# **ADRIAN LIU**

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AOS Metaphysics and Epistemology (esp. Formal)

AOC Political Philosophy, Normative Ethics, Chinese Philosophy, Queer Philosophy

**EDUCATION** 

2022 – RUTGERS UNIVERSITY – NEW BRUNSWICK

Ph.D. Student in Philosophy

2016–20 STANFORD UNIVERSITY

B.S. in Mathematics; B.A. in Philosophy & Religious Studies

Honors, Distinction and Phi Beta Kappa

### **PRESENTATIONS**

1. "The Sources of Evidential Opacity"

- April 2025, Northeastern Epistemology Workshop, Boston (invited)
- November 2025, MIT (invited)
- 2. "Manipulation: A Relational Analysis"
  - February 2025, Central APA
- 3. "Avoiding Polarization"
  - January 2025, Eastern APA, New York
  - July 2024, Formal Epistemology Workshop, Canberra
- 4. "Why Wouldn't ZhuangZi have a Political Philosophy?"
  - March 2024, Pacific APA, Portland, ISCWP Group Session
  - January 2025, Eastern APA, New York, ACPA Group Session
- 5. "Attentional Temperament and Norms on Attention" (with Mia Accomando)
  - October 2024, Pitt-CMU Graduate Conference, Pittsburgh
  - September 2024, Functions of Attention Workshop, University of Oslo
- 6. "Asexuality as a Critical Sexuality"
  - 2020, "Identity and Intersectionality," Bowling Green State University
  - 2020, 14th Annual Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, Western Michigan University

#### **COMMENTS**

- 1. Naomi Waltham-Smith, "Hearing Out", 2024 Humanistic Ethics Workshop, Oxford
- 2. Manish Oza, "Is There a Highest Legal Rule?", 2024, Central APA, New Orleans

#### **TEACHING**

2025	Logic, Reasoning, and Persuasion, Rutgers	Primary Instructor
2025	Ethics of Eating, Rutgers	Teaching Assistant for Andy Egan
2024	Foundations of Mathematics, Rutgers	Grader for Ted Sider
2022	Ethics, Public Policy,	Teaching Assistant for Rob Reich,
	& Technological Change, Stanford	Jeremy Weinstein, and Mehran Sahami

2019-20	Structured Liberal Education, Stanford	Residential Tutor
2018	Analysis and Linear Algebra, Stanford	Grader for Lenya Ryzhik
2018-19	Multivariable Calculus, Stanford	Departmental Tutor, Mathematics

#### **SERVICE**

- 1. Convener, Rutgers Epistemology Reading Group, 2025-
- 2. Graduate Director, Philosophy in an Inclusive Key Summer Institute (PIKSI) Boston, 2025–2026
- 3. Organizer, Rutgers Philosophy Admitted Students Visit Week, 2025
- 4. Coordinator, Rutgers Philosophy Departmental Assignments, 2024–2025
- 5. Member, Executive Committee and Graduate Steering Committee, Rutgers AAUP-AFT, 2023–2025
- 6. Organizer, Rutgers Philosophy Graduate Work in Progress Talks, 2022-2023
- 7. Member, Rutgers Philosophy Climate Committee, 2022–2023

## CONFERENCES AND JOURNALS

- Referee for: Erkenntnis
- 1. Editorial Manager for Philosophical Issues, 2024-2025
- 2. Editorial Manager for Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, 2024-2025
- 3. Organizer, Conference in Honor of Barry Loewer, Rutgers, May 2025
- 4. Organizer, Social Metaphysics Workshop, Rutgers, May 2024