

CURRICULUM VITAE

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AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Epistemology (especially Formal Epistemology), Philosophy of Mind

AREAS OF COMPETENCE

Philosophy of Language, Logic, Philosophy of Science, Metaethics

EMPLOYMENT

University of Colorado Boulder, 07/2025-
Professor of Philosophy

University of Colorado Boulder, 07/2021-06/2025
Associate Professor of Philosophy

University of Colorado Boulder, 08/2018-06/2021
Assistant Professor of Philosophy

Washington University in St. Louis, 01/2014-07/2018
Assistant Professor of Philosophy

The Australian National University, 7/2013-12/2013
Postdoctoral Fellow in the School of Philosophy

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Philosophy, University of Southern California, 05/2013

Staatsexamen, Humboldt Universität, Berlin, Germany, 2007
Equivalent to a B.A. and M.A. plus teaching credential in Philosophy and German

Visiting Student, Brown University, 2005-2006

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Unfinished Business: Rational Attitudes in Reasoning, Oxford University Press, 2025. (90k words)

Author-Meets-Critics sessions at:

Central Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association 2026

Unsettled Thoughts: A Theory of Degrees of Rationality, Oxford University Press, 2019. (90k words)

2021 APA Book Prize, honorable mention

Author-Meets-Critics sessions at:

Central Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association 2020

Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association 2021

CONCEPT Philosopher Meets Critics Book Symposium, 11/2021

A book symposium on *Unsettled Thoughts* has appeared in *Philosophical Studies*, and another one will be published in the *Asian Journal of Philosophy*.

Reviews of *Unsettled Thoughts* are published or forthcoming in: *Analysis*, *Deutsche Zeitschrift für Philosophie*, *Mind*, *Philosophical Psychology*, and *The Philosophical Review*.

Articles

“Are there transitional beliefs? – I think so?”, *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*, 2025, online first. (12.5k words)

“Mind over Manuscript. Eight Strategies for Writing Philosophy”, forthcoming in *Festschrift for Alan Hájek’s 60th birthday*, edited by Branden Fitelson, Springer. (11.5k words)

“In the Purgatory of Ideas: On the transitional nature of rational philosophical attitudes”, forthcoming in *Attitude in Philosophy*, edited by Sandy Goldberg & Mark Walker, OUP. (7k words)

“Suspension in Inquiry”, *Episteme*, 2024, online first. (5.5k words)

“Are Credences Different from Beliefs?”, an exchange in three essays with Roger Clarke, in *Contemporary Debates in Epistemology Vol. 3*, Wiley Blackwell, 2024. (7k words)

“An Improved Argument for Superconditionalization”, article (with Glauber De Bona), *Erkenntnis* 89, 2023, 3247-3273. (11k words, both authors contributed equally)

“Probability Without Tears”, *Teaching Philosophy* 46 (1), 2023, 65-84. (8.5k words)

“Transitional Attitudes and the Unmooring View of Higher-Order Evidence,” *Noûs* 57 (1), 2023, 238-260. (14.5k words)

“Updating Incoherent Credences – Extending the Dutch Strategy Argument for Conditionalization,” with Glauber De Bona, *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research* 105 (2), 2022, 435-460. (11k words, both authors contributed equally).

“Pro Tem Rationality,” *Philosophical Perspectives* 35, 2021, 383-403. (13k words)

“Normative Uncertainty and Probabilistic Moral Knowledge,” *Synthese* 198, 2021, Special Issue *Norms for Risk*, 6739-6765. (14k words)

“Subjective Probability and Its Dynamics,” with Alan Hájek, in *Handbook of Rationality*, edited by Markus Knauff and Wolfgang Spohn, MIT Press, 2021. (8.6k words, both authors contributed equally)

“Three Puzzles about Lotteries,” in *Lotteries, Knowledge, and Rational Belief*, edited by Igor Douven, CUP, 2021. (9.3k words)

“Credences and Suspended Judgments as Transitional Attitudes,” *Philosophical Issues* 29 (1), 2019, 281-294. (8.6k words)

“How Do Beliefs Simplify Reasoning?” *Noûs* 53 (4), 2019, 937-962. (14k words)

“Expressivism, Normative Uncertainty, and Arguments for Probabilism,” *Oxford Studies in Epistemology* (6), 2019, 161-189. (14.6k words)

“Attitudes in Active Reasoning,” in *Reasoning. New Essays on Theoretical and Practical Thinking*, edited by Magdalena Balcerak Jackson and Brendan Balcerak Jackson, OUP, 2019, 44-70. (12k words)

“Knowledge-Lies and Group Lies,” in: *Oxford Handbook of Lying*, edited by Jörg Meibauer, OUP 2019, 231-243. (6.8k words)

“Bayesian Norms and Non-Ideal Agents,” *Routledge Handbook of the Philosophy of Evidence*, edited by Clayton Littlejohn and Maria Lasonen-Aarnio, Routledge, 2019. (7k words)

“Why be (approximately) coherent?” with Glauber De Bona, *Analysis* 78 (3), 2018, 405-415. (4k words, both authors contributed equally)

“Should I pretend I’m perfect?” *Res Philosophica* 94 (2), 2017, Special Issue *Bridging Formal and Traditional Epistemology*. 301-324. (11.4k words)

“Graded Incoherence for Accuracy-Firsters,” with Glauber De Bona, *Philosophy of Science* 84 (2), 2017, 189-213. (9.5k words, both authors contributed equally)

“Beliefs, Buses and Lotteries,” *Philosophical Studies* 173 (7), 2016, 1721-1734. (7k words)

“Disagreement and Epistemic Utility-Based Compromise,” *Journal of Philosophical Logic* 44 (3), 2015, 273-286. (6.5k words)

“Measuring the Overall Incoherence of Credence Functions,” *Synthese* 192 (5), 2015, 1467-1493. (13.5k words)

“Can There be Reasoning with Degrees of Belief?” *Synthese* 190 (16), 2013, 3535-3551. (9k words)

“Reply to Roy Sorensen, ‘Knowledge-Lies’,” *Analysis* 71 (2), 2011, 300-302. (1k words)

“Binding of Reflexive Pronouns in German,” *Snippets* 12, 2006. (570 words)

Reviews and short invited pieces

“On the Relationship Between Attitude and Process Norms”, forthcoming in *Philosophical Studies* (Part of a book symposium on D. Thorstad’s *Inquiry under Bounds*). (4k words)

Précis and replies to commentators, book symposium for *Unsettled Thoughts* in the *Asian Journal of Philosophy*. (7.4k words)

“Using Audio- and Video-Feedback on Student Writing”, forthcoming in *Innovations in Teaching Philosophy*, edited by Brynn Welch, Bloomsbury. (1.2k words)

“Précis” and “Replies to Fitelson and Konek”, part of a book symposium on *Unsettled Thoughts*, *Philosophical Studies* 179 (10), 2022, 3151-3167. (8k words)

“Credences”, *Blackwell Companion to Epistemology*, 3rd Edition, edited by Kurt Sylvan, Blackwell, forthcoming. (1.5k words)

“Reasons Fundamentalism and Rational Uncertainty. Comments on Lord, *The Importance of Being Rational*,” *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research* 100 (2), 2020, 463-468. (Part of a book symposium on E. Lord’s book) (3.7k words)

Review of Errol Lord’s *The Importance of Being Rational*, *The Philosophical Review* 128 (4), 2019, 523-527. (2k words)

“Accuracy for Believers,” *Episteme* 14 (1), 2017, 39-48. (Part of a book symposium on R. Pettigrew’s *Accuracy and the Laws of Credence*). (5k words)

Public Philosophy

Podcast “Probably Novel”, Interview on Philosophy of Statistics, Season 2, Episode 7, Nov. 11, 2018

<https://www.colorado.edu/amath/probably-novel>

“Should I pretend that I am perfect?” in: Institute of Art and Ideas Online Magazine, Issue on the Good Life, published August 23, 2018, <https://iainews.iai.tv/articles/should-i-pretend-that-im-perfect-auid-1136> (IN, 1.4k words)

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Humble reasoning – when can I stop?”, invited to appear in a special issue of the *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*.

PRESENTATIONS

Refereed presentations are marked with a “*”, unmarked ones are invited

“Unfinished Business. Transitional Attitudes and Rational Akrasia”

University of Arizona, Department Colloquium, 10/2025

Society for Philosophy and Psychology, 06/2025

“Transitional Attitudes in Complex Reasoning”

Texas A&M, Department Colloquium, 11/2025

Berlin Mind and Brain Summer School, 07/2025

“Are there transitional beliefs? – I think so?”

Helsinki Workshop on Inquiry and Rationality, 03/2025

Colloquium, Human Abilities Research Centre, Berlin, 01/2025

Invited Colloquium, University of Riverside, 10/2024

Department Colloquium, University of Vermont, 11/2024

Vanderbilt Conference on Inquiry, 07/2024

Inquiry Workshop, University of St. Andrews, 05/2024

Rutgers Epistemology Conference, 05/2024

“Humble reasoning – when can I stop?”

Madrid Inquiry Workshop, 05/2025

Invited Colloquium, LMU Munich, 04/2025

Orange Beach Epistemology Workshop, 05/2024

Arizona Workshop on Epistemic Humility and Arrogance, 03/2024

“If you can’t beat them, join them! Teaching in the age of AI and large language models”

Florida A&M University (remote), 03/2024

“AI in Academia: Teaching Challenges and Opportunities”

National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity, Webinar, 01/2024

“Reasoning in Philosophy”

Southern Methodist University, 11/2023

Inquiry Network (remote), 9/2023

“Normal Meets Formal” Workshop, Cogito, University of Glasgow, 08/2023

Introduction to “Unfinished Business” and Replies to Commentators

“Normal Meets Formal” Workshop, Cogito, University of Glasgow, 08/2023

“Transient Epistemic Akrasia”

*European Congress for Analytic Philosophy, Vienna, 08/2023

CU Boulder, Center for Values and Social Policy, 10/2023

“An Improved Argument for Superconditionalization”

NYU Mind and Language Seminar, 04/2023

“Teaching with ChatGPT: Against the Nuclear Option”

ACUE Webinar, Reimagining Higher Education Through AGI/ChatGPT, 05/2023 (remote)

AI-Powered Tools in Higher Education Series, Hong Kong Baptist University, 03/2023 (remote)

CU Boulder AI Colloquium Series, 03/2023

“ChatGPT and its Impact on Teaching Philosophy”

St. Petersburg College, Florida, 01/2023 (remote)

American Association of Philosophy Teachers, “Talking Teaching” series, 01/2023 (remote)

“Suspension in Inquiry”

Doxastic Attitudes and their Reasons Workshop, University of Cologne, 10/2022

Cornell University, 09/2022

17th Episteme Conference, Negril, Jamaica, 08/2022

Konstanz Workshop on Suspension, 07/2022

Madrid Inquiry Workshop, 06/2022

“Challenging the Incoherence Test”

Orange Beach Epistemology Workshop, 05/2022

“Unfinished Business”

NUS Presidential Conference: Formal Epistemology, Singapore, 05/2023

MCMP Conference on Epistemic Justification, keynote, Munich 04/2023

Bristol University, 03/2022

Fine Tuning Workshop, Baylor University, 04/2022

“Bayesian Double Standards”

- Logic and Foundations of Game and Decision Theory, keynote, Bayreuth, Germany, 06/2024
- Bochum Workshop on Bayesian Learning and Reasoning, 07/2022
- Northeastern Epistemology Workshop, 11/2021
- Orange Beach Epistemology Workshop, 10/2021
- Brown University, 09/2021
- St. Louis Annual Conference on Reasons and Rationality, 08/2021

“Transitional Attitudes and the Unmooring View of Higher-Order Evidence”

- University of Düsseldorf (remote), 05/2021
- University of Glasgow (remote), 03/2021

“Formal Epistemology without Tears”

- Invited Session: Teaching Formal Epistemology, Central APA 02/2021

“Updating Incoherent Credences” (with Glauber de Bona)

- Choice Group, London School of Economics (remote), 01/2021
- Workshop on Cognitive Values (remote), CU Boulder, 11/2020
- Foundations of Probability Seminar, Rutgers University (remote), 11/2020

“Disagreement and Transitional Attitudes”

- Social Distance Epistemology Series (remote), 6/2020

“Eyeballing the Evidence”

- University of Stirling (remote), 01/2021
- University of Victoria (remote), 10/2020
- UC San Diego, Departmental Colloquium, 3/2020

Author meets Critics Sessions on *Unsettled Thoughts*

- Eastern APA 2021 (with B. Fitelson and J. Konek)
- Central APA 2020 (with M. Titelbaum and J. Joyce)

“Accuracy and Coherence in Theories of Ideal and Bounded Rationality,”

- Panel on Formal Methods in PPE, Eastern APA 2020

“Credences and Suspended Judgments as Transitional Attitudes”

- Society for Philosophy and Psychology Meeting, Symposium “Probability and Mind”, San Diego, 07/2019

“Normative Uncertainty and Probabilistic Moral Knowledge”

- Knowledge and Decision Research Group, University of Hamburg, 06/2019

Australian National University, Ethics and Risk Workshop, 07/2018

“Pro Tem Rationality”

New Work in Choice and Belief Workshop, Arizona, 11/2019

Boise State University, Departmental Colloquium, 10/2019

Workshop on the Epistemology of Reasoning, CONCEPT Cologne, 06/2019

*Formal Epistemology Workshop, Turin, 06/2019

Orange Beach Epistemology Workshop, 05/2019

LEMM Talk Series, University of Toronto, 03/2019

Keynote, Pittsburgh/CMU Graduate Conference, 03/2019

“Comments on Errol Lord’s *The Importance of Being Rational*”

Author meets Critics session for E. Lord, *The Importance of Being Rational*, Central APA 2019

“A Puzzle about Doxastic Rationality”

*PPE Society Conference, New Orleans, 03/2019

CVSP Talk, CU Boulder, 09/2018

“Bayesian Norms and Non-Ideal Agents”

Denver Evidence Workshop, University of Denver, 09/2018

“Non-Ideal Rationality and the Problem of Second Best”

Epistemology and Meta-Ethics Workshop, Wuhan University, China, 06/2018

Kent Formal Epistemology Conference, University of Kent, UK, 12/2017

“Unsettled Thoughts”

Collège de France, Epistemology Research Group (remote), 10/2020

Boise State University, Departmental Colloquium, 10/2019

Cognitive Science Spring Colloquium Series, CU Boulder, 01/2019

Simon Fraser University, Departmental Colloquium, 11/2018

ANU Thursday Seminar, 07/2018

USC/Shandong Conference in Ethics and Epistemology, Jinan, China, 05/2018

UC Davis, Departmental Colloquium, 03/2018

“How Do Beliefs Simplify Reasoning?”

USC, Departmental Colloquium, 04/2018

Carnegie Mellon University, Departmental Colloquium, 01/2018

“A Puzzle about Outright Belief”

*European Congress for Analytic Philosophy, Munich, 08/2017

London School of Economics Graduate Probability Conference (keynote), 06/2017

Workshop “The Whole Truth”, University of Edinburgh, 05/2017
Cognitive Values Workshop II, University of Colorado, Boulder, 03/2017

“De-Idealizing Bayesianism”
Invited guest lecture for J. Salerno’s seminar, Saint Louis University, 12/2016

“Three Puzzles about Lotteries”
University of Missouri St. Louis Departmental Colloquium, 12/2016
Workshop on Fallibility, Rational Belief and Knowledge, Barcelona, 05/2016
The Faith and Humility Conference, WUSTL, 05/2016

“Expressivism, Normative Uncertainty, and Arguments for Probabilism”
Ligan University Expressivism Conference, Hong Kong, 06/2016
Res Philosophica Conference on Bridges between Traditional and Formal Epistemology
04/2016
Fordham University Epistemology & Ethics Group, 03/2016

“Improving on Imperfection”
Saint Louis University Departmental Colloquium 01/2016
University of Michigan Departmental Colloquium 01/2016

“Beliefs, Buses, and Lotteries”
Midwestern Epistemology Workshop, 10/2015
Invited guest lecture for J. Weisberg’s seminar, University of Toronto 12/2015

“Attitudes in Epistemology: Belief vs. Credence”, series of 8 lectures
Munich Summer School on Mathematical Philosophy for Female Students, 07/2015

“Accuracy and Degrees of Incoherence”
Bristol-Groningen Conference in Formal Epistemology (keynote), 07/2015

“Attitudes in Active Reasoning”
Oxford New Insights Epistemology Reading Group, 06/2015
Princeton University Departmental Colloquium, 03/2015
Morris Workshop on Cognitive Values, University of Colorado, Boulder, 03/2015
Northwestern Epistemology Brownbag, 11/2014

“Normative Uncertainty and Nonclassical Probability”
*Society for Exact Philosophy, Caltech, 06/2014

“Credences for Schroeder-Style Expressivists”

ANU Thursday Seminar, 10/2013
University of Melbourne, 10/2013
University of Sydney, 10/2013

“Degrees of Incoherence and Dutch Books”
*Pacific APA, 03/2013

“Disagreement and Epistemic Utility-Based Compromise”
Central APA, 02/2013
*AAP in Brisbane, 07/2013
University of Sydney, 10/2013

“Should I pretend I’m perfect?”
Professor Procrastinate Workshop, Princeton, 01/2017
*Formal Epistemology Workshop (FEW 9), 06/2012
*Formal Epistemology Festival, 06/2013

“Formulating Principles of Reasoning”
*Pacific APA, 04/2012

“Can There be Reasoning with Degrees of Belief?”
*Society for Exact Philosophy, 39th Annual Meeting, 05/2011

“Lying, Deceiving, and Degrees of Belief”
*Pacific APA, 04/2011

“Two Ways of Measuring Degrees of Incoherence”
*Logic, Reasoning, and Rationality (LRR 10), 09/2010
*Formal Epistemology Workshop (FEW 7), 09/2010

“A New Application for Dutch Books: Measuring Degrees of Incoherence”
*Third Graduate Conference in Philosophy of Probability, LSE, 06/2010

“Contextualism versus Relativism”
Semantics Colloquium, Goethe-Universität Frankfurt/Main, 01/2008

“Predicates of Personal Taste”,
Centre for General Linguistics (ZAS), Berlin, 06/2007

Comments:

Eric Wiland, “Withholding Advice”

Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress, CU Boulder, 08/2021

Richard Pettigrew, Locke Lecture “The Point of View Evolves”

Northeastern University Locke Lecture Tailgate Conference, 04/2025

David Thorstad, “Inquiry Under Bounds”

APA Author Meets Critics, Central APA (virtual), 02/2025

Mona Simion, “Resistance to Evidence”

CONCEPT book symposium (virtual), 01/2025

Shimin Zhao, “A Causal Theory of Confirmation for Bayesians”

Northeastern Epistemology Workshop, 04/2024

David Christensen, “No-Fault Epistemic Akrasia”

Chapel Hill Colloquium, 10/2022

Jörg Löschke, “Love and Manipulation”

Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress, CU Boulder, 08/2021

Amandine Catala, “Academic Migration, Linguistic Justice, and Epistemic Injustice”

Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress, CU Boulder, 08/2020

David Christensen, “Akratic (Epistemic) Modesty”

Conference on Bounded Rationality, Harvard University, 10/2019

Michael Bukoski, “Expressivism and ‘I might be right’”

Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress, CU Boulder, 08/2019

New York-China Epistemology Conference, Fordham University,

Commentator-at-large, 10/2018

Alida Liberman, “Ignorance Bolstering as Epistemic Injustice”

Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress, CU Boulder, 08/2018

Robert Siscoe, “Ordinary and Ideal Rationality”

Central APA, 02/2018

Richard Pettigrew, “The Population Ethics of Belief”

Formal Epistemology Workshop, 06/2016

Olav Vassend, “Moderate Bayesianism is incompatible with Equal Treatment”
Pacific APA, 04/2016

L.A. Paul, “Preference Capture”
WUSTL PNP Colloquium, 9/2015

C. Hitchcock, K. Easwaran, J. Velasco, L. Fenton-Glynn,
“Updating on the the Credences of Others: Disagreement, Agreement, and Synergy”
48th Chapel Hill Colloquium in Philosophy, 10/2014

L.A. Paul, “What you can’t expect when you’re expecting”
Res Philosophica Conference on Transformative Experiences, 09/2014

Nick Riggle, “Ideals as Metaphors”
Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress VII, 08/2014

Hannes Leitgeb, “The Humean Thesis on Belief”
Konstanz Reasoning Conference, 7/2014

Jennifer Carr, “Imprecise Evidence without Imprecise Credences”
St. Louis Annual Conference on Reasoning and Rationality, 5/2014

S. Smets, A. Baltag & R. Boddy, “The Epistemic Potential of Groups”
Invited Session on Epistemic Logic, Pacific APA, 04/2014

Lara Buchak, “Belief, Credence, and Norms”
Mark Kaplan, “Jeffrey’s Challenge”
Invited Session on Substantive Rationality, Central APA, 02/2014

J. Woods & D. Baker, “Inconsistent Contents and Inconsistent Attitudes”
Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress V, 08/2012

J. Dmitri Gallow, “How to Learn from Theory Dependent Evidence”
USC/UCLA Graduate Student Conference, 02/2012

Billy Dunaway, “Practical Reasoning for Theorists about Vagueness”
Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress IV, 08/2011

Katie Steele, “Testimony as Evidence”

Formal Epistemology Workshop (FEW 8), 05/2011

Roy Sorensen, “Knowledge-Lies”
Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress III, 08/2010

Other Presentations

“Efficient Writing and Time Management”
Human Abilities Center, Berlin, 04/2025

“Should people have children?”
CU Boulder Late Night Philosophy Series, 04/2024

“Reasoning about Philosophy”
CU Boulder Philosophy Club, 11/23

Presentation on the Lottery Paradox
CU Boulder Philosophy Club, 4/2019

Presentation on what it’s like to be a philosophy professor
CU Boulder Women in Philosophy Club, 04/2022
CU Boulder Philosophy Club, 9/2019

VISITOR POSITIONS AND WORKSHOPS

Human Abilities. Centre for Advanced Studies in the Humanities, visiting fellow, 01-05/2025

School of Philosophy, Australian National University, visiting fellow, 07/2018

NYC Wisdom Seminar, Fordham University, invited participant, 06/2017

Department of Philosophy, CU Boulder, visiting fellow, March 2017

Washington University in St. Louis, Center for the Humanities
First book fellow workshop on *Unsettled Thoughts*, April 2017

New Insights and Directions for Religious Epistemology, invited visitor
Oxford University, project directed by John Hawthorne, 06/2015

St. Thomas Summer Seminar in Philosophy of Religion, invited participant
St. Paul, organized by M. Rota, D. Zimmerman, 06/2012

Workshop on Dynamic Rationality, invited participant

Leavenworth, WA, organized by L. Buchak, T. Dougherty, M. Sullivan, 04/2012

AWARDS, HONORS AND GRANTS

Graduate School Outstanding Faculty Mentor Award, CU Boulder, 2024
(Awarded based on nominations by current and past PhD students, \$700)

Provost's Faculty Achievement Award, CU Boulder, Fall 2022
(campus-wide research award for a body of work that has made a significant impact on the field, \$1000)

APA Book Prize 2021, honorable mention for *Unsettled Thoughts*

CHA Fellowship, CU Boulder, Spring 2022
(competitive university fellowship, grants one semester of research leave)

CHA Small Grant Program, CU Boulder, Fall 2021
(grant to invite virtual guest lecturers to my graduate seminar)

Pre-Tenure Leave, CU Boulder, Spring 2020
(grants one semester of research leave)

American Council of Learned Societies (ACLS) Research Fellowship, 2016-17
(research fellowship for one academic year, awarded for book project “Unsettled Thoughts”)

Fellowship, Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study, Harvard University, 2016-17 (declined)
(fully funded residential research fellowship for one academic year)

First Book Fellowship, Washington University in St. Louis, Spring 2017
(competitive university fellowship, grants one semester of research leave to work on a monograph)

PhD Achievement Award, USC, May 2013
(awarded to the six best graduating PhD students every year)

Dissertation Completion Fellowship, USC, 2012-13
(competitive university fellowship)

Provost's Fellowship, USC, 2007-2012
(competitive university fellowship)

Flewelling Award for Outstanding Graduate Students, USC, 2010, 2012
(competitive philosophy department award)

Building Bridges Scholar, German Scholars Organization e.V., 06/2011
(merit-based conference invitation to a meeting of German scholars doing research abroad)

General Education Graduate Assistant Award for the 2008/09 Academic Year, USC, 12/2009

Award for Excellence in Teaching in the Category of Philosophy, USC, 11/2009

Diversity Enhancement Placement Assistance Award, USC, 08/2009
(competitive summer fellowship to fund independent study at UC Berkeley)

Fellowship of the German National Academic Foundation, 2002-2007
(competitive government scholarship)

Fulbright Scholarship, 2005-2006
(awarded for study abroad at Brown University)

TEACHING

Regular Courses/Independent studies:

“Graduate Seminar on Decision Theory”, CU Boulder, Fall 2025

Independent Study on Fundamentals of Bayesian Epistemology (Graduate), CU Boulder, Spring 2022

“Graduate Seminar on Reasoning and Rationality”, CU Boulder, Fall 2020

“Graduate Seminar in Formal Epistemology”, CU Boulder, Spring 2019, Fall 2023

“Critical Thinking and Writing” (for philosophy majors), CU Boulder, Spring 2019

“Epistemology”, CU Boulder, Fall 2018

“Critical Thinking”, CU Boulder, Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Spring 2023, Fall 2024

“Symbolic Logic”, WUSTL, Fall 2015

“Problems in Philosophy”, WUSTL, Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2017, Spring 2018

“Philosophy Capstone Seminar”, WUSTL, Spring 2014, Spring 2015, Spring 2016

“Philosophical Writing”, WUSTL, Fall 2014, Fall 2015

“Advanced Epistemology”, WUSTL, Spring 2014, Fall 2017

“Logic and Debate”, USC Summer Programs, Summer 2011

TA Training for New Graduate Assistants, USC, Summer 2010

“Introduction to Philosophy of Science”, SCI-Arc, Los Angeles, Summer 2010

“Elementary Formal Logic” (Phil 250a/b), USC, Spring 2010

“Introduction to Logic and Critical Reasoning”, USC Summer Programs, Summer 2009

“Logic: Principles of Reasoning”, Center for Talented Youth, Summer 2008

“Introduction to Theoretical Philosophy”, Humboldt Universität, Summer 2007

Summer Courses and Workshops

Mentor, Mentorship Workshop for Graduate Students, Northeastern U., Boston, 04/2024

Lecturer, Urbino Summer School in Epistemology, Urbino, Italy, 08/2023

Lecturer, LATAM Bridges Summer School (4 lectures), Buenos Aires, 07/2022

Lecturer, PIKSI Logic Summer School (2 lectures), Boston, 07/2022 (postponed from 2020)

Lecturer, Colorado Summer Seminar in Philosophy, Boulder, 2018- (usually 1-2 days)

Lecturer, Munich Summer School on Mathematical Philosophy for Female Students (1 week), 07/2015

SERVICE AT CU BOULDER

University

Provost’s Faculty Achievement Awards Committee, 2023-24

Center for Humanities and Arts (CHA) Faculty Steering Committee, 2022-25 (Chair: 2023-25)

Faculty Salary Procedures Working Group, Member, 2022

Faculty Leadership Institute Fellow, 2022-23

Faculty Scholars Group for International Student Success, Member, 2020-21

LEAP workshop, 2020

Department of Philosophy

Director of Graduate Studies, 2025-

Women in Philosophy Club Faculty Advisor, since Spring 2022

Quality Teaching Initiative Committee, 2021-22

Instructor for 4 workshops on online teaching (with Zak Kopeikin), 07/2020

<https://sites.google.com/site/juliastaffelphilosophy/2020-online-teaching-workshops?authuser=0>

Admissions Committee, Vice Chair, Spring 2021

Planning Committee for Fall 2020 Teaching, Member

Graduate Placement Committee Chair, 2018-2025

Graduate Placement Committee Member, 2025-

Teaching Evaluator for the Graduate Instructors, 2019-

Graduate Committee Member, 2018-19

Colloquium Committee Member, 2018-19, 2019-20

Departmental Salary Committee Member, 2018-19, 2019-20

SERVICE AT WUSTL

Philosophy department colloquium organizer, WUSTL, 2016-18

Women in Philosophy Group organizer, WUSTL, 2014-16

Advisor for philosophy majors, WUSTL, class of 2017

Graduate Placement Advisor WUSTL 2014-18

Graduate Program Reform Committee, WUSTL 2016

Search Committee for TT position in linguistics, external member, WUSTL, 2015

SERVICE AT ANU

Graduate Placement, ANU 2013

Search Committee for postdoctoral position in philosophy of biology, ANU 2013

ADVISING

PhD Dissertations, main supervisor:

Yuri Zhu, 2024-

Amir Ajalloeian, 2023-

Tyler Porter, 2023-

Bret Donnelly, 2022-

PhD Dissertations, committee member:

Amanda Loeffelholz, 2024-

Léna Mudry, University of Zürich, 2024 (external)

Jonathyn Zapf, 2023-

Wen Xu, 2023-

Daniel Carr, 2022-

Alex Lloyd, CU Boulder, 2019-2021

Samuel Fox Krauss, UT Austin, 2019 (external)

Joseph Wilson, 2018-2020

Ben Henke, WUSTL, 2017-2021 (external)

Felipe Romero, WUSTL, 2016

Other advising:

Qualifying Paper Supervisor:

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Referee for *Analysis*, *Analytic Philosophy*, *American Philosophical Quarterly*, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *Austrian Science Fund*, *British Journal for the Philosophy of Science*, *Cambridge University Press*, *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*, *German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)*, *Dialectica*, *Episteme*, *Ergo*, *Erkenntnis*, *Ethics*, *European Research Council*, *Formal Epistemology Workshop*, *German-Israeli Foundation for Scientific Research and Development (GIF)*, *Journal of Philosophy*, *Journal of the APA*, *Kriterion*, *Mind*, *Mind & Language*, *MIT Press*, *NSF*, *Noûs*, *Oxford University Press*, *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly*, *Philosophers' Imprint*, *Philosophia*, *Philosophical Psychology*, *Philosophical Quarterly*, *Philosophical Review*, *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*, *Philosophy of Science*, *Polish National Science Center*, *Res Philosophica*, *Routledge*, *RoME*, *Rutgers Young Epistemologist Prize*, *Synthese*, *SLACCR*, *Teaching Philosophy*, *Thought*.

APA, Member of the Lectures, Publications and Research Committee, 2023-24

Central Division of the APA, elected Member at Large of the Executive Committee, 2023-26

Program Committee Member, Central Division of the APA, 2022

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Panel Deputy Chair for Grant Evaluation for the European Research Council, 2024

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Co-organizer of the St. Louis Annual Conference on Reasons and Rationality 2015-2018

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Consulting Editor, Journal of the American Philosophical Association, since 05/2015

Organizer and member, St. Louis Early Career Philosophy Writing Group, 2015-2018

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