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CONTACT INFORMATION

Department of Philosophy
Florida State University
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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Philosophy, Florida State University, August 2005 - present
Dissertation: *Kinds and their Terms: On the Language and Ontology of the Normative and the Empirical* (defense: October 28, 2009)
Committee: Piers Rawling (chair), David McNaughton, and Phil Bowers

M.A., Philosophy, Texas Tech University, August 2004
Masters Thesis: *Special Predication: A Naturalistic Account of the Special Sciences*
Committee: Robert Rupert (chair) and Sungsu Kim

M.A., Theology, Southwestern Theological Seminary, December 2002
B.A., University of New Mexico, December 1996

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Research Specializations	Meta-ethics, Philosophy of Science
Area of Competence	Metaphysics, Philosophy of Language
Teaching Competence	Logic, Philosophy of Religion, Normative Ethics

EMPLOYMENT

Florida State University	Instructor, Summer 2007, Spring 2008-Summer 2008
Florida State University	Teaching Assistant, Fall 2005-Spring 2007, Fall 2007, Fall 2008-Fall 2009
Texas Tech University	Instructor, Summer 2003-Summer 2004
Texas Tech University	Teaching Assistant, Fall 2002-Spring 2003

COURSES INSTRUCTED AND ASSISTED

COURSES INSTRUCTED

- Logic (TTU; 3 sections)
- Critical Thinking (FSU; 2 sections)
- Introduction to Philosophy (FSU; 1 section)
- Introduction to Philosophy (TTU; 1 section)

COURSES ASSISTED

- Ethical Issues (FSU; 2 sections)
- Philosophy of Mind (FSU; 2 sections)
- Philosophy of Religion (FSU; 2 sections)
- Philosophy of Science (FSU; 1 sections)
- Ethical Theory (FSU; 1 section)

PRESENTATIONS

“Non-artificial Kinds”

- Florida Philosophical Association, Gainesville, FL, November 2009
- Boulder Conference on the History and Philosophy of Science, University of Colorado, October 2009

Comment on Corinne Bloch, “The Roles of Definitions in Scientific Concepts” at the Inland Northwest Philosophy Conference, University of Idaho, March 2008

“Kornblith’s Natural Kinds and the Problem of Euthyphro”

- British Society for the Philosophy of Science, University of Bristol, July 2007 (accepted)
- Canadian Society for History and Philosophy of Science, Saskatoon, May 2007 (accepted)
- Graduate Student Conference on the Philosophy of Science, SUNY, Buffalo, April 2007
- Northeast Florida Student Philosophy Conference, University of North Florida, March 2007
- FSU-UF Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, Florida State University, February 2007

“Mere-Cambridge Science”

- Florida Philosophical Association Conference, Cocoa Beach, FL, November 2005
- University of Illinois Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, April 2006 (accepted)
- Intermountain West Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, University of Utah, April 2006

Comment on Travis J. Rodgers, “Invariance and Evidential Restrictions: An Alternative Bayesian Solution to the Raven Paradox” at the FSU Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, Florida State University, October 2006

Comment on Fred Curry, “Evolutionary Wedge Argument against Epiphenomenalism” at the Inter-mountain West Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, University of Utah, April 2006

HONORS AND POSITIONS

Graduate Recruiting Officer, Florida State University, 2007-2009

President, Philosophy Graduate Student Association, Florida State University, 2007-2008

Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award Nomination, Florida State University, 2006

President, Philosophy Graduate Student Association, Texas Tech University, 2003-2004

Jerry V. Fox, Jr. Memorial Scholarship, Texas Tech University, 2003

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Philosophical Association

Florida Philosophical Association

GRADUATE COURSE WORK

Moral Philosophy

Response-Dependent Theories (Gert)
Current Meta-ethics (Gert)
Reason, Value, and Morality (McNaughton,
Rawling)
Parfit's *Climbing the Mountain*
(McNaughton)
Virtue Ethics (McNaughton)
Ethics Core (McNaughton)
Ethical Intuitionism (McNaughton)
Seminar in Ethics: Virtue Ethics (Curzer)

Metaphysics

Identity and Persistence (McKenna)
Metaphysics and Epistemology (McKenna)
Causation and Mental Causation (Kim)
Metaphysics (Averill)

Epistemology

Logic and Epistemology: Epistemology
(Rupert)
Naturalized Epistemology (Bishop)
Knowledge: Practical Interests and
Justification (Bishop)
Epistemological Reliabilism (Bishop)
Naturalized Social Epistemology (Bishop)

Philosophy of Mind and Action

Intentions, Decisions, and Mental Actions
(Mele)
Mind and Action (Mele)
Philosophical Psychology (Rupert)

Philosophy of Science

Natural Kinds and Multiple Realization
(Bishop)
Basic Topics in Biology (Ernst)
Design and Complexity (Ruse)
Biology, Philosophy, and Religion (Ruse)
Philosophy of Biology (Kim)
Philosophy of Science (Kutach)

Logic and Philosophy of Language

Modal Logic (Rawling)
Modern Logic I (Rawling)
Logic and Epistemology: Infinity (Harding)
Issues in Modal Logic (Webb)
Philosophy of Language (Rupert)

Philosophy of Religion

Moral Philosophy and Philosophy of
Religion (McNaughton)
Moral Philosophy of C. S. Lewis
(McNaughton)

History of Philosophy

Wittgenstein (Dancy)
Early Modern Philosophy (Roberts)
Studies in Greek Philosophy (Curzer)

Political Philosophy and Philosophy of Law

Political Philosophy: Rawls (Costa)
Basic Issues: Hart's *Punishment and
Responsibility* (Nathan)
Philosophy of Law (Nathan)

REFERENCES

Available upon request