

EMPLOYMENT

Elon University (EU)	Adjunct Instructor, 2019-present
Marian University (MU)	Adjunct Instructor, 2017-2019
University of Wisconsin-Platteville (UW-P)	Adjunct Instructor, 2018
Halbert and Nancy Robinson Center for Young Scholars (RC)	Transition School Ethics Instructor, 2015-2017
Virginia Tech (VT)	Adjunct Instructor, 2012-2013

EDUCATION

University of Washington, Seattle (UW)	PhD, Philosophy, 2020 (<i>expected</i>) MA, Philosophy, 2016
Virginia Tech (VT)	MA, Philosophy, 2012
University of Minnesota Duluth (UMD)	BA, Philosophy (Applied Ethics Emphasis), 2009 BAsC, Psychology, 2009

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Areas of Specialization	Ethics, American Indian/Native American Philosophy, Philosophy of Psychology (esp. Psychology of Morality)
Areas of Competence	Applied Ethics, Political Philosophy, and Philosophy of Science

PUBLICATIONS

Book Chapters	"Etemeyaske Vpokat (Living Together Peacefully): How the Muscogee Concept of <i>Harmony</i> Can Provide a Structure to Morality." In <i>Comparative Metaethics: Neglected Perspectives on the Foundations of Morality</i> , edited by Colin Marshall. New York: Routledge Press (forthcoming)
Journal Articles	"Decolonizing the Demarcation of the Ethical." 2019 Pacific APA Special Issue of <i>Philosophical Studies</i> (pending final review) "Metaethical Agnosticism: Practical Reasons for Acting When Agnostic About the Existence of Moral Reasons." <i>The Journal of Value Inquiry</i> (January 2019)

PRESENTATIONS

2020 Pacific APA	“Storytelling, Thought Experiments, and Moral Cognition” (San Francisco, CA 2020)
2019 Pacific APA	“Decolonizing the Demarcation of the Ethical and the Empirical: Using the Concept of Harmony Instead of Cooperation to Delineate Moral and Non-Moral Problems” (Vancouver, BC, 2019)
Lost Voices at the Foundations of Ethics	“Etemeyaske Vpokat (Living Together Peacefully): How the Muscogee Principle of <i>Harmony</i> Can Provide a Structure to Morality” (Seattle, WA, 2018)
Illinois Institute of Technology	“Derailing the Trolley (Problem): The Limits of Experimental Structure and the Problem of Generalization for Studies of Moral Cognition” (Chicago, IL, 2017)
Western Michigan University 7th Annual Graduate Philosophy Conference	“What We Can Learn from the Moral Twin Earth Thought Experiments” (Kalamazoo, MI, 2013)
Virginia Philosophical Association	“Methods of Determination: Relevant Differences between Twin Earth & Moral Twin Earth” (Blacksburg, VA, 2012)
Southwest Graduate Student Conference in Philosophy	“Why Ought I Be Rational?” (Tempe, AZ, 2012)
Minnesota Undergraduate Philosophical Society	“Derek Parfit on Personal Identity” (St. Paul, MN, 2009)

ACADEMIC AWARDS AND HONORS

Departmental Teaching Award	Annual award given by the department faculty to the graduate student who best demonstrates excellence in teaching (UW Dept of Philosophy), 2018
Philosophy for Children Graduate Fellowship	Paid fellowship for involvement in the UW Center for Philosophy for Children's "Philosophers in the Schools" program, which sends UW graduate and undergraduate students into Seattle public schools to conduct philosophy sessions in K-12 classrooms (UW Center for Philosophy for Children), 2015
The Kenneth R. Park Award	Award that honors a student who blends the study of philosophy with a volunteer-based community project (UW Dept of Philosophy), 2014
Faculty Favorite	Recognizes Virginia Tech faculty members for their outstanding contributions, dedication to students, and personal influence (VT Division of Student Affairs Housing and Residence Life), 2013
Marjorie Grene Prize in Philosophy	Awarded to the student who best demonstrates engagement with philosophy and commitment to service (VT Dept of Philosophy), 2012
Dean's Diversity Assistantship	Department nominated assistantship meant to recruit underrepresented students to graduate studies at Virginia Tech (VT Office of Graduate Recruitment and Diversity Initiatives (ORDI)), 2010
Departmental Honors	Honors Thesis: <i>Derek Parfit on Personal Identity</i> (UMD Dept of Philosophy), 2009

ACADEMIC AWARDS AND HONORS (CONT.)

Departmental Honors	Honors Theses: <i>The Evolution of Emotions</i> and <i>The Evolution of Ethics</i> (UMD Dept of Psychology), 2009
Psi Chi Psychology National Honor Society	International honor society in psychology (UMD Dept of Psychology), 2009
Henry Ehlers Book Scholarship	Provides textbooks needed for continuing philosophy students based on their grades in philosophy courses (UMD Dept of Philosophy), 2008

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor	Phil 112: How Should We Live? (EU)	Autumn 2019	
	Phil 132: The Examined Life (MU)	Spring 2019 (<i>two times</i>) Autumn 2018 (<i>two times</i>) Spring 2018 Autumn 2017 (<i>two times</i>)	
	Phil 113: Introduction to Philosophy (UW-P)	Autumn 2018 (<i>four times</i>)	
	Phil 320: Philosophy of Law (MU)	Spring 2018	
	Phil 220: Bioethics (MU)	Spring 2018 Autumn 2017	
	Phil 120: Introduction to Logic (UW)	Summer 2019 (<i>B-Term</i>) Summer 2017 (<i>B-Term</i>)	
	Phil 102: Contemporary Moral Problems (UW)	Summer 2018 (<i>B-Term</i>) Summer 2016 (<i>B-Term</i>)	
	Phil 2304: Global Ethics (VT)	Spring 2013 (<i>three times</i>) Autumn 2012 Summer 2012 (<i>Session II</i>)	
	Phil 1304: Morality and Justice (VT)	Autumn 2012	
	Teaching Assistant	Phil 242: Medical Ethics (UW for Carina Fourie)	Spring 2017
		Phil 243: Intro to Environmental Ethics (UW for Stephen Gardiner)	Winter 2017
		Phil 100: Introduction to Philosophy (UW for Michael Rosenthal)	Autumn 2016
		Phil 120: Introduction to Logic (UW for Ian Schnee)	Spring 2016
Phil 120: Introduction to Logic (UW for Cass Weller)		Winter 2016	
Phil 240: Introduction to Ethics (UW for Jean Roberts)		Autumn 2015	
Phil 100: Introduction to Philosophy (UW for Colin Marshall)		Spring 2015	
Phil 100: Introduction to Philosophy (UW for Michael Rosenthal)		Winter 2015	
Phil 160: Intro to Phil of Science (UW for Lynn Hankinson-Nelson)		Autumn 2014	
Phil 242: Medical Ethics (UW for Ingra Schellenberg)		Winter 2014	
Phil 100: Introduction to Philosophy (UW for Andrea Woody)		Autumn 2013	
Phil 3324: Biomedical Ethics (VT for Tristram McPherson)		Spring 2012	
Phil 1304: Morality and Justice (VT for Tristram McPherson)		Autumn 2011	
Phil 1204: Knowledge and Reality (VT for Lydia Patton)	Spring 2011		
Phil 1304: Morality and Justice (VT for Matt King)	Autumn 2010		
Phil 1001: Introduction to Philosophy (UMD for Jason Ford)	Spring 2009		
Pre-Collegiate Instructor	RC Transition School: Ethics Course	Winter 2015-Spring 2017	
	RC Summer Stretch Program: Philosophy of Science	Summers 2016-2019	

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

University of Washington, Seattle	Graduate Student Climate Committee (Dept of Philosophy), 2014-2017
	Minorities and Philosophy (MAP) Chapter Representative (Dept of Philosophy), 2014-2017
	Coach for West Seattle High School Ethics Bowl Teams, (Washington State High School Ethics Bowl), 2014-2015
	Submission Reviewer (Graduate Student Philosophy Conference), 2013-2017
Virginia Tech	Vice President (Graduate Philosophy Club), 2011-2012
	Submission Reviewer (Graduate Student Philosophy Conference), 2010-2013
	Committee Member (Graduate Philosophy Club), 2010-2012
	Delegate (Graduate Student Assembly (GSA)), 2010-2012
University of Minnesota Duluth	Representative (Socratic Society Philosophy Club), 2008-2009

RELATED ADMINISTRATIVE AND ADVISING EXPERIENCE

Writing Center Supervisor	UW Philosophy Department, 2016-2017
Community Program Assistant	Center of American Indian and Minority Health, UMD Medical School, 2010
Student Advisor	UMD First Year Experience & Students in Transition Office, 2009

RELATED WORK AND VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Mellon Grant Program Assistant	American Philosophical Association, 2017-2018
After School Snack Program Volunteer	Hunger Intervention Program, Seattle, WA, 2014-2016
Evening Volunteer	ROOTS Young Adult Shelter, Seattle, WA, 2014
One Million Meals Campaign Corps Intern	United Way of King County, Seattle, WA, 2014
Youth Empowerment Specialist	Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota (Youth Services), Brainerd, MN, 2009

REFERENCES

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