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RESEARCH

AOS: Epistemology; Philosophy of Psychology/Psychiatry

AOC: Early Modern Philosophy (esp. Descartes & Hume); Philosophy of Cognitive Science

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Philosophy, University of California, Irvine

Irvine, California

In progress (Expected 2026)

Advisor: Annalisa Coliva

M.A., Philosophy, Georgia State University

Atlanta, Georgia

Awarded August 2020

Thesis: "Delusions as Hetero-dynamic Property Clusters,"

Advisors: Neil Van Leeuwen, Daniel Weiskopf

B.S., Philosophy, Towson University

B.S., Electronic Media and Film, Towson University

Towson, Maryland

Awarded December 2017

Summa cum laude

TEACHING

As Lead Instructor:

Writing: *Argument & Research* (Fall 2021, Winter 2023)

Medical Humanities: *Health, Wellness, and the Body* (Summer Session II, 2024)

As Teaching Assistant:

Philosophy:

Introduction to Philosophy (Fall 2022; 2024, Spring 2022, 2023)
Puzzles & Paradoxes (Winter 2022)
Contemporary Moral Problems (Spring, 2024)
Introduction to Knowledge (Fall, 2024)
History of Early Modern Philosophy (Winter 2025)

History/Classics:

4th Century Hellenistic Greece (Winter 2024)

Other:

“TH!NK” Instructor—Philosophy for Early Adolescence (Fall 2021)

GRADUATE COURSEWORK

Epistemology:

Rational, Delusional, and Religious Hinges (Annalisa Coliva)
Wittgenstein’s Philosophical Investigations (Anna Boncompagni & Annalisa Coliva)
Advanced Topics in Epistemology (Annalisa Coliva)
Medical Epistemology (Sven Bernecker)
Social Epistemology (Margaret Gilbert)
What Is This Thing Called “Philosophy?” (Annalisa Coliva)
Philosophy of Social Phenomenon (Margaret Gilbert)
Independent Study: Theories of Imagination (Sven Bernecker)
Independent Study: Belief (Duncan Pritchard)

History:

Hume’s Epistemology (Sean Greenberg)
Independent Study: Descartes’ Epistemology (Sean Greenberg)
Kant’s 1st Critique (Jeremy Heis, UCI LPS)
History of Analytic Philosophy: Part II (Jeremy Heis, UCI LPS)
Philosophy of Science Foundations (Kyle Stanford, UCI LPS)
Plato’s Phaedo (Casey Perin)
Philosophy of History (Greg Moore, GSU)

Metaphysics & Mind:

Philosophy & Cognitive Science (Neil Van Leeuwen, GSU)
Belief (Neil Van Leeuwen, GSU)
Free Will, Agency, Responsibility, & Punishment (Eddy Nahmias, GSU)
Historical Roots of Contemporary Emotion Theory (Andrea Scarantino, GSU)

Ethics and Value Theory:

Money (Aaron James)
Consent (Jeff Helmreich)
Contemporary Metaethics (Karl Schaffer)
Moral Progress Naturalized? (Kyle Stanford, LPS)
Moral Psychology (Eddy Nahmias, GSU)

Coursework Outside of Philosophy:

Memory and the Law (Elizabeth Loftus, UCI, Psychological Science)
Consciousness (Kourosh Saberi, UCI Cognitive Sciences)
Social Psychology (Kevin Swartout; Psychology, GSU)
Cognitive Neuroscience (Jacob Shreckengost, Cognitive Sciences, GSU)

SERVICE

Referee, *International Journal for the Study of Skepticism*

Graduate Student Representative, Department of Philosophy, UC Irvine (AY 2021)

FELLOWSHIPS

Brains and Behavior Fellowship, Georgia State University (AY 2018-2020)

AWARDS

Dr. Wolfgang Fuchs Memorial Essay Prize, Towson University (2017)
Wing-Chung Wong Essay Prize, Towson University (2016)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

The 10TH Geo-Aesthetics Conference
Towson University (2017)
Paper title: "Language: From and to the Sensuous,"

PROGRAMS

Summer Program for Women in Philosophy (2017)
University of California, San Diego