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CURRICULUM VITAE

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AREAS OF SPECIALISATION Heidegger, 20th C. European Philosophy
AREAS OF COMPETENCE Ancient Philosophy, Existentialism

EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor of Philosophy, Georgetown University (August 2015--)
Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Georgetown University (August 2009-July 2015)
Ph.D., The University of Chicago (June, 2009)
Dissertation title: *Heidegger on Being Uncanny*
Committee: Jonathan Lear (Chair), John Haugeland, Eric Santner
B.A.Hons (with first class honours), University of Auckland (New Zealand) (2002)
B.A., University of Auckland (New Zealand) (2001)
Languages: German (working knowledge), Ancient Greek (working knowledge)

RESEARCH

BOOKS

2. *Heidegger on Being Self-Concealing*, Oxford University Press, 2022
1. *Heidegger on Being Uncanny*, Harvard University Press, 2015

In preparation and under contract:

4. *The Oxford Handbook of Heidegger*, ed., with T. Kieling and I.A. Moore, Oxford University Press
3. *Heidegger on Affectivity (Elements in the Philosophy of Martin Heidegger)*, Cambridge University Press

ARTICLES

18. 'Open to Encounter: Heidegger's Vision of What it is to be Us', *Graduate Faculty Philosophy Journal*, forthcoming.
17. 'Existential Crises', in *Routledge Handbook of Contemporary Existentialism*, eds. Megan Altman, Kevin Aho, and Hans Pederson, forthcoming.
16. 'The Trouble with the Ontological Difference', in *The Cambridge Critical Guide to Being and Time*, ed. Aaron James Wendland, Cambridge University Press, forthcoming.
15. 'The Resonant Principle of Reason', in *Heidegger on Logic*, eds. Daniel Dahlstrom and Filippo Casati, Cambridge University Press, 2022.
14. 'Having Some Regard for Human Frailty: On Finitude and Humanity', in *Heidegger and the Human*, eds. Jeff Malpas and Ingo Farin, SUNY, 2022.
12. 'Heidegger on Human Being: the Living Thing having *Logos*', in *Human: A History*, ed. Karolina Hübner, Oxford University Press, 2022.
13. 'We are a Conversation: Heidegger on how Language Uncovers', in *Language and Phenomenology*, ed. Chad Engelland, Routledge, 2021.
11. 'Finding Oneself, Called', in *Heidegger on Affect*, ed. Christos Hadjoannou, Palgrave-Macmillan, 2019.

10. 'Still, the Unrest of the Question of Being', in *After Heidegger?*, ed. Richard Polt and Gregory Fried, Roman & Littlefield, 2018.
9. 'Thinking Failure in the War in Iraq: The Cultural Turn and the Concept of 'World'', with Jon Askonas, in *Why Philosophy?*, eds. Paolo Diego Bubbio and Jeff Malpas, De Gruyter, 2019.
8. 'Haugeland's Heidegger and the Metaphysics of Normativity', in *European Journal of Philosophy*, Vol. 25, Issue 2, June 2017. pp.463-484. Submitted October 2016.
7. 'Concealing and Concealment in Heidegger', in *European Journal of Philosophy*, Vol. 25, Issue 4, December 2017, pp. 1496-1513. First published online, March 2017. Submitted February 2016.
6. 'Being and the Sea: Being as *Phusis*, and Time', in *Division III of Heidegger's Being and Time: The Unanswered Question of Being*, ed. Lee Braver, MIT Press, 2015.
5. 'Authenticity and Heidegger's Antigone', *The Journal of the British Society for Phenomenology*, Vol. 45, No. 3, 2015. pp. 239-253. Submitted November 2013.
4. 'Owned Emotions: Affective Excellence in Heidegger on Aristotle', in *Heidegger, Authenticity and the Self: Themes from Division Two of Being and Time*, ed. Denis McManus, Routledge, 2014.
3. 'Situation and Limitation: Making Sense of Heidegger on Thrownness', in *European Journal of Philosophy*, Vol. 22 Issue 1, March 2014. pp. 61-81. First published online 12 June 2011. Submitted July 2010.
2. 'The Strategic Unity of Heidegger's *The Fundamental Concepts of Metaphysics*', in *The Southern Journal of Philosophy*, Vol. 51, Issue 2, June 2013. pp.161-178. Submitted June 2011.
1. 'The Methodological Role of Angst in *Being and Time*', in *The Journal of the British Society for Phenomenology*, Vol. 43, No. 2, May 2012. pp.195-211. Submitted March 2011.

In preparation:

20. 'Heidegger's Zarathustra' in *Who is Heidegger's Nietzsche?*, eds. Joao Constancio and Simon May.
19. 'The World of the Kitchen', in *TBD*

REVIEWS, COMMENTS, ENCYCLOPAEDIA ENTRIES

8. Review, Filippo Casati, *Heidegger and the Contradiction of Being: An Analytic Interpretation of the Late Heidegger*, in *Notre Dame Philosophical Review*, June 23, 2022.
7. 'Anxiety (*Angst*) and Fear (*Furcht*)', in *The Cambridge Heidegger Lexicon*, ed. Mark Wrathall, Cambridge University Press, 2021.
6. 'Mood (*Stimmung*)', in *The Cambridge Heidegger Lexicon*, ed. Mark Wrathall, Cambridge University Press, 2021.
5. 'Thrownness (*Geworfenheit*)', in *The Cambridge Heidegger Lexicon*, ed. Mark Wrathall, Cambridge University Press, 2021.
4. 'Uncanniness (*Unheimlichkeit*)', in *The Cambridge Heidegger Lexicon*, ed. Mark Wrathall, Cambridge University Press, 2021.
3. Review, Matthew Ratcliffe, *Experiences of Depression: A Study in Phenomenology*, in *Notre Dame Philosophical Review*, Jul 4, 2015.
2. 'Remarks on Thomas Sheehan's 'Making Sense of Heidegger: A Paradigm Shift'', in *Proceedings of the Forty-Sixth Annual Meeting of the Heidegger Circle: Supplement*, 2012.
1. Review, Martin Heidegger *Introduction to Philosophy – Thinking and Poetizing*, in *Notre Dame Philosophical Review*, 09-2011.

RECENT PRESENTATIONS

44. 'Virtue as Truth-Telling and Radical Multidisciplinarity'; panel presentation, 'Sister Disciplines in Dialogue: The Virtues Necessary for Interdisciplinary Exchange', August 4, 2023. The American Psychological Association annual meeting, Washington DC.
43. 'On the Meaning of Life, and Tolstoy's Questions About It', July 26, 2023. International Society for Phenomenological Studies, Cacapon Resort State Park, West Virginia. Invited.

42. 'Thinking Being as Self-Concealing', The Heidegger Circle Annual Meeting, May 11-14, 2023, Boston University, invited.
41. 'On the Meaning of Life, and Tolstoy's Questions About It', Boston University Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy, April 29, 2023.
40. 'The World of the Kitchen', June 23, 2022. International Society for Phenomenological Studies, Moreton-in-Marsh, UK. Invited.
39. Comments, panel on Simon Truwant, *Cassirer and Heidegger in Davos*, Heidegger Circle Annual Meeting, May 28, 2022, The University of Memphis. Invited.
38. 'The World of the Kitchen', May 13th, 2022. Mark Okrent Fest, Bates College Maine. (Deferred from 2020). Invited.
- xx. 'The Ontological Difference', *The Cambridge Critical Guide to Being and Time Workshop*, June 11-13, 2020, Oxford University. Invited. Cancelled due to Coronavirus pandemic.
- xx. 'Heidegger on the Principle of Sufficient Reason', March 27th-28th, *Heidegger on Logic: A Conference*, Colgate University. Invited. Cancelled due to Coronavirus pandemic.
37. On Heidegger's "Plato's Doctrine of Truth", April 1, 2020. Guest lecture for *Special Topics in European Philosophy: Later Heidegger*, Sean Kelly, Harvard University. Invited.
36. 'We are a Conversation: Heidegger on How Language Uncovers', August 2, 2019. International Society for Phenomenological Studies, Maine. Invited.
35. 'Heidegger, Hut, Thing', as part of *On and In Heidegger's Hut*, in conjunction with *Hutopia*, an exhibition at the Neubauer Collegium for Culture and Society, May 9, 2019. The University of Chicago. Invited.
34. Comments on Filippo Casati, "How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love... Heidegger", April 26, 2019. Early Career Metaphysics Workshop, Lehigh University, PA. Invited.
33. 'Philosophising in Place', March 13, 2019. Georgetown Philosophy Department European Philosophy Workshop. Invited.
32. 'Motivating Heidegger's Ontological Difference', Sept 21, 2018. Temple University Department of Philosophy. Invited.
31. 'Motivating the Ontological Difference', July 26, 2018. International Society for Phenomenological Studies, Maine. Invited.
30. 'Being in the World', April 27, 2018. Wesleyan University Department of Philosophy. Invited.

TEACHING

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY

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| Graduate | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Early Heidegger (Spring 2022) Topics in Phenomenology: World (Spring 2018, Fall 2020) Tutorial: Later Heidegger (Fall 2018) Tutorial: Recent Scholarship on <i>Being and Time</i> (Spring 2017) 20th C. European Philosophy (Fall 2015) Later Heidegger (Spring 2014) Heidegger and Agamben: Man and Animal (Fall 2009) |
| Upper Level | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Philosophical Writing Seminar (Fall 2023) Text Seminar: Augustine's <i>Confessions</i> (Fall 2021) Text Seminar: Plato's <i>Symposium</i> (Spring 2018, Spring 2019) History of Ancient and Medieval Philosophy (Fall 2011, Fall 2012, Fall 2017, Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Spring 2021, co-taught) Augustine's <i>Confessions</i> (Spring 2018) Heidegger (Spring 2013, Fall 2016, Fall 2018) Radical Hope (Spring 2017) Text Seminar: Heidegger's <i>Introduction to Metaphysics</i> (Spring 2015) Plato's Dialogues (Fall 2014) |

	20 th Century European Philosophy (Fall 2010, Fall 2013)
	Text Seminar: Plato's <i>Phaedrus</i> (Spring 2011, Fall 2011)
	Absurdity, Irony, Philosophy (Spring 2010)
Introductory	The Meaning of Life (Spring 2022)
	Ignatius Seminar: How to Read a Difficult Book: <i>Thus Spake Zarathustra</i> (Fall 2023)
	Ignatius Seminar: Lives of Learning (Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2021)
	Crisis and Change (Spring 2016, Spring 2017, Fall 2018)
	Introduction to Ethics (Spring 2010, Fall 2010, Spring 2011, Fall 2012, Spring 2013, Fall 2013, Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Spring 2021, Spring 2023)
Advising	details on request

SERVICE, PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES, ETC.

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY

Departmental	Director of Undergraduate Studies, 2023-- Undergraduate Committee, 2011-2015; 2017-2022 Merit Review Committee, 2011-2021 Pluralistic Philosophy Graduate Student Workshop, founder / faculty sponsor, 2010— Graduate Admissions and Recruitment, 2016-2017, 2020-2023 Chair Election Committee, Fall 2014, Spring 2018, Fall 2020 Director, First-Year Seminar, 2015-2019 Coordinator of Teaching Associates, 2012-2015, 2017-2019 Coordinator of the Honors Program, 2018-2019 Strategic Planning Committee, 2017-2019, 2021-2022 Graduate Program Committee, Fall 2015 Speakers Committee, 2009-2011
University	Graduate School Standing Committee on Academic Integrity, 2017-- College Transfer Admissions Committee, 2021 Dean's Excellence in Teaching Award Selection Committee, 2019-2020 College Executive Committee, 2018-2019 Faculty Senate, Senator, 2011-2017
Student Events	Marino Family International Writers' Academic Workshop, Mentor, 2015, 2016

PROFESSIONAL

Book Review Advisory Committee, *Journal of the History of Philosophy*, 2020--
Treasurer, International Society for Phenomenological Studies, 2015--
Section Editor (Continental Philosophy), *Ergo: An Open Access Journal of Philosophy* 2014--
Manuscript and book proposal reviews for: Catholic University of America Press, Oxford University Press,
Routledge, Rowman & Littlefield, Springer, Wiley-Blackwell
Article reviews for: *Ancient Philosophy Today: Dialogoi*, *Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie*, *British Journal
for the History of Philosophy*, *Budhi*, *Cultural Critique*, *European Journal of Philosophy*, *Faith and
Philosophy*, *History of Philosophy Quarterly*, *Journal of the American Philosophical Association*,
Journal of the British Society for Phenomenology, *Kennedy Institute of Ethics Journal*, *Phenomenology
and the Cognitive Sciences*, *Philosophy East and West*, *Qualitative Health Research*, *Res Philosophica*,
Review of Metaphysics, *Studia Heideggeriana*, *Symposium: Canadian Journal of Continental Philosophy*,
Synthesis Philosophica
Grant reviews for: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council
Proposal reviews for: The American Academy in Berlin, Dahlem Postdoc Fellowship at Freie Universität Berlin
Conference submission reviews for: The Heidegger Circle Annual Conference, 2018, 2022.

CURRENT MEMBERSHIPS

New Zealand Association of Philosophers (since 2015)
American Philosophical Association (2007-2020, 2021-)
The Heidegger Circle (since 2009)
International Society for Phenomenological Studies (since 2009)

HONOURS, AWARDS AND GRANTS

RESEARCH

Member of *Cura Psychologia* project, supported by the John Templeton Foundation, \$1m / \$750k
Georgetown University Senior Faculty Research Fellowship (Spring 2020)
Georgetown University Junior Faculty Research Fellowship (Spring 2012)

TEACHING

Nominee, Cawley Career Education Center Faculty & Staff Career Champion (undergraduate-nominated), 2023
Engelhard Faculty Fellow, Spring 2022
Nominee, Georgetown College Honors (undergraduate-nominated teaching award) (2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2020, 2021)
Exploratory Grant, *Transforming and Enhancing the Core*, Georgetown University, 2019
Georgetown College Dean's Excellence in Teaching Award, 2018
Nominee, Gerald M. Mara Faculty Mentoring Award (for mentoring graduate students), 2018
Georgetown University Global Liberal Education (GLE) Curricular Innovation Grant, for *Death and Dying*, with Benjamin Bogin (Theology) (awarded Spring 2013). Declined.