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Citizenship: US & Finland

Specializations Normative ethics, social and political philosophy, applied ethics, bioethics, ethics of

technology

Competences Metaethics, metaphysics, introductory logic

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT Stanford University

Postdoctoral Fellow

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EDUCATION London School of Economics

Ph.D., Philosophy, July 2019 (Passed without corrections)

Thesis: Matters of Life and Death Supervisor: Michael Otsuka

Examiners: Jeff McMahan (Oxford) & Véronique Munoz-Dardé (UCL/Berkeley)

M.Phil., Philosophy, Aug. 2016

Oxford University

M.Phil., Political Theory, 2013–2015 (Distinction)

Thesis awarded the highest mark ever given for the degree [83]

University College Maastricht

B.A. Liberal Arts & Sciences, 2010–2013 (Summa cum laude)

PEER-REVIEWED
PUBLICATIONS

"Non-Compensable Harms." Analysis 79 (2019), pp. 222–230.

"Not All Killings Are Equally Wrong." Utilitas 31 (2019), pp. 378-394.

WORK IN PROGRESS

A paper on compensation (Revise and resubmit at Law and Philosophy)

A paper on the rationality of future bias (Revise and resubmit at Ergo)

JOURNAL EDITING

AWARDS

Special Issue of *Philosophical Studies* on AI and Normative Theory (as co-editor)

Students' Union Teaching Prize, LSE 2019

John Watkins Memorial Prize, LSE 2017

- Awarded biennially for best work by a graduate student in philosophy

Highly Commended Teacher Award, LSE 2017

Departmental Award for Excellence in Class Teaching, LSE 2016

	St Edmund Hall, University of Oxford	2015
Γeaching Experience	Contemporary Moral Problems (Spring) Stanford University	2020-21
	Modules: Normative ethics Practical ethics Political philosophy	
	Average student evaluation score: $4.86/5$	
	Contemporary Moral Problems (Spring) Stanford University	2019–20
	Modules: Normative ethics Practical ethics Political philosophy	
	Average student evaluation score: 4.86/5	
	Highest-rated Philosophy course at Stanford in 2019–20.	
	Philosophy, Morals, and Politics (academic year) London School of Economics	2018–19
	Modules: Normative ethics Political philosophy	
	Average student evaluation score: $4.94/5$	
	Philosophy, Morals, and Politics (academic year) London School of Economics	2016–17
	Modules: Normative ethics Metaethics	
	Political philosophy	
	Average student evaluation score: $4.90/5$	
	Reason, Knowledge, and Values (academic year) London School of Economics	2015–16
	Modules: Metaphysics Epistemology Philosophy of mind Applied ethics	
	Average student evaluation score: $4.74/5$	
Refereed Presentations	"Was I Born Too Late?" NYU Center for Bioethics New York University	2021
	"Acting, Programming, and Programming to Act" Stanford HAI Weekly Seminar Stanford University	2020
	"Partial Aggregation and Deontic Cyclicity" Stanford Ethics Workshop Stanford University	2020

"Self-Defense as Preemptive Compensation" University of Groningen	2020
"Proportionate Compensation and Proportionate Stanford Political Theory Workshop Stanford University	Defense" 2019
"Occupant-Favoring Autonomous Vehicles" HAI Monthly Community Reception Stanford University	2019
"Automated Harming" Stanford HAI Weekly Seminar Stanford University	2019
"A Fate Worse than Death" International Association for the Philosophy of Death and Dying Biennial Conference Uppsala University	2018
"What's Wrong with Killing?" REAPP conference University of Reading	2018
Invited comments on Kaplan's "How to Make a R 15th Annual London/Berkeley Philosophy Confere UC California, Berkeley	
"Moral Luck and Authorship" Braga Meetings on Ethics and Political Philosophy University of Minho	2017 y IX
"Are All Killings Equally Wrong?" LSE Choice Group London School of Economics	2017
"Why Luck Egalitarians Should Support Equality Outcome in Policy" Workshop on Risk and Responsibility London School of Economics	of 2016
"Responsibility for the Right Reasons" Oxford Political Theory Workshop University of Oxford	2015
Michael Otsuka Professor of Philosophy London School of Economics	m.h.otsuka@lse.ac.uk
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REFERENCES

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