

# Curriculum Vitae

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## Areas of Specialization

Kant, Ethics

## Areas of Competence

Social and Political Philosophy, Philosophy of Law, Early Modern Philosophy, Philosophy of Feminism, Bioethics, Applied Ethics

## Academic Appointments

Post Doctoral Fellow, New Narratives in the History of Philosophy in the Department of Philosophy at Simon Fraser University, 2016-2017

Lecturer, University of Toronto, Scarborough Campus, July 1, 2012-June 30, 2015

## Education

PhD, Department of Philosophy, University of Toronto, 2016

Dissertation: *Kant's Hypothetical Imperative*

Committee: Sergio Tenenbaum (supervisor), Arthur Ripstein, Philip Clark

BA, Michigan State University, with Honors, 2002

Honors College: Philosophy

## Awards and Fellowships

Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Dienst, Scholarship, July/August 2010

University of Toronto Graduate Fellowship, Fall 2003-Summer 2009

George Paxton Young Memorial Prize, University of Toronto, 2004

Ellie Wiesel Prize in Ethics, "If This is a Man," Honorable Mention, Ellie Wiesel Foundation for Humanity, 2001

Jewish Studies Award, Michigan State University, 2001

Martin Benjamin and Bruce Miller Award, Michigan State University, 1999

## Publications

"A Kantian Conception of 'Kantian' Freedom". In *Kantian Freedom*, ed. D. Heide and E. Tiffany (Oxford University Press, forthcoming)

## Conference Papers, Professional Workshops

Commentary on *The War Against Animals* (Brill: 2015) by Dinesh Joseph Wadiwel (University of Western Sydney), Decolonizing Critical Animal Studies, Crippling Critical Animal Studies Conference, sponsored by the Faculty of Arts, the Faculty of Native Studies, and the Department of Women's and Gender Studies at the University of Alberta, June 2016

“A Kantian Conception of “Kantian” Freedom, Kantian Freedom Conference, Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, October 4, 2014

“A Problem With the Wide-Scope View,” American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, Atlanta, December 2012

Commentary on “The Complete Object of Practical Knowledge”, by Stephen Engstrom (Pittsburgh). University of Toronto’s CPAMP Workshop in Hylomorphism, Nov 2012

“A Problem With the Wide-Scope View,” Workshop in Practical Ethics: *Practical Ethics in Question?*, sponsored by the Canadian Friends of Hebrew University, Hebrew University, Israel, April 22, 2010

“Why Kant Did Not Say That: or, On the Value of Acting *Solely* From the Motive of Duty,” Canadian Philosophical Association Annual Meeting, Congress of the Social Sciences and Humanities, University of British Columbia, June 1, 2008

“Adorno, Habermas, and the Limits of Enlightenment,” (coauthored with Michael Reno), Twenty-First International Social Philosophy Conference, sponsored by the North American Society for Social Philosophy, Creighton University, July 31, 2004

### Teaching Experience (at the University of Toronto)

#### *Full Responsibility*

##### **Introductory courses**

Introduction to Political Philosophy, Introduction to Early Modern Philosophy, Social Issues, Ethics, Biomedical Ethics

##### **Upper year courses**

Political Philosophy, Topics in Political Philosophy, Issues in Philosophy of Law, Topics in Ethical Theory, Death and Dying

#### *Teaching Assistant*

##### **Introductory Courses**

Introduction to Political Philosophy, Feminist Philosophy, Introduction to Continental Philosophy, Law and Morality, Philosophy of Sexuality, Bioethics, Environmental Ethics, Introduction to Ethics, Introduction to Philosophy

##### **Upper year courses**

Marx and Marxism, Social and Cultural Theory, Issues in Philosophy of Law, Global Bioethics, Ethics Genetics and Reproduction, Ethics and Mental Health, Death and Dying

#### *Guest Lecturer*

Feminist Philosophy: “Ecofeminism and Environmental Ethics,” March 27, 2009  
Seminar in Moral and Political Philosophy, as part of the Seminar Series in Philosophy at University of Toronto, Mississauga Campus: “The Nature of Rationality,” March 9, 2011

#### *Undergraduate Philosophy Essay Clinic*

Essay Clinician, Fall 2009

## Research Assistance

Research and Editorial Assistant for Ian Hacking, Fall 2009  
Research Assistant for Sergio Tenenbaum, Fall 2010-Winter 2011  
Research Assistant for Andrew Sepielli, Fall 2011

## Professional Service

Faculty Liaison for the Association of Philosophy Students, University of Toronto, Scarborough Campus, July 1, 2014-June 30, 2014  
Academic Affairs Committee Member, University of Toronto, Scarborough Campus, November 2013-June 2014  
Graduate Associate at the Center for Ethics, University of Toronto, January 2011- August 2013  
Seminar Series in Philosophy, Graduate Student Organizer, University of Toronto, Mississauga Campus, September 2010-April 2011  
Co-President, Graduate Philosophy Student Union (GPSU), Department of Philosophy, University of Toronto, June 1, 2007-May 30, 2008  
Orientation Chair, Graduate Philosophy Student Union (GPSU), Department of Philosophy, University of Toronto, June 1, 2007-May 30, 2008  
Graduate Student Union Steward Department of Philosophy, University of Toronto, September 1, 2003-August 31, 2004, and September 1, 2006-August 31, 2007  
Grievance Committee Member for CUPE 3902, September 1, 2006-August 31, 2007  
University of Toronto Annual Graduate Philosophy Conference, 2005: Referee

## Languages

German

Goethe Certificate B2, Goethe Institute, Berlin, Germany, 2010

## References

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Dr. Philip Clark, Associate Professor of Philosophy, University of Toronto  
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