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### **AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION**

- Ancient Philosophy (esp. Plato and Aristotle)
- 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Century Continental Philosophy (esp. Phenomenology, Hermeneutics, Infrapolitics, and Deconstruction)
- Latin American, Caribbean, and Latinx Philosophy and Decolonial Thought (esp. Infrapolitics and Posthegemony)

### **AREAS OF COMPETENCE**

- History of Philosophy (esp. Early Modern and German Idealism)
  - Social and Political Philosophy
  - Aesthetics and Philosophy of Art
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### **EDUCATION**

2022	Ph.D. Philosophy, Villanova University “Aristotle’s Proto-Phenomenology of Being: The Reciprocity of <i>Dunamis</i> and <i>Energeia</i> in Nature, Movement, and Soul” <i>Committee:</i> Walter Brogan (chair), Justin Humphreys, Délia Popa, Sean D. Kirkland (DePaul University)
2018	M.A. Philosophy, Villanova University
2015	B.A. Philosophy ( <i>Magna Cum Laude</i> ), Minor in Psychology, Undergraduate Research Scholar, Texas A&M University <i>Honors Thesis:</i> “What To Do After the ‘Death of God’?: An Analysis of <i>Ressentiment</i> and Social/Political Exclusion” <i>Advisor:</i> Daniel W. Conway

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### **LANGUAGES**

- Speaking, Reading, and Writing
    - Spanish: Native
    - English: Native
    - French: Advanced Proficiency
    - Italian: Advanced Proficiency
  - Reading
    - German: Intermediate Proficiency
    - Ancient Greek (Koine and Attic): Intermediate Proficiency
    - Latin: Intermediate Proficiency
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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2023-present	Assistant Professor, Philosophy and Latin American Studies, The University of Texas at Dallas
2022-2023	Adjunct Instructor, Bellevue University
2020	Adjunct Instructor, Blinn College
2019	Visiting Research Scholar, DePaul University, Department of Philosophy
2018	43 <sup>rd</sup> Collegium Phaenomenologicum, “Aristotle: <i>Phusis</i> , <i>Psuchê</i> , <i>Anthrôpos</i> ,” Città di Castello, Italy
	Erasmus+KA107 Scholar, Universidad de Cádiz, Facultad de Filosofía y Letras, Departamento de Filología Francesa e Inglesa <i>Coordinadora académica</i> : Lourdes Rubiales Bonilla

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## PUBLICATIONS

### Book Chapters

2020	“Neither People nor Multitude: Posthegemony and the End of the Politics of Representation,” ed. Giacomo Marramao, <i>Interregnum: Between Biopolitics and Posthegemony</i> , New York: Mimesis International, pp. 149-160
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### Journal Articles

Forthcoming	“The Infrapolitical Question in Greek Tragedy,” <i>Política común</i> , Volume 15
2022	“The Emergence of Being and Time as Ἐνέργεια: Heidegger’s Unfinished Confrontation with Aristotle’s <i>Metaphysics</i> ,” <i>Kronos: Philosophical Journal</i> , Volume XI, 86-99
2020	“The Destruction of Philosophy: Metaphoricity-History-Being,” <i>Política común</i> , Volume 13, “Transformative Thinking: A Conference on Jacques Derrida’s Seminars, <i>Heidegger: The Question of Being and History (1964-1965) and Théorie et pratique (1975-1976)</i> ”
2018	“La expatriación como condena: Una lectura existencial de “Del país de la pena” por Hanni Ossott,” [“Expatriation as Condemnation: An Existential Reading of “From the Land of Sorrow” by Hanni Ossott”] <i>Res publica: Revista de Historia de las Ideas Políticas</i> 21.3, pp. 529-544

“El nudo infrapolítico y la verdad de la democracia,” [“The Infrapolitical (K)not and the Truth of Democracy”] *Pensamiento al margen*, Número especial *Infrapolítica y Democracia*, pp. 160-181

“The Undecidability of the Politics of Politics: On Geoffrey Bennington’s *Scatter 1*,” *Política común*, Volume 12, “On Geoffrey Bennington’s *Scatter 1. The Politics of Politics in Foucault, Heidegger, Derrida*. (New York: Fordham UP, 2016)”

2017 “Infrapolitical Reflection: Schürmann and the Existential Durchbruch,” *Política común*, Volume 11, “On Reiner Schürmann”

### **Book Reviews**

2022 Ian Alexander Moore, *Eckhart, Heidegger, and the Imperative of Releasement*, *Graduate Faculty Philosophy Journal*, Volume 42, no. 2, pp. 586-589

### **Translations**

Forthcoming Jacques Derrida, “This Night in the Night of the Night” and “Her Evil Genius,” *Thinking What Comes: Volume 1*, ed. Geoffrey Bennington and Kas Saghafi, Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press

2020 Roberto Esposito, “Post-democracy and Biopolitics,” *Interregnum: Between Biopolitics and Posthegemony*, ed. Giacomo Marramao, New York: Mimesis International, pp. 87-95

### **Other Writings**

2020 “On the Ambiguity of Conversion—And Its Necessity,” Book Review of Edward Baring’s *Converts to the Real: Catholicism and the Making of Continental Philosophy for Genealogies of Modernity* Project Blog

## **PRESENTATIONS**

2023 “The Inconspicuous Phenomenality of *Physis*: Heidegger, Heraclitus, and the Phenomenology of the Inapparent,” North Texas Philosophical Association, University of Texas at Dallas, Dallas, TX, March 31-April 1

“Socrates *polutropos*: Toward an Infrapolitical Sketch of Socratic Practice,” American Comparative Literature Association, Chicago, IL, March 16-19

2022 “Heidegger’s Unfinished Interpretation and Translation of Aristotle’s *Metaphysics* Lambda,” Southwest Seminar for Continental Philosophy, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX, June 1-3

- “‘Life is But a Fleeting Shadow’: The Infrapolitical Question in Greek Tragedy,” Tracking Infrapolitics 1, College Station, TX, March 3-6
- 2021 “Love as Detachment and Releasement in Meister Eckhart’s Mystical Writings,” 46<sup>th</sup> Patristic, Medieval and Renaissance Studies Conference, Villanova University, Villanova, PA, October 15-17
- “Toward a Unitary Interpretation of *Metaphysics* Θ: Reading Θ 10 in Light of Aristotle’s Discussion of Being as Potency and Activity,” Ancient Philosophy Society, 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Independent Meeting, Utah Valley University, June 10-13 (Virtual)
- “Heidegger’s Dynamic Reading of Aristotle’s *Metaphysics* Theta: Being, Activity, and Truth,” Southwest Seminar for Continental Philosophy, May 7-9 (Virtual)
- “Time and Being in Aristotle’s *Metaphysics* Θ: On the Ecstatic Interrelation between Potency and Activity,” Southeast Association for the Continental Tradition, April 9-10 (Virtual)
- 2020 “The Inconspicuous Event of Grace: Sketches for a Phenomenological Reading of Aquinas,” 45<sup>th</sup> Patristic, Medieval and Renaissance Studies Conference, Villanova University, October 16-18 (Virtual)
- “Is a Phenomenology of the Event Possible? Phenomenology as Original Science in Heidegger’s Early Seminars,” North Texas Philosophical Association, University of Texas at Dallas, Dallas, TX, March 27-29 (Cancelled due to COVID-19)
- “Aristotle’s Proto-Phenomenological Event: The Event of Being in *Metaphysics* Theta,” Ancient Philosophy Society, 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Independent Meeting, DePaul University, Chicago, IL, April 2-5 (Cancelled due to COVID-19)
- 2019 “Heidegger’s Equivocal Concept of History: Between *Ereignis-Denken* and *Seynsgeschichtliches Denken*,” North Texas Philosophical Association, University of Texas at Dallas, Dallas, TX, March 29-30
- “Poetic History: The Hidden Epochal Teleology in Heidegger’s *Geschlecht*,” “On Heidegger’s “National Humanism”: A Symposium on Derrida’s Lost “Geschlecht III,”” Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, February 14-15
- “Awaiting Each Other at the Limit of Death: Heidegger and Derrida on the Community of Those Who are Going to Die,” “Death, Decay, and Disgust,” 25<sup>th</sup> Annual DePaul University Graduate Student Conference, DePaul University, Chicago, IL, January 25-26
- 2018 “*Phronēsis, Zōon, Anthrōpos*: The Status of the Animal in Aristotle’s *Nicomachean Ethics*,” 43<sup>rd</sup> Collegium Phaenomenologicum “Aristotle: *Phusis, Psuchē, Anthrōpos*,” Città di Castello, Italy, July 7-8

“Entre palabras sofocadas y una escritura del desastre: “Del país de la pena”” [“Between Smothered Words and a Writing of Disaster: “From the Land of Sorrow”], I Seminario Internacional “Latinoamérica en perspectiva: Conceptualizaciones emergentes en tiempos de cambio” [“Latin America in Perspective: Emergent Conceptualizations in Times of Change”], Facultad de Filosofía y Letras, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, May 28-29

“La desarticulación de la máquina antropológica como tal: hacia otra noción de vida” [“The Disarticulation of the Anthropological Machine As Such: Toward Another Notion of Life”], V Seminario Crítico-Político Transnacional, Facultad de Historia de la Filosofía, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, May 17-19

“Uncanny Intimacy, or the Deconstruction of the Ipseic Image,” North Texas Philosophical Association, University of Texas at Dallas, Dallas, TX, March 30-31

2017

“Artes poéticas: Aproximaciones a la demanda filosófica del poema,” [“Poetic Arts: Aproximations to the Philosophical Demand of the Poem”] Mid-America Conference on Hispanic Literature, Washington University, St. Louis, St. Louis, MO, October 26-28

“By the Power of Refusal: On Maurice Blanchot’s *Passion politique*,” Dissent and Its Discontents, Loyola Graduate Student Conference, Loyola University, Chicago, IL, October 5-6

“The Destruction of Philosophy: Metaphoricity-History-Being,” Transformative Thinking: A Conference on Jacques Derrida’s Seminars (1964-65, 1975-76), Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Michigan Ann Arbor, Ann Arbor, MI, September 29-30

“La duplicidad de las políticas del espíritu: Revisitando *De l’esprit* de Derrida” [“The Duplicity of the Politics of Spirit: Revisiting Derrida’s *Of Spirit*”], IV Seminario Crítico-Político Transnacional, Facultad de Historia de la Filosofía, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, July 3-5

“What Does Poetry have to do With Politics? Heidegger between Badiou and Lacoue-Labarthe,” Southwest Seminar for Continental Philosophy, California State University Northridge, Northridge, CA, June 8-11

“Neither People Nor Multitude: Posthegemony and the End of the Politics of Representation,” In the Shadow of Leviathan: between Biopolitics and Posthegemony, Università degli Studi, Roma Tre, Rome, Italy, May 23-24

“Abandoned Sense: Bataille and Nancy on Poetry,” North Texas Philosophical Association, University of Dallas, Dallas, TX, March 31-April 1

2016 “An An-archic Tongue: The Political Significance of Our Displaced Relation to Language,” Derrida Today, University College of London Goldsmiths, London, United Kingdom, June 8-11

“The Possibility of Infrapolitics: Derrida, the Ontological Difference, and Recovering the Thought of Being,” Southwest Seminar for Continental Philosophy, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, May 19-21

“*Per agrum peregrinantis*: The Wandering Joy of the Marrano,” On Infrapolitical An-Archy: The Work of Reiner Schürmann, SEAD Gallery, Bryan, TX, January 11-12

### **OTHER INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

2023 Speaker, Heidegger Circle Spring Seasonal Gathering, “Heidegger and Aristotle,” March 9 (Virtual)

2017 Respondent, Book Panel for Adam Joseph Shellhorse’s *Anti-Literature: The Politics and Limits of Representation in Modern Brazil and Argentina* (University of Pittsburgh Press, 2017), University of Pennsylvania, May 12

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2023 Instructor, The University of Texas at Dallas, History & Philosophy Program

- PHI 4380/6390: “Topics in Philosophy – Latin American Philosophy” (Fall Semester)

2020 Instructor, Blinn College, Department of Philosophy

- ETH 2050: “Introduction to Ethics” (Fall Semester)

Instructor, Villanova University, Department of Philosophy

- PHI 1000: “Knowledge, Reality, and Self” (Spring Semester)

2019 Instructor, Villanova University, Department of Philosophy

- PHI 1000: “Knowledge, Reality, and Self” (Fall Semester)

2018 Teaching Intern, Villanova University, Augustine Cultural Seminar.

- ACS 1000: “Ancients”
- Dr. James Murdoch (Fall Semester)

2017 Teaching Intern, Villanova University, Department of Philosophy.

- PHI 1000: “Knowledge, Reality, and Self”
- Dr. Charles Prusik (Fall Semester)

Teaching Intern, Villanova University, Ethics Department.

- ETH 2050: “The Good Life: Ethics & Contemporary Problems”

- Dr. Brett Wilmot (Spring Semester)
- 2016 Teaching Intern, Villanova University, Department of Philosophy.
- PHI 4610: “Philosophy of Mind”
  - Dr. Georg Theiner (Fall Semester)
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### **OTHER TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- 2022 Guest Lecturer, Villanova University, Department of Philosophy – Fall Semester
- Ancient Theory of the Soul – PHI 8710 – Instructor: Dr. Justin Humphreys
- Guest Lecturer, DePaul University, Department of Philosophy – Winter Quarter
- Nietzsche – PHL 240: “Love, Hatred, and Resentment” – Instructor: Laura Campos
- 2021 Guest Lecturer, DePaul University, Department of Philosophy, Autumn Quarter
- Nietzsche – PHL 240: “Love, Hatred, and Resentment” – Instructor: Laura Campos
  - Plato – PHL 100: “Introduction to Philosophy” – Instructor: Laura Campos
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### **SERVICE**

- 2023-2026 Member, APA Committee on Hispanics/Latinxs
- 2016 Session Moderator and Respondent, “Legacies of Colonialism and Philosophies of Resistance,” 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Villanova Graduate Student Conference, Villanova, PA, April 15
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### **OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

- 2021-2022 Academic Mentor, Texas A&M University, Department of Athletic Services
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### **ARCHIVAL RESEARCH**

- 2019 Institut Mémoires de l'Édition Contemporaine Archives (IMEC), Caen, France
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### **AWARDS**

- 2021 Funding Extension (Disruptions due to COVID-19), College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Villanova University – Fall 2021

- 2019 Graduate Student Summer Research Fellowship, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Villanova University – June
- Research Stay in Paris at the Institut Mémoires de l'Édition Contemporaine Archives (Caen, France)
- 2018 Summer Research Fellowship, Collegium Phaenomenologicum, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Villanova University
- Erasmus +KA107 Mobility Program, February – July
- Doctoral Exchange Student at the Universidad de Cádiz, Facultad de Filosofía y Letras, Departamento de Filología Francesa e Inglesa
- 2016-2018 Graduate Student Travel Award, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Villanova University
- 2015 Manuel Davenport Prize, Department of Philosophy, Texas A&M University
- Award for Contributions to the Intellectual Life of the Philosophy Department
- 2014 Premio de Rendimiento Académico otorgado por la Asociación de Profesores de la Universidad de Oriente, Núcleo Nueva Esparta, Venezuela
- A competitive award given by the Association of Professors at the Universidad de Oriente for Academic Excellence
- Glasscock Undergraduate Summer Scholars Grant, Melbern G. Glasscock Center for Humanities Research, Texas A&M University
- Research Fellowship that included an intensive summer research project on the “problem of evil” under the supervision of Dr. Daniel W. Conway and the opportunity to write an undergraduate honors thesis
- 2013 Premio de Rendimiento Académico otorgado por la Asociación de Profesores de la Universidad de Oriente, Núcleo Nueva Esparta, Venezuela
- A competitive award given by the Association of Professors at the Universidad de Oriente for Academic Excellence

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS**

### Affiliations

- American Philosophical Association
- Ancient Philosophy Society
- Heidegger Circle
- International Plato Society
- North American Society for Philosophical Hermeneutics
- Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy
- Society for Continental Philosophy and Theology



- Society for Existential and Phenomenological Philosophy

#### Memberships

- Phi Beta Kappa (ΦBK) Honorary Member, TAMU Chapter (2015)
- Golden Key International Honor Society Member, TAMU Chapter (2014)
- Phi Kappa Phi Honorary Member, TAMU Chapter (2014)
- Phi Theta Kappa Honorary Member, Blinn College Chapter (2012)

### **REFERENCES**

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