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Curriculum Vitae

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Employment History

2014—present	Associate Professor, Texas Tech University, Department of Philosophy
2014—2020	Assistant Professor, Texas Tech University, Department of Philosophy
2009-2014	Visiting Assistant Profess, Texas Tech University
2008	Lecturer, European College of Liberal Arts

Education

2007	University of Chicago, Ph.D. from The Committee on Social Thought Dissertation: <i>Connecting Agency and Morality in Kant's Moral Theory</i> . Committee: Robert Pippin (chair), Sebastian Rödl, Daniel Brudney
1993	University of Chicago, B.A. in Fundamentals, Issues and Texts (with honors) and Mathematics (requirements completed)

Areas of Specialization

Ethics, Kant, Metaethics

Areas of Competence

Ancient Philosophy, Philosophy of Language

Publications

<i>Forthcoming</i>	“Self and Other in Kant’s Account of Gratitude and Beneficence,” <i>Philosophical Engagements with Modernity: Festschrift in honor of Robert Pippin</i> .
2021	“Preliminaries for a Speech Act Theory of Imperative Content,” (with Christopher Hom). in M. Schmitz (ed.), <i>Force, Content, and the Unity of the Proposition</i> , Routledge.

- 2021 “Piety as a Virtue,” (with David Hayes). *Journal of Value Inquiry*.
- 2020 “Saying ‘Thank You’ and Meaning It,” *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*
- 2020 “Embedding Speech-Act Propositions,” (with Christopher Hom). *Synthese*
- 2019 “Towards a Semantics for Metanormative Constructivism” (with Joel Velasco). *Philosophical Studies*
- 2018 “The Form of Hypothetical Imperatives,” *Nature and Freedom—Proceedings of the 12th International Kant Congress*
- 2017 “Was Kant a Kantian Constructivist?” *Kantian Review*
- 2016 “Integrity: The Virtue of Compromise,” *Palgrave Communications*
- 2015 “Why the Negation Problem is not a Problem for Expressivists,” (with Christopher Hom), *Nous*
- 2013 “Unity and the Frege-Geach Problem,” (with Christopher Hom), *Philosophical Studies*
- 2010 “Do Hypothetical Imperatives Require Categorical Imperatives?” *European Journal of Philosophy*

Conferences and Invited Talks

- 2024 “The Ethics of Chance Encounters” Central APA
- 2020 “Special Obligations to Strangers” Pacific APA (cancelled because of COVID)
- 2018 “The Role of Cultivating Sympathy in Kantian Virtue,” with Krista Thomason Midwest APA
- 2017 “Solving the Frege-Geach Problem for Expressivists” with Christopher Hom, Force, Content, and the Unity of the Proposition, Vienna
- 2017 “Symposium: Teleology and Reason,” Midwest APA, Mar 2017
- 2016 “Putting Emotions in their Place,” with Krista Thomason Tennessee Values and Agency Conference, Knoxville, Tennessee September 2016.
- 2015 “The Form of Hypothetical Imperatives” International Kant Congress, Vienna

- 2015 "The Hypothetical Imperative as a Rule of Practical Inference," St Louis Annual Conference on Reasons and Rationality (SLACRR), June 2015
- 2015 "Piety, the Forgotten Virtue," with David Hayes, Bard College Faculty Speaker Series, Bard in Berlin
- 2014 "Hare's Solution to the Unity of the Proposition Problem," Texas Tech Conference on Propositions
- 2013 "Psychological Egoism and Excuses," Amerisphere
- 2013 "What the Frege-Geach Problem is Not," with Christopher Hom, Texas Tech University, Lubbock Texas
- 2012 "Research Ethics in the Humanities," Responsible Conduct of Research Conference, Texas Tech University, April 2012
- 2012 "Unity and the Frege-Geach Problem," with Christopher Hom, Pacific APA, Seattle, Washington
- 2011 "Unity and the Frege-Geach Problem," with Christopher Hom, Texas Tech University, Lubbock Texas
- 2010 "Comments on LeBar's 'Should Constructivists be Particularists' Northwestern University Society for Ethical Theory and Political Philosophy, Evanston, Illinois
- 2010 "Piety as Gratitude in Plato's *Euthyphro*," Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas
- 2009 "Practical Analytic Judgments," Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas, February
- 2008 "Three Proposals for Reading Section 2 of *Groundwork* III," North American Kant Society, Midwest Study Group, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana
- 2008 "Practical Analytic Judgments," Alabama Philosophical Society, Orange Beach, Alabama
- 2006 "Kant's *Groundwork for the Metaphysics of Morals*," invited talk at European College of Liberal Arts, Berlin
- 2004 "Unity and Disunity in Kant's first two *Critiques*," Graduate Student Philosophy Conference on Ethics and Epistemology, New School for Social Research, New York

2004 'The Fact of Reason' and Complex Numbers," Committee on Social Thought Colloquium, University of Chicago, Chicago

Teaching

Awards

2020 College of Arts and Sciences, Excellence in Teaching Award

2019 Department of Philosophy Teacher of the Year, Texas Tech University

2017 TEMPO (Teaching Mentoring through Peer Observation) fellow

Courses Taught

2009-present Philosophy 2320: Introduction to Ethics

2017 Philosophy 3301: Classical Greek Philosophy

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2012... Philosophy 4320: Ethics

2018-present Philosophy 4322: Metaethics

2013-2016 Philosophy 5125: Introduction to Research Ethics

2010-present Philosophy 5320: Graduate Seminar in Ethics

Departmental Service

Master's Thesis Committee Member, Texas Tech:

Shelby Hannah (chair) 2022: "Subject Naturalism and Normativity: Essays on Expressivism"

Edward Oudanhon (chair) 2022: "The Risk of Psychologizing, Respectful Reason-Giving, and the Desire to be in Solidarity with Others"

Zhidi Chong (2022): "An Analysis of Doxastic Morality"

Emily Evans 2021 "Speech Acts in Fiction"

Lindsay Mayo-Fincher 2021 "Realized Natures, Realized Selves: Jane Austen's Wollstonecraftian Inheritance"

Jaime Chapa 2021 "Naturalizing Propositions, Cognitive Complexity, and Animal Minds"

Josh Steinberg (chair) 2020 "Black Fire: In Praise of the Bad"

Chen Wang (Chair) 2020 "Why Expressivists Cannot and Should not Use Schroeder's Strategy to Solve Their Problem with Negation"

Hossein Mohayjei Nasr Abadi, Spring 2019: "The Limits of Epistemic Partiality in Friendship"

Zach Crouch, Spring 2019, “Illusion of Support: Positive Illusions and Epistemic Pragmatism”

Logan Morton (chair), Summer 2018: “Singer, Act-Utilitarianism, and Self-Defeat”

Daniel Payne, Spring 2018: “Nietzsche and the Virtue of Self-Knowledge”

Joshua de Bonilla, Summer 2017: “Holding the Line: Plato on Education, Virtue and Language.”

Jose-Miguel Rosillo-Cevallos, Spring 2017: “Amending Agent-Based Virtue Ethics.”

Daniel Moss (chair), Spring 2017: “With All Our Powers: A Defense of A Robust Account of Kantian Beneficence.”

Kevin Banks, Spring 2016: “Optimizing Moral Character: A Virtue Ethics Training Framework for Achieving Moral Readiness in the United States Army.”

Sahar Heydari-Fard (chair), Spring 2015: “Hybrid Expressivism and Speech Act Theories.”

Joshua Tignor (chair), Spring 2015: “Kantian Nonconceptualism, Priority to Thought, and Intuition.”

Xiang Yu (chair), Spring 2015: “Challenges from the Shmagent.”

Andrew Christman (chair), Spring 2015: “The Origin of Empirical Concepts in Kant and the Specificity of Experience”

Brian Spreng, Fall 2014: “Can the No Miracles Argument Work for Moral Realism?”

Brian Kested (chair), Spring 2014 “Trial and Hare: An Exploration of the Experimental.”

Nathan Hoofard (chair), Spring 2014: “Can Morality be Grounded in God: A Defense of Divine Grounded Ethics.”

Andrew Smith, Spring 2014: “Leibniz on Personal Identity and Desire.”

Robert Reed, Spring 2012: “A Place for Moral Theory in the Argument from Evil.”

Justin Morton (chair), Spring 2012: “Why the Humean Theory of Motivation is False.”

Eric Sampson, Spring 2012: “Moral Supervenience.”

Daniel Osusky, Spring 2012: “Error Theory without Error.”

Thomas Reynolds, Spring 2010: “Expressive Meaning and Truth Conditions.”

Undergraduate Thesis Work

Caitlyn Alexander (chair), May 2021: “The Immorality of Misogyny Understood Through Naturalistic Virtue Ethics”

Faculty Mentor, Texas Tech:

Douglas Westfall 2014-2015

Bailey Szustak Spring 2015

Brian Spreng 2013-2014

Mentored all students teaching “Introduction to Ethics,” 2009-2010.

Hiring Committee Member, Texas Tech 2016, 2017, 2020, 2023

Speaker Committee Member, Texas Tech, 2009-2011, 2104-15, 2017-2018

Scholarship Committee Member, Texas Tech, 2104-2015

Ethics Advisory Committee Member, Texas Tech.

Co-founder (with Walter Schaller), “Teaching and Talking” lecture series, 2011-present.

Professional Service

Ad Hoc Reviewer, *Kantian Review*, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *Philosophical Quarterly*, *Synthese*, *Erkenntnis*, *Southern Journal of Philosophy*, *Journal of Social Philosophy*, *Journal of Philosophical Research*, *Philosophical Papers*.

Courses Taught

Philosophy and Literature: Jane Austen and Ethics, Spring 2014.
Seminar: Great Figures in Philosophy: Sidgwick and other Utilitarians (graduate-level philosophy class), Texas Tech, Spring 2011, Fall 2012.
Seminar: Topics in Metaethics, Fall 2014, Spring 2017
Seminar: Kant's Ethics (graduate-level philosophy class), Texas Tech, Spring 2010, Fall 2011, Fall 2016.
Introduction to Research Ethics (graduate-level course offered to students in the physical sciences), Fall 2012, Spring 2013, Fall 2013, Fall 2015, Fall 2016.
Ethics (senior-level philosophy class), Texas Tech, Fall 2009, Spring 2009, Spring 2012, Spring 2013
Introduction to Ethics (freshman-level philosophy class), Texas Tech, Fall 2009, Spring 2009, Spring 2010, Fall 2010, Spring 2011, Fall 2011, Spring 2012, Fall 2012, Spring 2013, Fall 2013, Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Fall 2015, Fall 2016, Spring 2017.
Great Figures in Philosophy: Kant's Critique of Pure Reason (senior-level philosophy class and grad-level philosophy class), Texas Tech, Spring 2009, Fall 2010, Fall 2013, Spring 2014.
Moral Objectivity and Moral Subjectivity, European College of Liberal Arts, Winter 2008.
Human Being and Citizen (freshman humanities core), University of Chicago, Fall 2006, Winter 2006, Fall 2004, Spring 2001.
Ethics, Johns Hopkins University Center for Talented Youth, (The Center for Talented Youth introduces highly motivated high school students to college-level material), Summer 2003, Summer 2002.
Logic: Principles of Reasoning, (college-level logic class up to and including proofs in first-order predicate calculus), Johns Hopkins University Center for Talented Youth, Summer 2001, Summer 2000.

Courses Assisted

Classics of Social and Political Thought, University of Chicago, Fall 1999, Winter 2000.

Languages

Speaking and writing knowledge of German.