

Curriculum Vitae

Notarization. I have read the following and certify that this *curriculum vitae* is a current and accurate statement of my professional record.

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I. Personal Information

I.A. UID, Last Name, First Name, Middle Name, Contact Information

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I.B. Academic Appointments at UMD

Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy (09/24/2017-present)
Lecturer, Department of Philosophy (08/06/2017-09/24/2017)

I.E Educational Background

September 2011- September 2017
Ph.D in Philosophy, New York University
September 2008-July 2010:
B.Phil in Philosophy, Somerville College, Oxford University
September 2005-July 2008
B.A. (Hons) in Philosophy, Politics and Economics, Merton College, Oxford University

I.G. Professional Certifications, Licenses, and Memberships

Member of the American Philosophical Association

II. Research, Scholarly, Creative and/or Professional Activities

II.B. Chapters

II.B.1 Books

"The Package Deal Account of Naturalness", *Humean Laws for Human Agents*, edited by Michael Hicks, Siegfried Jaag, and Christian Loew, Oxford University Press, in press

II.B.2 Collections

"Moral Necessitism and Scientific Contingentism", *Oxford Studies in Metaethics, Volume 19*, edited by Russ Shafer-Landau, Oxford University Press, in press

"Nomothetic Explanation and Humeanism about Laws of Nature", *Oxford Studies in Metaphysics Volume 12*, edited by Karen Bennett and Dean Zimmerman, Oxford University Press 2021

II.C. Refereed Journals

II.C.1. Refereed Journal Articles

"What Chance Doesn't Know" (with Michael Townsen Hicks), *Journal of Philosophy*, in press (equal contribution with co-author at all stages of the process)

"Moral Principle Explanations of Supervenience", *Philosophical Studies*, in press

"What's the Coincidence in Debunking?", *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*, in press

"Humean Nomic Essentialism" (with Zee R Perry), *Noûs* 57 (1): 81-99. 2023 (equal contribution with co-author at all stages of the process)

"On Unexplained (Modal) Patterns", *Erkenntnis*, 2022 (online first), 1-18

"Difference-making and Deterministic Chance", *Philosophical Studies*, 178 (7): 2215-2235. 2021

"Induction and the Glue of the World", *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* 99 (2): 319-333. 2021

"Humeanism about Laws of Nature", *Philosophy Compass*, 15 (8): 1-10. 2020

"Coincidences and the Grain of Explanation", *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*, 100 (3): 677-694. 2020

"Minimal Anti-Humeanism" *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, 95 (3): 447-460. 2017

"What the Humean Should Say About Entanglement" (with Zee R Perry), *Noûs*, 51 (1): 74-94. 2017 (equal contribution with co-author at all stages of the process)

II.E. Conferences, Workshops, and Talks

II.E.2. Invited Talks

"Does Anything Explain the Regularity of the World?", *HPS Seminar*, University of Leeds, 2023

"Moral Necessitism and Scientific Contingentism", *SPAWN Conference*, Syracuse University, 2023

"Does Anything Explain the Regularity of the World?", *Laws of Nature Workshop*, Johns Hopkins University, 2023

"Moral Necessitism and Scientific Contingentism", *Princeton Metaphysics Workshop*, Princeton University, 2023

"Moral Necessitism and Scientific Contingentism", *FraMEPhys Speaker Series*, University of Birmingham, 2022

"Humean Nomic Essentialism", *FraMEPhys Workshop on Humean Approaches to Entanglement*, University of Birmingham, 2021

"Strikingness", *Colloquium*, University of Sheffield, 2020

"Strikingness", *Balter Distinguished Lecture*, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, 2020

"Does Anything Explain the Regularity of the World?", *Bloomington Metaphysics Bootcamp*, University of Indiana, Bloomington, 2020

Two Conceptions of Explanation and Patterns that Need to be Explained, *FraMEPhys Workshop on Grounding and the Laws of Nature*, University of Birmingham, 2019

"Induction and the Glue of the World", *Harvard Workshop on Humean Laws*, Harvard University, 2019

II.E.3. Refereed Presentations

"Moral Necessitism and Scientific Contingentism", *Madison Metaethics Workshop*, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2022

"Coincidences and the Grain of Explanation", *Committee for the History and Philosophy of Science Annual Conference*, University of Colorado, Boulder, 2018

"Coincidences and the Grain of Explanation", *Vancouver Summer Philosophy Conference*, University of British Columbia, 2018

"Minimal anti-Humeanism", *Philosophy of Science Association Biennial Meeting*, Atlanta, Georgia, 2016

"Three Dimensions of Explanatory Goodness", *British Society for the Philosophy of Science Annual Conference*, University of Manchester, 2015

"The Metaphysical and the Scientific: One Weird Trick for Defending Humeanism about Laws of Nature", *Society for the Metaphysics of Science Annual Conference*, Rutgers University, Newark, 2015

"The Metaphysical and the Scientific: One Weird Trick for Defending Humeanism about Laws of Nature", Midsummer Philosophy Workshop, University of Edinburgh, 2015

"Chance and Explanation: Why the New Principle is false", *British Society for the Philosophy of Science Annual Conference*, University of Cambridge, 2014

"The Chancy Past", *Princeton-Rutgers Graduate Conference in Philosophy*, Rutgers University

II.E.16. Other

Comments on Kenneth Boyce's "The Fine-Tuning Argument against the Multiverse", *Central Division Meeting of the APA*, Denver, 2023

Comments on Tyler Hildebrand's "Best Systems: Metaphysical or Epistemological", *Society for the Metaphysics of Science Annual Conference*, University of Toronto, 2019

Comments on Zoe Ashton's "Explanation by Effect: Regression to the Mean and Causation", Pacific Division Meeting of the APA, Vancouver, 2019

Comments on Alex Kaiserman's "Normative Causation", *NYU-Columbia Graduate Conference in Philosophy*, Columbia University, 2014

II.P. Research Fellowships, Prizes and Awards

Sanders Prize in Metaphysics (\$10,000 essay prize awarded for 'Nomothetic Explanation and Humeanism about Laws of Nature'), 2018

NSF Travel Grant, 2016

Mellon Dissertation Completion Fellowship, 2016-17

New York University Travel Grant, 2014-2015

Scholarship, Rotman Institute in the Foundations of Statistical Mechanics, 2013

MacCracken Dissertation Fellowship, New York University, 2011-16

Research Preparation Masters Award, Arts and Humanities Research Council, UK, 2008-2010

Graduate Scholarship in Philosophy, Oxford University Faculty of Philosophy/Somerville College, 2008-2010

Exhibition, Merton College, Oxford, 2006-2008

III. **Teaching, Extension, Mentoring, and Advising**
III.A. Courses Taught

PHIL205: Are Sports Ethical, Spring 2023, 75 Students

PHIL364: Metaphysics, Spring 2023, 30 Students

PHIL205: Are Sports Ethical, 75 Students, Spring 2022

PHIL808: Seminar in Metaphysics: The Metaphysics of Laws and Chance (Graduate Seminar)
6 Students, Spring 2022

PHPE402: PPE Capstone: Philosophy of Economics, Fall 2022 21 Students

PHIL250 — Philosophy of Science: 30 Students, Fall 2022

PHIL364: Metaphysics, Spring 2021, 30 Students

PHPE402: PPE Capstone: Philosophy of Economics, Spring 2021, 21 students

PHIL205: Are Sports Ethical, Fall 2020 75 Students

PHIL453: Philosophy of Science II, Fall 2020, 12 Students

PHIL364: Metaphysics, Spring 2020, 30 students

PHIL808J: Seminar in Metaphysics: Reading “New Work...” (Graduate Seminar), Spring 2020,
6 Students

PHIL364: Metaphysics, Spring 2019, 30 Students

PHIL209G: Philosophical Issues: Philosophy and Sports, Spring 2019, 30 Students

PHIL453: Philosophy of Science II, Fall 2018, 14 Students

HONR229E: Are Sports Ethical, Fall 2018, 20 Students

PHIL808F: Varieties of Explanation (Graduate Seminar). Spring 2018, 4 Students

PHIL250H: Philosophy of Science I, Fall 2017, 15 Students

III.B.

Teaching Innovations

III.B.1.

Major Programs Established

Member of the committee that established a new major in Philosophy, Politics and Economics, starting in Fall 2019. I was involved in planning the structure of the major, deciding which classes should be part of the major, what learning outcomes we were aiming for, and so on.

III.B.6. Course or Curriculum Development

Developed, and got approved, a novel I-series honors seminar in the philosophy of sport, and a similar course in the philosophy department.

Developed new courses in Metaphysics, Introductory Philosophy of Science, Advanced Philosophy of Science and Philosophy of Economics.

III.C. Advising: Research or Clinical
III.C.1. Undergraduate

Honors thesis Advisor:

Eunice Cho 2019-2020

Ariel Levchenko 2019-2020

Thomas McEvoy Zafiropulos 2019-2020

Madeline Naumann 2022-2023

III.C.2 Doctoral

Ph.D Committee Member:

Moonyoung Song, 2018-2019, Assistant Professor, National University of Singapore

Kyley Ewing, 2017-2020, Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Regina

Michael Dascal, 2018-2021, Quantum Product Manager at Fidelity

Kal Kalewold, 2019-2021, Assistant Professor, University of Leeds

Shen Pan, 2019-2023

Chris Masciari 2020-2023, Post-Doctoral fellow at The University of Texas, Houston, MD
Anderson Cancer Center.

III.E. Advising: Other than Directed Research
III.E.3. Doctoral

Director of Placement/Professional Development – Advising doctoral students on applying for academic jobs and on professional development (publishing, conferences, etc.) 2017-present

IV. Service and Outreach

IV.A. Editorships, Editorial Boards, and Reviewing Activities

IV.A.3. Reviewing Activities for Journals and Presses

Referee for: Philosophical Studies (x6), Australasian Journal of Philosophy (x8), Synthese (x13), Analysis (x2), Philosophical Quarterly (x4), Mind (x3), Philosophy Compass (x4), Erkenntnis (x7), Ergo (x3), Nous (x3), Oxford University Press, British Journal for the Philosophy of Science

IV.A.5. Reviewing Activities for Conferences

Member of the Program Committee, British Society for the Philosophy of Science Annual Conference 2019-2022

IV.B. Committees, Professional & Campus Service

IV.B.1. Campus Service – Department

2022-2023

Member for a search committee for two positions (one assistant level, around 240 applicants, one associate level, around 70 applicants).

Graduate Placement/Professional Development Director

Salary Committee

2021-2022

Graduate Placement/Professional Development Director

2020-2021

Graduate Placement/Professional Development Director

Salary Committee

2019-2020

PhD Admissions Committee

Salary Committee

Graduate Placement/Professional Development Director

PPE Major committee

2018-2019:

Graduate Placement/Professional Development Director

Ph.D Admissions Committee

Post Tenure Review Committee

PPE Major Committee

2017-2018

PPE Major committee

Strategic Plan committee

Graduate Placement/Professional Development Committee

PhD. Admissions Committee
Targeted Hire Committee

IV.B.2. Campus Service – College

ARHU Collegiate council, 2019-2022
ARHU Research Advisory Committee 2020-2023