosophy for Prof. Robert Rynasiewicz	<a href="#">Ratings</a>   <a href="#">Student comments</a>

## GUEST LECTURES

February 2025	“Truth by Convention” for Convention and Modality at Princeton	<a href="#">Slides</a>
February 2024	“Razian prophecy rationalized” for Intro. to Islamic Philosophy at JHU	<a href="#">Slides</a>
April 2023	“Ectogenesis” for Ethics of Making Babies at JHU	<a href="#">Slides</a>
March 2023	“Designer babies” for Ethics of Making Babies at JHU	<a href="#">Slides</a>
March 2022	Haslanger’s “Race and Gender” for Philosophy of Gender at JHU	<a href="#">Slides</a>
May 2017	“Descriptivism” in <i>Naming and Necessity</i> at Boğaziçi University	<a href="#">Handout</a>

## ACADEMIC SERVICE

### SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Reviewer	<i>Agatheos</i> · <i>Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie</i> · <i>Australasian Journal of Philosophy</i> · <i>Erkenntnis</i> · <i>Inquiry</i> · <i>The Journal of Philosophy</i> · <i>Journal of Philosophical Logic</i> · <i>Natural Language Semantics</i> · <i>Philosophical Studies</i> · <i>Theoria</i> · <i>Topoi</i>
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### SERVICE AT INSTITUTIONS

2025-2026	Royal Institute of Philosophy Branch Officer	University of Glasgow
2025-2026	Alumni Officer	University of Glasgow
2025-2026	Study Abroad Officer	University of Glasgow
Spring 2025	Reading group on ibn Sīnā’s <i>Physics</i>	Princeton
Fall 2025	Yale-Princeton Conference in honor of Robert M. Adams	Princeton
Winter 2025	Reading group on philosophy in the Islamic world	Princeton
Fall 2024	Reading group on philosophy in the Islamic world	Princeton
2021-2022	Department Colloquium Organizer	JHU
2020-2021	Graduate Student Recruitment Committee	JHU

## FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

Summer 2025	<a href="#">Marc Sanders Media Fellow</a>	Marc Sanders Foundations
2024	<a href="#">Miller Prize</a> (for <a href="#">Razian prophecy rationalized</a> )	Johns Hopkins University
Spring 2024	Sachs Fellowship	Johns Hopkins University
Summer 2023	Research grant in Islamic studies	Johns Hopkins University
2023	<a href="#">Miller Prize</a> (for <a href="#">Counterfactuals and hyperintensionality</a> )	Johns Hopkins University
Fall 2023	Dean’s Teaching Fellowship	Johns Hopkins University
2022	<a href="#">Miller Prize</a> (for <a href="#">That solution to Prior’s puzzle</a> )	Johns Hopkins University
Summer 2019	Conference grant for truthmaker semantics	Hamburg University
2018-2020	Philosophy Department Fellowship	Johns Hopkins University
2016-2017	Vehbi Koç Foundation Scholarship	Boğaziçi University
2010-2015	Mehmet Zorlu Foundation Scholarship	Boğaziçi University

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