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AoS: Epistemology • Ethics

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Academic Posts

- 2017-Present **Stipendiary Lecturer in Philosophy**
University College, Oxford
- 2015-Present **Stipendiary Lecturer in Philosophy**
Trinity College, Oxford
- 2014-2017 **Career Development Lecturer in Philosophy**
Jesus College, Oxford

Education

- 2010-2014 **PhD Philosophy**
University of Sheffield
- 2009-2010 **MA Philosophy**
King's College London
- 2006-2009 **BA (Hons) History and Philosophy**
University of Sheffield

Publications

Book

- 2018 *Knowledge Transmission* London, Routledge.

Edited Collection

- forthcoming *Memory and Testimony: New Philosophical Essays* (with Sanford Goldberg).
Contributors: Robert Audi, David James Barnett, Rebecca Copenhaver, Paul Faulkner, Elizabeth Fricker, Peter Graham, Edward Hinchman, Guy Longworth, Katherine Puddifoot, M.G.F. Martin, Kourken Michaelian, Joey Pollock, Patrick Rysiew, Chloe Wall, Stephen Wright.

Articles

- forthcoming Testimonial Disjunctivism, in Casey Doyle, Duncan Pritchard and Joseph Milburn (eds.), *Epistemological Disjunctivism: An Anthology*, London: Routledge.
- forthcoming Trust in the Normative Domain, *International Journal of Philosophical Studies*.
Finalist in the 2017 Robert Papazian Prize.
- 2018 Lying and Truth, in Jörg Meibauer (ed.), *The Oxford Handbook of Lying*, Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 2016 Circular Testimony, *Philosophical Studies*, Vol. 173, No. 8, pp. 2029-2048.
- 2016 The Transmission of Knowledge and Justification, *Synthese*, Vol. 193, No. 1, pp. 293-311.
- 2016 Internalism in the Epistemology of Testimony, *Erkenntnis*, Vol. 81, No. 1, pp.69-86.
- 2016 Sincerity and Transmission, *Ratio*, Vol. 29, No. 1, pp. 42-56.
- 2015 In Defence of Transmission, *Episteme*, Vol. 12, No. 1, pp. 13-28.
- 2014 Sosa on Knowledge from Testimony, *Analysis*, Vol. 74, No. 2, pp. 249-254.
- 2013 Does Klein's Infinitism Offer a Response to Agrippa's Trilemma?, *Synthese*, Vol. 74, No. 2, pp. 249-254.
- 2010 The Leibniz's Law Problem (for Stage Theory), *Metaphysica*, Vol. 11, No. 2, pp. 137-151.
- 2010 Trust and Trustworthiness, *Philosophia*, Vol. 38, No. 3, pp. 615-627.

Reviews

- forthcoming Testimony: A Philosophical Introduction, Joseph Shieber, *Philosophical Quarterly*.
- 2013 Disagreement and Skepticism, Diego Machuca (ed.), *Mind*, Vol. 122, No. 488, pp. 1157-1160.
- 2013 Epistemological Disjunctivism, Duncan Pritchard, *Dialectica*, Vol. 67, No. 2, pp. 252-257.
- 2013 Testimony, Trust, and Authority, Benjamin McMyler, *Erkenntnis*, Vol. 78, No. 5, pp. 1213-1217.

Teaching

Courses Designed and Taught

Aesthetics, General Philosophy, Early Modern Philosophy, Knowledge and Reality, History of Philosophical Thought, Introductory Logic, Metaethics, Philosophy of Logic and Language, Philosophy of Religion, Metaethics, Mill's *Utilitarianism*, Theory of Knowledge, Lying and Assertion (Graduate Course).

Selected Presentations

- 2018 Testimony, Knowledge, and Reliability, *1st Social Epistemology Network Event*, University of Oslo.
- 2017 Memory, Lies, and Entitlements, *Memory, Self, and Self-Knowledge Workshop*, University of York.
- 2017 Towards a Social Epistemology of Memory, *Madrid Summer School in Social Epistemology*, Autonomous University of Madrid.
- 2017 Memory as a Source of Moral Understanding, *91st Joint Session of the Aristotelian Society and the Mind Association*, University of Edinburgh.
- 2017 Memory and Moral Understanding, *Theoretical Work in Progress Seminar*, University of Oxford.
- 2016 Transmission and Subject-Sensitive Invariantism, *90th Joint Session of the Aristotelian Society and the Mind Association*, University of Cardiff.
- 2016 Disjunctivism and the Epistemology of Testimony, *7th European Epistemology Network Meeting*, EHESS, Paris.
- 2015 An Ecumenical Epistemology of Testimony, University of Kent.
- 2015 Circular Testimony, *89th Joint Session of the Aristotelian Society and the Mind Association*, University of Warwick.
- 2015 Rumour and Reasons for Belief, *Eidyn Mini Workshop on Social Epistemology*, University of Edinburgh.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VePdXynx6pcfeature=youtu.be>
- 2015 The Epistemology of Testimony, *Eidyn*, University of Edinburgh.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VqdLi4t5ys4feature=youtu.be>
- 2014 Against Infallibilism, *88th Joint Session of the Aristotelian Society and the Mind Association*, University of Cambridge.
- 2014 Infallibilism, *6th European Epistemology Network Meeting*, Autonomous University of Madrid.
- 2014 Disagreement and Evidence, *16th Taller d'Investigatió en Filosofia*, University of Barcelona.
- 2013 Evidence and the Epistemology of Disagreement, *17th Oxford Graduate Philosophy Conference*, University of Oxford.
- 2013 Understanding the Epistemic Value of Testimony, *Understanding Value 2013 (2nd Postgraduate Philosophy Conference)*, University of Sheffield.
- 2013 Rethinking the Epistemology of Testimony, *Graduate Workshop with Katherine Hawley*, University of Nottingham.
- 2013 Testimonial Justification: A Paradox, *17th Annual Conference of the British Postgraduate Philosophy Association*, University of Glasgow.

- 2013 The Authority Rule of Assertion, *Swedish Congress of Philosophy 2013*, KTH Royal Institute of Technology.
- 2013 Testimonial Justification: Reductionism, Anti-Reductionism and Dualism, *2nd Vienna Forum for Analytic Philosophy Graduate Conference*, University of Vienna.
- 2012 The Space of Other People's Reasons: John McDowell's Reductionist Epistemology of Testimony, *Workshop on Deference, Testimony and Diversity*, University of Copenhagen.
- 2012 Can Our Entitlement to Testimonial Knowledge Be Empirical? *86th Joint Session of the Aristotelian Society and the Mind Association*, University of Stirling.
- 2012 The Epistemology of Testimony: Knowledge Generation and Justification Transmission, *5th European Epistemology Network Meeting*, University of Bologna/University of Modena.
- 2012 Safe Testimonial Belief and the Transmission of Justification, *Subjectivity and the Social World*, University of Hull.
- 2012 The Transmission of Justification, *1st Graduate Epistemology Conference*, University of Edinburgh.

Awards and Grants

- 2018 Finalist in the *International Journal of Philosophical Studies* Robert Papazian Essay Prize.
- 2015 FHEA Fellowship of the Higher Education Academy.
- 2014 Understanding Value: The University of Sheffield Graduate Philosophy Conference, Co-Applicant. Mind Association Conference Grant (£700), Analysis Trust Sponsorship (£312), British Society of Aesthetics (£1000), Society for Applied Philosophy (£750), Aristotelian Society (£300).
- 2014 University of Sheffield, Students' Union Academic Award: "Best Postgraduate Teacher Award". Final shortlist of three.
- 2012-13 The White Rose Postgraduate Philosophy Forum, Co-applicant. HRC Postgraduate Project Grant, University of York (£180).
- 2012 Understanding Value: The University of Sheffield Graduate Philosophy Conference, Co-applicant. Mind Association Conference Grant (£1500), Analysis Trust Sponsorship (£800).
- 2010-13 Faculty of Arts and Humanities Doctoral Scholarship, University of Sheffield. Fees plus maintenance.

Conference Organisation

- 2017-Present Theoretical Work in Progress Seminar, University of Oxford.
- 2012-13 Understanding Value: The University of Sheffield Graduate Philosophy Conference
- 2012-13 Updating Reality: Dynamism in the Philosophy of Time.

- 2011-12 Understanding Value: The University of Sheffield Graduate Philosophy Conference.
- 2011-12 The White Rose Postgraduate Philosophy Forum.

Committee Membership

- 2016-Present Faculty of Philosophy Research Committee, University of Oxford.
- 2011-13 Department of Philosophy Staff-Student Committee, University of Sheffield.

Journal Refereeing

American Philosophical Quarterly, Analysis, Analytic Philosophy, Australasian Journal of Philosophy, Dialectica, Episteme, Erkenntnis, Ethics and Information Technology, Ethical Theory and Moral Practice, Journal of Philosophical Research, Philosophical Explorations, Philosophical Quarterly, Philosophical Studies, Social Epistemology, Southern Journal of Philosophy, Synthese.

References

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