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Curriculum Vitae
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Area of Specialization

Moral and Political Philosophy, and Ancient Philosophy (especially Plato)

Area of Competence

Feminism, Medical Ethics, Philosophy of Race

Education

2012 New School for Social Research—Ph.D. Philosophy
2006 New School for Social Research—M.A. Philosophy
2004 Florida Atlantic University—B.A. Philosophy, B.A. Interdisciplinary Studies: Arts and
Humanities, Ethnic Studies Minor (magna cum laude)

Professional Appointment

Assistant Professor, St. John's University 2014-Present (contract appointment)

Publications

“Narrative Order and the Cosmo-Political Representations of the Characters in the *Timaeus*,” *Méthexis: International Journal of Ancient Philosophy* (forthcoming).

“In Defense of Mercy,” *Journal of Military Ethics* (forthcoming).

“Is It Still Nationalism? A Critique of Ronald Sundstrom’s ‘Sheltering Xenophobia,’” *Critical Philosophy of Race* 7 (2): 356-374 (2019).

“Naked Soldiers, Naked Terrorists and the Justifiability of Drone Warfare,” *Social Theory and Practice* 45 (1): 103-126 (2019).

“Excuses, Justifications, and the Just War Tradition: Are There Good Reasons to Kill the Naked Soldier?” *Journal of Global Ethics* 13 (1): 58-69 (2017).

Book Review

Review of *Eros in Plato, Rousseau, and Nietzsche: The Politics of Infinity*, by Laurence Cooper in *Review of Metaphysics* 63 (1): 178-180 (2009).

Paper Presentations

- 2019 “Terrorism and Political Order”
Global Awareness Society International: 28th Annual Interdisciplinary Conference
Marrakesh, Morocco, May 24-25
- “‘The Exceptional Presidency of Donald Trump’”
American Philosophical Association, Eastern
New York, January 7-10
- 2018 “Chiraq and the Conflation of Urban Violence with Resistance to Foreign
Occupiers”
Philosophy of the City
La Universidad de Salle
Bogotá, Colombia, October 11-13
- “Nationalist Myth and Liberal Guise: The Forced Unveiling of Muslim Women”
8th International Symposium on Justice
Globalization, Multiculturalism, and Human Rights
Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina
Florianópolis, Brazil, September 10-14
- “Prerequisites for a Perpetual Peace in the Age of the War on Terror”
Utopia Now: Global Ethics & Politics from a Kantian Point of View
St. John’s University, May 25-28
- 2017 “Naked Soldiers, Naked Terrorists, and the Justifiability of Drone Warfare”
The Felician Institute for Ethics and Public Affairs Eleventh Annual
Conference
Felician College, October 14
- “Is It Still Nationalism? A Critique of Ronald Sundstrom’s ‘Sheltering Xenophobia’”
American Philosophical Association, Pacific
Seattle, April 12-15
- “Rhetoric and the War on Terror”
Long Island Philosophical Society
St. John’s University, April 1
- 2015 “Targeted Killings and Terrorists: What’s Wrong with Killing the Naked Soldier”
Long Island Philosophical Society
St. John’s University, April 18

- 2013 “Does the City Make Us Just? Socrates’ Uncomfortable Relationship with the City”
Philosophy of the City
Brooklyn College, December 5-7
- “Different Causal Frameworks for Plato and Aristotle”
Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy
Fordham University, October 12
- 2010 “The Moral Implications of Cosmic and Human Bodies in the *Timaeus*”
Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy
Fordham, October 15-17
- “From Writing and Speaking to Reading and Listening: Socrates’ Search for Truth and Self-Knowledge in the *Phaedrus*”
3rd Annual West Coast Plato Workshop
University of California San Diego, May 22-23
- 2008 “Where is Justice in the Myth of Er?”
Society of Ancient Greek Philosophy
Fordham, October 24-26
- “Leibniz’ Monadic Ethics”
Felician College 2nd Annual Ethics Conference
Felician College, May 3
- “The Normative Implications of Circular Motion in Plato’s *Timaeus*”
New Jersey City University Symposium on Greek Philosophy
New Jersey City University, April 26
- 2007 “The Fall of Athens and the Misconception of the Political in Plato’s *Laches*”
Stony Brook Graduate Interdisciplinary Conference
Stony Brook Manhattan, February 17

Discussant/Commentator

- 2019 For Brian Hutler, “Why Conscientious Objection Is Not Political Protest”
American Philosophical Association, Eastern
New York, January 7-10
- 2008 For Ryan McBride, “The Physiology of Imagination in Plato’s *Timaeus*”
8th Annual Ancient Philosophy Society Conference
New School for Social Research, April 16-20
- For “Body and Soul” Panel
Plato and Platonism: The Constitution of a Tradition
University of South Carolina, March 20-22

2007 For James Morely, “Merleau-Ponty’s Philosophy of Imagination”
New Jersey Regional Philosophy Association, November 2007
Ramapo College, November 3

Teaching Experience

St. John’s University

Ancient Philosophy (Fall 2015)

Introduction to Feminist Philosophy (Spring 2017)

Health Care Ethics (x26)

Business Ethics (x2)

Ethics (x4)

Philosophy of the Human Person (x3)

Metaphysics (x11)

Queensborough Community College (adjunct assistant professor, Fall 2013-Spring 2014)

Medical Ethics (x2)

Introduction to Philosophy (Fall 2013)

Baruch College (adjunct assistant professor, Fall 2012-Spring 2014)

Global Ethics (x3)

Major Issues in Philosophy (x4)

New Jersey City University (adjunct instructor, Spring 2008-Summer 2014)

Persons and Problems (x6)

Environmental Ethics (x2)

Civilizations I (x5)

Critical Thinking (x4)

Contemporary Moral Issues (x2)

Mythology (x2)

On Evil (Fall 2011)

Bioethics and Technology (Spring 2014)

New York City College of Technology (adjunct instructor, Fall 2010-Spring 2012)

Healthcare Ethics

Philosophy of Technology

Molloy College (adjunct instructor, Fall 2010)

Ethics: Theory and Practice

Philosophy of Religion

Dowling College (adjunct instructor, Fall 2007)

Western Philosophy I

Human Rights

Felician College (adjunct instructor, Spring - Summer 2007)

Applied Ethics (x2)

New School for Social Research (Teaching Assistant, Fall 2011)

Citizenship and Politics (graduate course)

Eugene Lang College, New School University (Teaching Assistant, Spring 2009)

Ethical Thought in Ancient Greece

Service

- 2019 Anonymous reviewer for *Journal of Social Philosophy*
- 2018 Moderator, Political Philosophy Panel, Long Island Philosophical Association (LIPS)
- 2017 Moderator, Aesthetics, Ethics and Platonic Studies Panel, LIPS
- 2013 Participant, “Interdisciplinary Approaches to Teaching Bioethics” (NJCU)
- 2010 Designed and introduced the course “On Evil” for Fall 2011 (NJCU)
Designed and introduced the course “Bioethics and Technology” for Spring 2014 (NJCU)
Organizer for Greek translation workshop (NSSR)
- 2009 Coordinator for “Adventures in Philosophy” conference (NJCU)
Panelist, “Why Darwin Matters: 150 Year Anniversary of the *Origin of the Species*” (NJCU)
Reconstituted Works in Progress group (NSSR)
Research Assistant for Claudia Baracchi (Spring 2008 and Spring 2009, NSSR)
- 2008 Contributing Organizer of 8th Annual Ancient Philosophy Society Conference (NSSR)
Transcribed 8th Annual Ancient Philosophy Society Conference proceedings (NSSR)
Contributing Organizer of Graduate Conference, “Re-Thinking Subjectivity” (NSSR)

Community Involvement

2013-Present Baruch Leadership Academy: Sophomore Enrichment Program (faculty)

Professional Affiliations

American Philosophical Association
Association for Political Theory
Philosophy of the City Research Group

References

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