

Richard Roth

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Interests

AOS: Epistemology, Language, Decision Theory.

AOC: Metaphysics, Logic, Mind.

Education

2020– **Ph.D.**, Philosophy, New York University
Committee: Cian Dorr, Matthew Mandelkern, Richard Pettigrew
2018-20 **BPhil**, Philosophy, Oxford University
2016-18 **M.A.**, Philosophy, Humboldt Universität Berlin
2014-16 **B.A.**, Philosophy and Greek Philology, Ruprecht-Karls Universität Heidelberg

Papers

Iteration and Preservation (R&R at *Mind*)
Known Higher-order Ignorance (under review)
Reliabilism and Defeat (with Bar Luzon, under review)

Presentations

Coordinating Beliefs

Aug. 2025 Epistemology Workshop, Singapore
July 2025 Joint Session of the Aristotelian Society and Mind Association, Glasgow
July 2025 TARK 2025, Düsseldorf
May 2025 Formal Epistemology Workshop, Reykjavík

Accuracy and Epistemic Modalities, with Mikayla Kelley, Calum McNamara, and Snow Zhang

Feb. 2026 Central APA, Chicago
May 2025 Formal Epistemology Workshop, Reykjavík

No Epistemic Discounts

April 2024 19th UCLA/USC grad conference

Dynamic Classicality

May 2024 Workshop on *Bounded Meaning*, Amherst (poster)

I don't know whether I'm here!

April 2024 Berkeley language group

Iteration and Preservation

July 2020 Oxford Probability Group

Introspection from Possibility Preservation

Sept. 2022 GAP 11, Berlin

Restriction and Dominance Reasoning

April 2020 Oxford semantics group

Abominable Junk

Sept. 2019 SOPhiA 2019, Salzburg

What explains that-clause substitution failure?

July 2018 Joint Session of the Aristotelian Society and the Mind Association, Oxford

Various Comments

April 2025 Comments on *Assertion and weak belief*, by Paolo Santorio, Pacific APA

Jan. 2025 Comments on *Belief is Medium Strong*, by Sarah Vernallis, Eastern APA

Jan. 2022 Comments on *A Note on Williamson's Gettier Cases in Epistemic Logic*, by James Simpson, Eastern APA

Prizes & Scholarships

2024 Frankel Fellowship, NYU

2020-25 Henry M. MacCracken Fellowship, NYU Philosophy

2020 Gilbert Ryle Prize for best overall performance on the BPhil (£500)

2018-20 Scholarship abroad ("*Ausslandsstipendium*") of the *Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes* (10,000€ fees per year plus 750€ living costs per month)

2019 Thesis Price, HU Berlin

2014-20 Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes (300€ per month, plus various travel grants)

Teaching

Fall 24 *Epistemology*, TA for Weng Kin San (partial replacement for Noga Gratvol)

Spring 24 *Philosophy of Mind*, TA for Ned Block

Fall 23 *Minds and Machines*, TA for David Chalmers

Summer 23 *Philosophy of Language*, main instructor

Spring 23 *Epistemology*, TA for Pablo Zendejas Medina

Fall 22 *Advanced Logic*, TA for Cian Dorr

Feb. 22 Volunteer outreach teaching at High School of Art and Design, NY

Fall 21 Weakly outreach class *Big Questions* at NYU, TA for Jessica Moss

Service

Reviewer for: *Erkenntnis*, *Linguistics and Philosophy*, *Mind*, *Synthese*

Academic roles: Tech Support (2024/25), Lunch talk committee (2021/22, 2024/25), Advising Task Force (2023/24), 21st Columbia-NYU Philosophy Grad Conference (2021), Ockham Society (2019/20), Jowett Society (2019/20), 23rd Oxford Philosophy Grad Conference (2019)

Social roles: Park Lunch organiser (2022-25), Writing Group organiser (2020/21, 2021/22, 2024/25), Grad Mentor for Christopher Sun (2023/24), Grad student welfare representative (Oxford Philosophy, 2019/20), MAP mentor (2019/20)