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Specialization

AOS Epistemology
AOC Metaphysics, Political Philosophy, Chinese Philosophy, Philosophy of AI

Education

2022– RUTGERS UNIVERSITY – NEW BRUNSWICK
Ph.D Candidate, Philosophy.
Committee: Ted Sider, Liz Camp, Juan Comesaña, Andy Egan, Kevin Dorst (MIT)
2016–20 STANFORD UNIVERSITY
B.S. in Mathematics, B.A. in Philosophy & Religious Studies

Presentations

Peer-reviewed unless otherwise noted
2026 Finding Balance in Uncertain Times
 Central APA Symposium, Chicago, Feb 2026
 Formal Approaches to Rationality and Meaning, UMD, Oct 2025
 Formal Epistemology Workshop, Reykjavik, May 2025
2025 Ineffective Reassurance (with Isabel Herburger)
 Rutgers Non-paradigmatic Pragmatics Workshop, May 2025 (invited)
 The Evidence Function
 Northeastern Epistemology Workshop, Apr 2025 (invited)
 Manipulation: A Relational Analysis
 Central APA Colloquium, Online, Feb 2025
 Avoiding Polarization
 Eastern APA Colloquium, New York, Jan 2025
 Formal Epistemology Workshop, Canberra, July 2024
 Why Wouldn't ZhuangZi have a Political Philosophy?
 ACPA Eastern APA, New York, Jan 2025
 ISCWP Pacific APA, Portland, Mar 2024
2024 Attentional Temperament and Norms on Attention (with Mia Accomando)
 Pitt-CMU Graduate Conference, Pittsburgh, 2024
 Functions of Attention Workshop, Oslo, 2024

Comments

- 2026 Gabrielle Kerbel, “Dilating and Contracting Nonarbitrarily”, Eastern APA 2026, Baltimore
2024 Naomi Waltham-Smith, “Hearing Out”, Humanistic Ethics Workshop 2024, Oxford
Manish Oza, “Is There a Highest Legal Rule?”, Central APA 2024, New Orleans

Teaching

- 2025 Buddhism, Rutgers (**primary instructor**)
Logic, Reasoning, and Persuasion, Rutgers (**primary instructor**)
Ethics of Eating, Rutgers (teaching assistant)
2022 Ethics, Public Policy, & Technological Change, Stanford (teaching assistant)

Service

General

- 2025–26 Graduate Director, Philosophy in an Inclusive Key Summer Institute (PIKSI) Boston
2023–27 Executive Committee and Graduate Steering Committee Member, Rutgers AAUP-AFT
2025 Organizer, Rutgers Philosophy Admitted Students Visit Week
2022–23 Rutgers Philosophy Climate Committee Member

Conferences, Reading Groups, Colloquia

- 2025– Convener, Rutgers Epistemology Reading Group
2026 Organizer, Rutgers Epistemology Conference
2025 Organizer, Conference in Honor of Barry Loewer, Rutgers
2024 Organizer, Social Metaphysics Workshop, Rutgers
2022–23 Organizer, Rutgers Philosophy Graduate Work in Progress Talks

Journals

- Refereeing: *Erkenntnis*
2025–26 Managing Editor, *Oxford Studies in Metaphysics*
2024–25 Editorial Assistant, *Noûs* and *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*