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Areas of Specialization

Metaphysics, Philosophy of mind

Areas of Competence

Cognitive science, Philosophy of language, Philosophy of science, Ethics

Employment

Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, Creighton University (2017–Present)

Lecturer, Department of Philosophy, University of Arizona (2014–2017)

Education

Ph.D., University of Arizona: Philosophy. 2013

Dissertation: *Causing and Contributing*

Committee: L. A. Paul and Carolina Sartorio (chairs), Terry Horgan, Michael McKenna

B.A., Macalester College: Philosophy, Psychology, Computer Science (minor). 2002

Publications

“Taking stock of regularity theories of causation” (2021) *Philosophy Compass*, in press.

“Regularity as a form of constraint” (2016) *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* 94: 170–186.

“Causal contribution and causal exclusion” (2014) *Philosophers’ Imprint* 14: 1–16.

Selected presentations

“Adverbialism about dispositions”

American Philosophical Association (Central), February 2020

Central States Philosophical Association, October 2018

“How to be a Humean about non-Humean dispositions”

American Philosophical Association (Pacific), April 2017

Central States Philosophical Association, October 2016

Mountain Plains Philosophy Conference, October 2016

Pittsburgh Area Philosophy Colloquium, September 2016

“Causes, absences, and the case of the thirsty traveler”

Seminar series, Creighton University, December 2018

Seminar series, Institute for Economic Inquiry at Creighton University, November 2018

“Can dualism escape the causal exclusion problem?”

Lewis University, February 2012

“The trouble with intimacy”

Macalester College, October 2010

Symposium comments on Brian Hanley’s “What caused the Bhopal disaster?”

American Philosophical Association (Central), February 2019

Comments on Landon Elkind’s “For inclusive logic”

Central States Philosophical Association, October 2016

Comments on Elanor Taylor’s “Collapsing emergence,”

American Philosophical Association (Eastern), December 2011

Comments on Paul Audi’s “Freedom, backtrackers, and the fixity of the past,”

American Philosophical Association (Pacific), April 2009

Comments on Daniel Z. Korman’s “A new solution to the grounding problem,”

American Philosophical Association (Pacific), April 2008

Teaching

Creighton University

Philosophy of Mind (PHL 424)

Metaphysics (PHL 342)

Philosophical Ethics (PHL 270)

University of Arizona

Metaphysics (PHIL 440)

Minds and morals (PHIL/PSY 348)

Minds, brains, and computers (PHIL/PSY 346)

Healthcare ethics (CHS 309)

Consciousness and cognition (PHIL/PSY 241)

Science and inquiry (PHIL 160D3)

Philosophical perspectives on society (PHIL 150C1)

Introduction to philosophy (PHIL 111)

Logic and critical thinking (PHIL 110)

Professional Service

Referee for Acta Analytica, Analysis, European Journal for the Philosophy of Science, Journal of Philosophical Research, Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, Philosophical Papers.

Departmental Service

Faculty advisor to Phi Sigma Tau honor society (2018 – present), Organizer for the Midwest Undergraduate Philosophy Conference (2018, 2019)

Professional Associations

American Philosophical Association

References

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