

## Geoffrey Hall

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RESEARCH INTERESTS	AOS: Metaphysics AOC: Philosophy of Mind & Philosophy of Math & Logic
EDUCATION	<b>University of Notre Dame</b> , Notre Dame, IN  Ph.D. in Philosophy, August 2020 M.A. in Philosophy, May 2017  <b>Lewis and Clark College</b> , Portland, OR  B.A., <i>magna cum laude</i> , Philosophy, December 2014
DISSERTATION ABSTRACT	<b>The Algebraic Structure of Propositions</b> Booleanism is the thesis that logically equivalent propositions are identical. While this theory has received widespread acceptance throughout the 20th century, usually in the form of the possible worlds conception of propositions, it faces a problem with the attitudes. The first part of my dissertation is a defense of Booleanism. In the latter parts of my dissertation, I go on to use an abductive approach to address further problems that arise when we attempt construct general theories of propositions, properties and relations, focusing in particular on the theory of logical form, the theory of representation and the theory of explanation.  <b>Committee</b> Daniel Nolan (advisor), Jeff Speaks (advisor), Brian Cutter, Jc Beall, Christopher Shields  <b>Defense Date</b> June 15, 2020
PUBLICATIONS	Forthcoming “Indefinite Extensibility and the Principle of Sufficient Reason.” <i>Philosophical Studies</i> .
UNDER REVIEW	“Two Theories of Form” “Unity and Application” “Phenomenal Properties are Luminous Properties” “Structure is not an Aim of Belief”

PRESENTATIONS	November, 2019	“Booleanism and Belief,” at Propositions, Reference and Meaning: the Philosophy of Scott Soames, Institute of Philosophy Bratislava, Slovak Academy of Sciences.
	October 2019	“The Metaphysics of Form,” at Notre Dame Graduate Student Colloquium, University of Notre Dame.
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Fall 2020	Instructor of Record, <i>Ethical Theory</i> . University of Notre Dame.
	Spring 2019	Instructor of Record, <i>Minds, Brains and Persons</i> . University of Notre Dame.
	Spring 2018	Teaching Assistant, <i>Introduction to Philosophy</i> , w/ Jeff Speaks, University of Notre Dame.
	Fall 2016	Teaching Assistant, <i>Introduction to Philosophy</i> , w/ Jeff Speaks, University of Notre Dame.
SERVICE	2018-20	Organizer of metaphysics reading group, University of Notre Dame.
	2016-20	Co-founder and co-organizer of Notre Dame’s graduate student colloquium, University of Notre Dame.
	2018-20	Graduate student mentor, University of Notre Dame.
	2017	Graduate student member of the Philosophy Department Climate Committee, University of Notre Dame.
	2017	Designer and TA for Medieval Logic Course, University of Notre Dame.
	2016-17	Reviewer for Northwestern and Notre Dame graduate epistemology conference.