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Curriculum Vitae

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AREA OF SPECIALIZATION

Metaphilosophy, philosophy of language, ordinary language philosophy, history of analytic philosophy, Wittgenstein

AREAS OF COMPETENCE

Technology ethics, ethics, logic, history and philosophy of science and mathematics, history of philosophy

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

- *Adjunct Lecturer*, Philosophy, Southern Methodist University, Texas, USA
- *Adjunct Assistant Professor*, Philosophy, University of Texas at Arlington, Texas, USA

EDUCATION

- **PhD**, University of Sydney, Australia. Dissertation: '*Ordinary Language Philosophy: Foundations for a Use-Theory of Meaning*'. Supervisor: Professor Stephen Gaukroger. Assessment panel: Professor Alexander Miller, Professor Drew Khlentzos, Dr. David Macarthur. 2006
- Visiting Student, Department of Linguistics & Philosophy, MIT, Cambridge, USA. 2005
- **M.A. (equivalent)**, University of Sydney, coursework component of Ph.D. 1998
- **B. Arts (First Class Honors)** (Major in Philosophy), University of Melbourne, Australia. Dissertation: '*Kant and Wittgenstein on the Objective Validity of Rule-Following*'. Supervisor: Professor Barry Taylor. 1996

PUBLICATIONS

- 'Linguistic Analysis: Ayer & Ordinary Language Philosophy' in *The Historical and Philosophical Significance of Ayer's Language, Truth, and Logic*, History of Analytic Philosophy Series, (Ed.) Adam Tamas Tuboly, Palgrave Macmillan, 2020, ISBN-13: 978-3030508838
- Introduction to section on 'Ordinary Language Philosophy', (Ed.) Joachim Horvath, *Methods in Analytic Philosophy: A Contemporary Reader*, Bloomsbury Publishing: London. (Forthcoming) ISBN-978-1474228206
- 'Ordinary Language Philosophy', *Internet Encyclopedia of Philosophy*: <http://www.iep.utm.edu/ord-lang/> (2012)
- 'Reconsidering Ordinary Language Philosophy: Malcolm's (Moore's) Ordinary Language Argument', *Essays in Philosophy*, Vol. 11: Iss. 2. Available at: <http://commons.pacificu.edu/eip/vol11/iss2/> (2010)

- 'The Ordinary Language Argument & Norms of Meaning' in *Aurora: the Journal of the City University of New York Graduate Center*, Proceedings of the Ninth Annual Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, CUNY, New York, USA:
<http://ojs.gc.cuny.edu/index.php/aurora/issue/view/6> (2006)

TEACHING

2018 - Current: *Adjunct Lecturer at Southern Methodist University, Texas, USA.*

- Technology, Society, and Value
- Introduction to Philosophy
- Contemporary Moral Problems

2014 - Current: *Adjunct Assistant Professor at the University of Texas at Arlington, Texas, USA.*

- History and Philosophy of Science and Mathematics
- Introduction to Philosophy
- Contemporary Moral Problems
- 2017: *Online Curriculum Development*: Developing the Department of Philosophy's first online course offering: Introduction to Philosophy (In partnership with The Center For Distance Education, The University of Arlington, and the Quality Matters organization).
- Intro to Philosophy

2013 – Current: *Online Instructor at Houston Community College, Houston, Texas, USA.*

- Intro to Ethics
- Intro to Philosophy

1996 – 2001: *Teaching Assistant at the University of Sydney, Australia.*

- Formal Logic
- Origins of Analytic Philosophy
- Metaphysics
- Epistemology

CONFERENCE PAPERS (INVITED)

'Verbal Disputes, Ordinary Language, and Revisionary Metaphysics'

- *The Contemporary Significance of Ordinary Language Philosophy*, IV symposium of the International Ludwig Wittgenstein Society and the IV symposium of the Nordic Wittgenstein Society, Åbo Akademi University, Turku, Finland (<http://www.nordicwittgensteinsociety.org/>). 2013

CONFERENCE PAPERS (PEER REVIEWED)

'Verbal Disputes & Disagreements about Meaning'

- *66th Annual Conference for the New Mexico-Texas Philosophical Society*, March 27-March 29, Houston Texas, USA. (Paper accepted, but unable to attend), 2015

'Ordinary Language Revisited'

- *Ordinary Language, Linguistics and Philosophy Conference*, ARCHÉ Philosophical Research Centre for Logic, Language, Metaphysics and Epistemology, University of St Andrews, Scotland, UK. 2011

'Semantics, Pragmatics and Normative Constraints on Meaning'

- *Context-dependence, Perspective and Relativity in Language and Thought Conference*, Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris, France. 2007
- *ESPP 2007: 15th Annual Meeting of the European Society for Philosophy and Psychology*, University of Geneva, Switzerland. 2007

'The Ordinary Language Argument & Norms of Meaning'

- *Ninth Annual Graduate Student Philosophy Conference*, City University of New York (CUNY) Graduate Center, New York, USA. 2006
- University of Missouri in St Louis Graduate Philosophy Conference, St Louis, Missouri, USA. 2006

'Meaning, Use & Semantic Content'

- *Meeting on Pragmatism: Inference and Agency*, Department of Philosophy, University of Granada, Spain. (Unable to attend), 2006

'On Referring to Semantic Content'

- *The Joint Sessions of the Aristotelian Society and the Mind Association*, Open Sessions, University of Southampton, UK. (Unable to attend), 2006

OTHER PAPERS PRESENTED

'Ordinary Language, Verbal Disputes, and Revisionary Metaphysics'

- Southern Methodist University, Department of Philosophy, Work-In-Progress Series. 2011

'Semantics, Pragmatics, and Norms of Meaning'

- Staff Colloquium, Department of Philosophy, Monash University, Australia. 2007

'The Ordinary Language Argument & Norms of Meaning'

- Australasian Association of Philosophy Conference, Australian National University, Canberra, Australia. 2006

'Meaning & Use'

- Australasian Association of Philosophy Conference, University of Adelaide, Australia. 2003

'Ordinary Language & Philosophical Analysis'

- Australasian Association of Philosophy Conference, University of Melbourne, Australia. 1999

'Truth & Disquotatation'

- Faculty Colloquium, Department of Philosophy, University of Sydney, Australia. 1996

SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS & PRIZES

Logic Summer School Fellowship, Research School of Information Science and Engineering (Automated Reasoning Project), Australian National University, Australia. 1998

Australian Postgraduate Award (full tuition and living allowance for graduate candidature), University of Sydney, Australia. 1996

Laurie Prize (Major) in Pure Honors class of 1995, Department of Philosophy, University of Melbourne. 1995

Brenda Judge Prize for Third Year essay in Philosophy 3 (Pure Honors program), Department of Philosophy, University of Melbourne. 1994

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- **Commentator**: Southern Society for Philosophy & Psychology Annual Conference
- **Submission reviewer** for *The Croatian Journal of Philosophy*, The Philosophy Documentation Center.
- **Submission reviewer** for *Philosophical Psychology*, Taylor & Francis.
- **Submission reviewer** for *The Internet Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, www.iep.utm.edu