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AOS

Metaphysics (General Metaphysics, Social Metaphysics, Metametaphysics)

AOC

Ethics (esp. Bioethics or Applied Ethics, & metaphysical issues in ethics)

Education

2025 08 - Doctoral Student, Corcoran Dept. of Philosophy, University of Virginia Charlottesville, VA, USA

2023 08 - 24 09 MA in Bioethics, Ctr. for Bioethics, New York University

New York, NY, USA

"A Supervaluationist Theory of Moral Vagueness" (Thesis)

- Claudia Passos Ferreira (advisor), Daniel Fogal (second reader)

2019 09 – 23 06 BA in Philosophy, Sch. of Philosophy, Wuhan University

Wuhan, Hubei, P. R. China

"Weak Emergence-Based Non-Reductive Physicalism" (Thesis)

- Lian Cheng 程炼 (advisor), Xiaofei Liu 刘晓飞 (second reader)

Publications

Journal Articles (\times 2)

forth. Simulation & Manipulation: What Skepticism (Or Its Modern Variation) Teaches Us About Free Will. Episteme, 1-16.

Towards a Realist Shifty Semantic Account of Moral Vagueness. *Acta Analytica*, 40 (2): 229 – 249.

Talks & Conferences

Presentations [refereed = '†']

"The Weirdness of Group Minds"

• The Wanderlab Workshop (U.V.a.), 21 October 2025

"The New Emergence Theory of Collective Agency"

- † American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division (Workshop), 7–10 January 2026
- Social & Normative Philosophy Work-in-Progress Group (U.V.a.), 19 September 2025

Commentaries

- On "In Dialogue with Charles W. Mills: The Armenian Genocide and the Turkish Racial Contract" by Imge Oranli, APA Pacific 2026 (Colloquium), 8–12 April 2026
- On "News & Journalism: The Functional Theory" by C. J. Oswald, Morven Retreat hosted by Dept. of Philosophy, Uni. of Virginia, 27 September 2025

Awards & Grants

2025 – 26, University of Virginia Graduate Fellowship, \$36000

2023 – 24, New York University Bioethics Fellowship, \$15000

U.V.a. Department of Philosophy travel grants (multiple times), in total \$1600

Service to the Profession

Journal referee for Asian Journal of Philosophy, Dialogue, Kriterion

Chair of the colloquium session on "The Network View of Shared Intending" by Isabel Canfield (APA Eastern 2026)

Organizer for Uni. of Virginia's Metaphysics Reading Group, 2025

Graduate-level Coursework

Metaphysics & Epistemology (\times 4)

- Personal Identity (Trenton Merricks)
- Metaphysical Survey (Jordan MacKenzie)
- Topics in Epistemology (Ru Ye)
- Topics in Metaphysics (Lian Cheng)

Mind & Language (\times 2) [audited = ' \dagger ']

- Technophilosophy (David Chalmers & Matthew Liao)
- † Conceptual Engineering (Peter Finocchiaro)

Ethics, Social & Political (\times 11) [audited = '†']

- † Social Norms (Elizabeth Levinson)
- Autonomy, Capacity, & Consent (Daniel Fogal)
- End of Life (Stephanie Beardman)
- Advanced Introduction to Environmental Ethics (Jonathan Knutzen)
- Advanced Introduction to Public Health Ethics (Daniel Khokhar)
- Moral Indeterminacy (Matthew Liao)
- Research Ethics (Claudia Passos Ferreira)
- Justice in Health & Health Care (Daniel Khokhar)
- Advanced Introduction to Bioethics (Daniel Khokhar)
- Collective Agency (Peter Finocchiaro)
- Moral Responsibility (Xiaofei Liu)

Science & Logic (\times 2)

- First Order Logic (Guozhen Shen)
- Symbolic Logic (Ming Xu)

History ($\times 1$)

• Animal Minds (Walter Ott)

Miscellaneous

Traditional Chinese name: "溫朝輝" (繁體); Simplified Chinese name: "温朝辉" (简体) Demographic information: Born in Chengdu, Sichuan, P. R. China, Chinese nationality Languages: Chinese (contemporary & classic; native), English (advanced), German (above fair) Trivial skills (all advanced): ⓐ, ⑤, [4], [7], [8], [7], [6], [7], [6], [7], [8], [1]

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