

Anni Aliisa Rätty

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Areas

AOS Moral philosophy

AOC Social and Political philosophy, Kant's ethics, Aesthetics, Ethics of technology

Employment

Postdoctoral Fellow in Philosophy, Embedded EthiCS Program

Harvard University, Department of Philosophy

2023-current

Postdoctoral Associate in Philosophy

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Department of Linguistics and Philosophy

2022-2023

Social and Ethical Responsibilities of Computing (SERC) Scholar

Massachusetts Institute of Technology Schwarzman College of Computing

2021-2022

Research Assistant, Bernardo Zacka

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Department of Political Science

2019

Education

PhD in Philosophy

Massachusetts Institute of Technology (2022)

Dissertation Title: 'Inside the Moral Nexus: On Wrongs, Rights, and Normative Powers'

Committee: Tamar Schapiro (chair), Sally Haslanger, Kieran Setiya

BA Honours in Philosophy (First Class)

Trinity Hall, University of Cambridge (2014-2017)

Thesis Title: 'A Virtue Epistemology of Moral Disagreement' (First Class with Distinction)

Supervisor: Paulina Sliwa

Publications

'The Value of Uptake' Forthcoming in *Journal of Ethics and Social Philosophy*

Selected Works in Progress

'A Joint Deliberation Account of Consent' Under review.

'Sexual Promises and the Right to Refuse'

Awards and Scholarships

MIT Presidential Fellowship (2017-2018)

Kitty Crawley Prize in Philosophy (Trinity Hall, University of Cambridge, 2017)

Bateman Scholarship (Trinity Hall, University of Cambridge, 2017)

Scholarship at Trinity Hall (Trinity Hall, University of Cambridge, 2016)

Talks and Presentations

'A Joint Deliberation Account of Consent'

Northeast Normativity Workshop (2023)

'Consent Apps—Could They Work?'

TeXne Ethics of Technology Work in Progress Group (2023)

'Duty and Demand'

MIT Work In Progress Seminar (2023)

Pacific APA (2023)

'Consent Cannot Be Private: An Objection to Mental Views of Consent'

Eastern APA (2023)

'Horror, Pornography, and the Argument from Reactive Attitudes'

MIT/Michigan Social Philosophy Workshop (2022)

MIT Work in Progress Seminar (2022)

Invited comments on Renée Jorgensen's *Rewriting Rights: Making Reasonable Mistakes in a Social Context*. Book manuscript workshop at The Edmond J. Safra Center for Ethics at Harvard University (2022)

Invited comments on Eugene Chislenko's 'Blame as Attention' at Eastern APA (2022)

'Consent as Joint Deliberation'

MIT/Michigan Social Philosophy Workshop (2021)

MIT Work In Progress Seminar (2021)

'The Normative Power of Uptake' at MITing of the Minds (2021)

'Rights and Wrongs' at MIT/Michigan Social Philosophy Workshop (2020)

Invited comments on Renée Jorgensen's 'Objective Rights and Agent Ignorance' at the Rights Workshop (2019)

Invited comments on Paulina Sliwa's 'Hermeneutical Advice' at MITing of the Minds (2019)
Comments on Alexander Dietz's 'Effective Altruism and Collective Obligations' at Eastern
APA (2019)
Invited comments on Dan Greco's 'Justifications and Excuses in Epistemology' at MITing of
the Minds (2018)
'In Defence of Moral Deference: Epistemic and Moral Arguments' at Student Conference for
Moral and Political Philosophy at Central European University (2016) Awarded 'Best
Paper'
'Justice and Beneficence from the Second-Person Standpoint' at Open Minds XII: Student
Philosophy Conference at University of Manchester (2016)

Graduate Coursework

Independent Study on Moral Rights (MIT, Judith Jarvis Thomson)
Independent Study on Deontic Logic (MIT, Stephen Yablo)
Independent Study on Moral Psychology (MIT, Justin Khoo)
Kant's Ethical Theory (Harvard, Christine Korsgaard)
Kant's Ethics (MIT, Tamar Schapiro) (audited)
Moral Philosophy: Reasons for Action (MIT, Kieran Setiya)
Norms of Belief (Harvard, Selim Berker and Susanna Rinard)
Political Philosophy (MIT, Bernardo Zacka)
Proseminar in Philosophy 1 (MIT, Jack Spencer and Roger White)
Proseminar in Philosophy 2 (MIT, Bradford Skow and Stephen Yablo)
Rationalism and Sentimentalism in Moral Philosophy (MIT, Tamar Schapiro)
The Ethics of Climate Change (MIT, Caspar Hare, Kieran Setiya) (audited)
The Ethics and Governance of Artificial Intelligence (MIT Media Lab and Harvard Law
School, Joi Ito and Jonathan Zittrain)
Topics in The Philosophy of Agency (MIT, Tamar Schapiro) (audited)
Topics in Aesthetics (MIT, Bradford Skow) (audited)

Teaching

As a Primary Instructor

Being, Thinking, Doing (Or Not!): Ethics in Your Life, Spring 2023
Topics in History of Philosophy: History of Moral Philosophy, Fall 2022

As a Teaching Assistant

Philosophy and the Arts (Brad Skow), Spring 2021
Bioethics (Nathaniel Baron-Schmitt and Robin Scheffler), Fall 2020
Ethics (Tamar Schapiro), Spring 2020
Moral Problems and the Good Life (Kieran Setiya), Fall 2019
Classics of Western Philosophy (Katy Meadows), Spring 2019

Justice (Bernardo Zacka), Fall 2018

Guest Lectures

Guest lecture on Jeremy Bentham, 'Introduction to the Principles of Morals and Legislation' (2020)

Guest lecture on Judith Thomson's 'A Defense of Abortion' (2019)

Course Development

Thinking, Being, and Doing (or not!): Ethics in Your Life, 2023

Topics in History of Philosophy: History of Moral Philosophy, 2022

Just Code: The Ethical Lifecycle of Machine Learning, 2019

Service

Reviewer for *Philosophical Studies*

Reviewer for ACM Conference on Fairness, Accountability, and Transparency (ACM FAccT) (2023)

Co-founder and organiser of reading group for Gender and Philosophy(GAP) at MIT (2023)

Co-organiser of reading group for Social Philosophy, History of Philosophy, Aesthetics, Political Philosophy, Ethics (SHAPE) at MIT (2019-2021)

Co-organiser of reading group on Judith Jarvis Thomson's 'The Realm of Rights' at MIT (2018)

Co-organiser of Harvard/MIT Graduate Conference (2018)

Co-organiser of Massachusetts and Rhode Island (MARI) Philosophy Graduate Conference (2018)

Staff-Student Committee (2016-2017), University of Cambridge

Committee member of Amoral Sciences Club, undergraduate society for philosophy at University of Cambridge

Co-founder of Immoral Sciences Club, society for undergraduate women in philosophy at University of Cambridge

Languages

Finnish (native)

Japanese (conversational)

Swedish (intermediate)

ASL (learning)

German (intermediate)

References

Sally Haslanger, MIT Department of Linguistics and Philosophy, shaslang@mit.edu

Tamar Schapiro, MIT Department of Linguistics and Philosophy, tamschap@mit.edu

Kieran Setiya, MIT Department of Linguistics and Philosophy, ksetiya@mit.edu

Bradford Skow (teaching), MIT Department of Linguistics and Philosophy, bskow@mit.edu