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EMPLOYMENT	University of Colorado, Boulder Instructor	2018 – 2021
	Shandong University Assistant Professor Affiliate Assistant Professor	2017 – 2018 2018 –
EDUCATION	University of Southern California PhD in Philosophy Dissertation: <i>Positivist Realism</i> Committee: Mark Schroeder (chair), Steve Finlay, Barry Schein, Scott Soames, Ralph Wedgwood	2011 – 2017
	University of Notre Dame PhD Program in Philosophy. Transferred to USC.	2009-2011
	Yale University MA in Religion, <i>summa cum laude</i> . Dual Concentrations: Ethics, Philosophy of Religion	2007-2009
	Stanford University BA with Honors in Philosophy and Religious Studies	2003-2007
AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION	Ethics, Philosophy of Language	
AREAS OF COMPETENCE	Political Philosophy, Philosophy of Religion, Applied Ethics, Logic	
PUBLICATIONS	“An argument for temporalism and contingentism,” <i>Philosophical Studies</i> (2015), 172 (5): 1387-1417. “Shifty contextualism about epistemics”, <i>Ergo</i> (2017), 4 (2): 783-820 — nominated for inclusion in the 2017 <i>Philosopher’s Annual</i> ”Empirical ignorance as defeating moral intuitions? A puzzle for rule consequentialists (and others)”, <i>Analysis</i> (forthcoming) “Attributing error without taking a stand”, with Mark Schroeder, <i>Philosophical Studies</i> (forthcoming) — to be published with a response from David Copp, “Perl and Schroeder’s Presuppositional Error Theory”, <i>Philosophical Studies</i> (forthcoming) “How to outfox Sly Pete: a picture of the pragmatics of indicatives”, (Forthcoming) in the festschrift for Allan Gibbard, <i>Meaning, Decision, and Norms: Themes from the Work of Allan Gibbard</i> , edited by Billy Dunaway and David Plunkett — to be published with a response from Allan Gibbard “Might moral epistemologists be asking the wrong questions?”, <i>Philosophy and Phenomenological Research</i> (forthcoming) “A user’s guide to hybrid tools”, <i>Mind</i> (forthcoming)	

“Presuppositions, attitudes, and why they matter”, conditionally accepted at the
Australasian Journal of Philosophy

PAPERS UNDER REVIEW “Might ethical debunking rest on a linguistic mistake?”
“An epistemology for moral naturalists”
“There can’t be evidence for moral particularism”
“Metaethical foundations of political liberalism”

PRESENTATIONS (“*” for invited talks)
Rule consequentialism in a constructivist key
2018. Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress

Debunking arguments in normative ethics
2018. University of Manchester*
2018. Monash University*
2018. Western Michigan University*

Moral skepticism as a pseudo-problem
2018. ACU Conference on Moral Epistemology
2018. USC/ Shandong Ethics and Epistemology Conference*

Attributing error without taking a stand (with Mark Schroeder)
2017. Oberlin Colloquium in Philosophy*

Might ethical debunking rest on a linguistic mistake?
2017. Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress
2017. APA Eastern Division (*Colloquium*)
2016. ND/ Northwestern Epistemology Conference
2016. Syracuse Graduate Conference

A New Twist on Rule Consequentialism (under various titles)
2016. Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress
2016. APA Eastern Division (*Colloquium*)
2015. Berkeley-Stanford-Davis Graduate Conference
2014. Austin Graduate Ethics and Normativity Talks

A Theory of Quantified Presupposition
2014. PHLING, University of Maryland
2014. Society for Exact Philosophy

Russellians Can Get Donkeys and Bishops Just Right
2014. APA Central Division (*Symposium*)
2012. Society for Exact Philosophy

How to outfox Sly Pete: semantics for indicatives
2013. APA Pacific Division (*Symposium*)
2011. Society for Exact Philosophy

Why Political Liberalism can’t handle the truth
2013. APA Central Division (*Colloquium*)
2012. UPenn Graduate Student Conference

An argument for temporalism about propositions
 2012. APA Pacific Division (*Colloquium*)
 2011. Northwest Philosophy Conference

AWARDS	Bing Arnold Endowed Fellowship Pacific Philosophical Quarterly Fellowship Finalist, Charlotte W. Newcombe Dissertation Fellowship Flewelling Fellowship USC College Merit Fellowship Mothershead Prize for Outstanding Achievement in Ethics (Stanford)	2016-17 Spring 2016 Spring 2015 Spring 2015 2011 - 2017 2007
GRANTS	Shandong University Fundamental Research Fund (\$12,500) Research Stipend for work on religion and politics (\$3,000) Center for Religion and Civic Culture, USC Gold Family Fellowship (\$5,000) Stipend for research in metaethics, USC	Spring 2018 – Summer 2017 Summer 2014
PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES	Referee, <i>Ethics</i> , <i>Journal of Ethics and Social Philosophy</i> (x3), <i>Pacific Philosophical Quarterly</i> , <i>Philosophical Studies</i> , <i>Philosophy and Phenomenological Research</i> Research Assistant, Mark Schroeder Research Assistant, Robert Audi, for <i>Rationality and Religious Commitment</i> Research Assistant, Agnieszka Jaworska Research Assistant, Debra Satz, for <i>Why Some Things Should Not Be For Sale: The Moral Limits of Markets</i> Referee for USC/ UCLA Graduate Student Conference St. Thomas Summer Seminar in the Philosophy of Religion	2013 - 2013-2014 2011 2006-2007 2006 2012 - 2016 2016
TEACHING As primary instructor	<i>Grad seminar in moral epistemology</i> , Spring 2018, Shandong University (5/5) <i>History of analytic philosophy</i> , Spring 2018, Shandong University (4.70/5) <i>Metalogic</i> , Spring 2018, Shandong University (4.41/5) <i>Elementary Formal Logic</i> , Spring 2014, USC, (4.71/5) for 250a, (4.5/5) for for 250b	
As teaching assistant	<i>Knowledge, Explanation & the Cosmos</i> , Shieva Kleinschmidt, Fall 2013, USC (4.5/5) <i>Issues in Space and Time</i> , Shieva Kleinschmidt, Spring 2013, USC (4.86/5) <i>Social Ethics for Earthlings and Others</i> , Sharon Lloyd, Fall 2012, USC (4.33/5)	
REFERENCES	Mark Schroeder (advisor) Professor of Philosophy USC School of Philosophy maschroe@usc.edu	Stephen Finlay Professor of Philosophy USC School of Philosophy finlay@usc.edu
	John Hawthorne Professor of Philosophy USC School of Philosophy hawthor@usc.edu	Scott Soames Distinguished Professor of Philosophy USC School of Philosophy soames@usc.edu
	Ralph Wedgwood Professor of Philosophy USC School of Philosophy wedgwood@usc.edu	Shieva Kleinschmidt (teaching) Associate Professor of Philosophy USC School of Philosophy kleinsch@usc.edu