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Education

Ph.D Candidate Philosophy, Johns Hopkins University, ABD

Advisor: Robert Rynasiewicz

Dissertation: *Philosophy at the End of Spacetime: Philosophical Aspects of Black Hole Physics*

M.A. Philosophy, Ohio University.

B.A. Philosophy and Religion and B.S. Computational Mathematics w/honors, Summa cum laude, Liberty University.

Areas of Specialization

Philosophy of Physics, Philosophy of Science, Philosophy of Statistics

Areas of Competence

Logic, Epistemology, Philosophy of Religion

Conference Presentations

Papers Presented

On Some Recent Attempted Non-Metaphysical Dissolutions of the Hole Argument (with Robert Rynasiewicz) - Second Irvine-London-Munich-PoliMi-Salzburg Conference in Philosophy and Foundations of Physics, University of Salzburg, September 2-4 2019.

Simplicity in Statistical Model Selection - International Conference on Simplicities and Complexities, The Epistemology of the Large Hadron Collider, University of Bonn, May 22 2019.

Information-Theoretic Model Selection and Cosmology - European Philosophy of Science Association (EPSA17), University of Exeter, September 9 2017.

A Relativistic Proposal for the Problem of the Receptacle - The 2015 Annual Meeting of the South Carolina Society of Philosophy, Wofford College, March 27 2015.

Kant and Non-Euclidean Geometry: A Reassessment - The Pittsburgh Area Philosophy Colloquium (Working Group), September 6 2014.

Kant and Non-Euclidean Geometry: A Reassessment - The 2014 Annual Meeting of the Ohio Philosophical Association, Kenyon College, April 5.

Kant and Non-Euclidean Geometry: A Reassessment - The 2014 Annual Meeting of the South Carolina Society of Philosophy, Furman University, February 14-15 2014.

Comments

Comments on Mickey Lorkowski's *The Cosmological Push*, The 2015 Annual Meeting of the Ohio Philosophical Association, Baldwin Wallace University, April 11.

Departmental Presentations

Is the Holographic Principle a Principle of Quantum Gravity?, The Hammond Society Colloquium Series, October 26th 2018.

Unconceived Alternatives and Skepticism, The Hammond Society Colloquium Series, March 2 2018, with Ryan Ross.

Conformal Transformations and the Theory of Linear Structures, The Hammond Society Colloquium Series, February 23 2018.

Surrealistic Bohmian Trajectories: A Reappraisal, The Hammond Society Colloquium Series, November 10 2017.

Information-Theoretic Model Selection and Cosmology, The Hammond Society Colloquium Series, April 28 2017.

Workshops

Discussant for the 2017 New Directions in the Foundations of Physics Conference, Tarquinia Italy, May 26-28.

Discussant for the 2018 New Directions in the Foundations of Physics Conference, Viterbo Italy, June 8-10.

Participant in the First Biennial Midwest Summer School in Philosophy of Physics, University of Chicago, July 22-27 2018.

Teaching Experience

Primary Instructor

Principles of Reasoning, Ohio University (2 semesters).

Critical Thinking (Online), Wayne State University (Summer Term).

Philosophy of Quantum Mechanics, Johns Hopkins University (Winter 2019, 2020).

Introduction to Philosophy, University of Maryland Baltimore County (1 semester).

Philosophy of Physics, University of Maryland Baltimore County (1 semester).

Teaching Assistant

Introduction to Ethics (Online), Ohio University (3 semesters).

Critical Thinking, Wayne State University (2 semesters).

Philosophy and Science: An Introduction to Both, Johns Hopkins University (2 semesters)

Introduction to Formal Logic, Johns Hopkins University (2 semesters)

Awards and Fellowships

Graduate Student Cross-Training Fellowship - John Templeton Foundation, administered by the Society for Christian Philosophers (\$34,000)

The Frederick C. Copleston Award in the History of Philosophy (Liberty University, 2012)

Languages

English (Native)

German (Adequate Reading Level)

Koine Greek (Elementary Reading Level)

Technical Skills

HTML₅/CSS

Java

C++

Latex

Affiliations/Memberships

Society for Christian Philosophers

Philosophy of Science Association

European Philosophy of Science Association

Baltimore-Washington Foundations of Physics Group

American Physical Society

Services to the Profession/Departmental Services

Referee for the 2015 Meeting of the Ohio Philosophical Association

Conference Planning Committee Member for the 2017 Johns Hopkins Graduate Philosophy Conference

Vice President of the Hammond Society (Johns Hopkins Graduate Philosophy Society) (2017-2018)

Chair of the Conference Planning Committee for the 2018 Johns Hopkins Graduate Philosophy Conference

Departmental Colloquium Committee Member (JHU 2018;2019)

President of the Hammond Society (2018-2019)

Conference Planning Committee Member for the 2019 Johns Hopkins Graduate Philosophy Conference

Hammond Society Colloquium Planner (2019-2020)

Hammond Society Treasurer (2019-2020)

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