

## Curriculum Vitae

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**Areas of Specialization:** Ancient Greek Philosophy, German Idealism, Phenomenology

### Academic Appointments:

2020-:	Graduate Faculty	University of Toronto (Institute for the History and Philosophy of Science)
2016-:	Adjunct Professor	Memorial University Newfoundland (Philosophy)
2015:	Visiting Scholar	Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla
<b>2006-:</b>	<b>Professor</b>	<b>University of Guelph (Philosophy)</b>
2003-2006:	Associate Professor	University of Guelph (Philosophy)
2001-2002:	Visiting Scholar	University of Toronto, (Philosophy)
1999-2003:	Associate Professor	Pennsylvania State University, (Philosophy)
1998:	Research Associate	Stony Brook University, (Philosophy)
1995-1999:	Assistant Professor	Pennsylvania State University (Philosophy)
1993-1995:	Assistant Professor	Acadia University, (Philosophy)
1992-1993:	Assistant Professor	University of Toronto, (Philosophy)
1990-1992:	Post-Doctoral Fellow	Harvard University (Classics)

### Other Positions:

2003-:	Director, Toronto Summer Seminar in Philosophy
2011-:	Editor, <i>Rereading Ancient Philosophy</i> Series, Northwestern University Press
2002-2006	Executive Committee, Hegel Society of America

### Education:

1990:	Ph.D. Philosophy	University of Toronto
1986:	M.A. Philosophy	University of Toronto
1985	B.A. Honours, with High Honours in Philosophy	University of Regina.

### Awards and Grants:

#### Awards:

2011:	Visiting Canadian Lecturer in India, Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute
2010:	Distinguished Professorial Teaching Award, University of Guelph Faculty Association
2006:	Presidential Distinguished Professor, University of Guelph
2005:	Book Prize for <i>Human Experience</i> , Broadview Press/Canadian Philosophical

## Association

### Grants:

- 2019-2022: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Insight Grant, (\$44,367)
- 2017-2019: Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute, Collaborative Research Grant, (\$20,500)
- 2016-2017: Canadian Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences, Grant in Aid of Scholarly Publication (\$8000)
- 2012-2015: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Insight Grant, (\$45,706)
- 2009-2012: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Standard Research Grant, (\$27,445)
- 2006: University of Guelph, Research Enhancement Grant, (\$5000)
- 2005: University of Guelph, Conference Grant, (\$3000)
- 2003: University of Guelph, Conference Grant, (\$1800)
- 2002: Penn State University, Conference Grant, (\$2000)
- 2000: Machette Foundation, Conference Grant, (\$1000)
- 2000: Penn State University, Conference Grant, (\$3000)
- 1999: Schreyer Honors College, Course Enhancement Grant, (\$225)
- 1998: Penn State University, Conference Grant, (\$1500)
- 1998: Institute for Arts and Humanistic Studies, Conference Grant, (\$1500)
- 1997: Canadian Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences, Grant in Aid of Scholarly Publication, (\$8000)
- 1996: Penn State University, Conference Grant, (\$1500)
- 1995: Acadia University, Research Award, (\$1800)
- 1994: Acadia University, Research Award, (\$760)
- 1990-1992: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Post-Doctoral Fellowship (\$44,000)

### Publications:

#### Books:

##### Authored:

- (8) *Politics, Money and Persuasion: Democracy and Opinion in Plato's Republic*. (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2021)
- (7) *Adult Life: Aging, Responsibility, and the Pursuit of Happiness*. (Albany: State University of New York Press, 2020).
- (6) *Sites of Exposure: Art, Politics, and the Nature of Experience*. (Bloomington and Indianapolis: Indiana University Press, 2017).
- (5) *Infinite Phenomenology: The Lessons of Hegel's Science of Experience*. (Evanston: Northwestern University Press, 2016).
- (4) *Bearing Witness to Epiphany: Persons, Things, and the Nature of Erotic Life*. (Albany: State University of New York Press, 2009).
- (3) *Reading Hegel's Phenomenology*. (Bloomington and Indianapolis: Indiana University Press, 2004).
- (2) *Human Experience: Philosophy, Neurosis, and the Elements of Everyday Life*. (Albany: State University of New York Press, 2003).
- (1) *The Self and its Body in Hegel's Phenomenology of Spirit*. (Toronto: University of

- Toronto Press,1997).
- Edited:
- (5) *Teaching in Unequal Societies*, co-edited with Siby K. George and Pravesh Jung. (New Delhi: Bloomsbury, 2020).
  - (4) *Perception and Its Development in Merleau-Ponty's Phenomenology*, co-edited with Kirsten Jacobson. (Toronto ON: University of Toronto Press, 2017).
  - (3) *Reexamining Socrates in the Apology*, co-edited with Patricia Fagan, (Evanston, IL: Northwestern University Press, 2009).
  - (2) *Retracing the Platonic Text*, co-edited with John Sallis, (Evanston, IL: Northwestern University Press, 2000).
  - (1) *Hegel and the Tradition: Essays in Honour of H.S. Harris*, co-edited with Michael Baur, (Toronto, ON: University of Toronto Press, 1997).

**Journal Articles:**

- (30) "To Account for the Appearances: Phenomenological Method and Existential Change in Aristotle and Plato," *Journal of the British Society for Phenomenology* 52 (2021): 155-68.
- (29) "Desire, Recognition and Freedom in Brandom, *A Spirit of Trust*," *Existenz* 15 (2020): 53-60.
- (28) "The Meaning of Health: Human Needs and the Philosophy of Medicine," *Anekaant* 10 (2019-20): 35-44.
- (27) "Personality as Equilibrium: Fragility and Plasticity in (Inter-)Personal Identity," *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*, 16 (2017): 623-35.
- (26) "The Limits of Money: Phenomenological Reflections on Selfhood and Value," *Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences*, 23 (2016): 55-70.
- (25) "Expressing Dwelling: Dewey and Hegel on Art as Cultural Self-Articulation," *Contemporary Pragmatism*, 12 (2015): 38-58.
- (24) "The Right to Become an Individual," *Anekaant* 3 (2015): 17-22.
- (23) "Between Two Intimacies: The Formative Contexts of Individual Experience," *Emotion, Space and Society*, 13 (2014): 65-70.
- (22) "Haunted By History: Merleau-Ponty, Hegel, and the Phenomenology of Pain," *Journal of Contemporary Thought*, (2013): 34-51.
- (21) "Self and Other in Hegel's *Phenomenology of Spirit*," *Journal of the Indian Council of Philosophical Research*, 28 (2011): 1-18.
- (20) "Emotional Subjects: Mood and Articulation in Hegel's *Philosophy of Mind*," *International Philosophical Quarterly*, 49 (2009): 41-52.
- (19) "The Self as Resolution: Heidegger, Derrida and the Intimacy of the Question of the Meaning of Being," *Research in Phenomenology*, 38 (2008): 90-110.
- (18) "Temporality and the Future of Philosophy in Hegel," *International Philosophical Quarterly*, 48 (2008):59-68.
- (17) "The Spatiality of Self-Consciousness: Originary Passivity in Kant, Merleau-Ponty and Derrida," *Chiasmi International*, 9 (2007): 219-232.
- (16) "Reading: Derrida in Hegel's Understanding," *Research in Phenomenology*, 36 (2006): 181-200.
- (15) "Merleau-Ponty and the New Science of the Soul," *Chiasmi International*, 8 (2006): 129-138.

- (14) "On Human Identity: The Intersubjective Path from Body to Mind," *Dialogue*, 45 (2006): 307-314.
- (13) "The Virtue of Stoicism: On First Principles in Philosophy and Life," *Dialogue*, 45 (2006): 347-354.
- (12) "The Elements of Everyday Life: Three Lessons from Ancient Greece," *Philosophy in the Contemporary World*, 13,2 (2006): 84-90.
- (11) "Erōs and Education: Plato's Transformative Epistemology," *Laval Théologique et Philosophique*, 56 (2000):113-125.
- (10) "The Metaphysics of Consciousness and the Hermeneutics of Social Life: Hegel's Phenomenological System," *Southern Journal of Philosophy* 36 (1998):81-101.
- (9) "Self-Consciousness and the Tradition in Aristotle's Psychology," *Laval Théologique et Philosophique*, 52 (1996):777-803.
- (8) "Aristotle's Animative Epistemology," *Idealistic Studies*, 25 (1995):241-253.
- (7) "Heidegger, Hegel and Ethnicity: The Ritual Basis of Self-Identity," *Southern Journal of Philosophy*, 33 (1995):509-532.
- (6) "Hermeneutics and Plato's *Ion*," *Clio*, 24 (1995):399-418.
- (5) "Embodiment and Responsibility: Merleau-Ponty and the Ontology of Nature," *Man and World*, 27 (1994):291-308.
- (4) "Reading and the Body in Hegel," *Clio* 22 (1993):321-336.
- (3) "Hegel's Phenomenology of Reason and Dualism," *Southern Journal of Philosophy*, 31 (1993):71-96.
- (2) "Selfhood, Conscience, and Dialectic in Hegel's *Phenomenology of Spirit*," *Southern Journal of Philosophy*, 29 (1991):533-550
- (1) "The AGON of Self-Consciousness: Ajax, Odysseus and Heroic KLEOS," *Ceres* 1 (1989):1-13.

### **Chapters in Books:**

- (34) "Hegel on Romantic Art and Modernity," in Stefan Bird-Pollan and Vladimir Marchenkov (eds), *Hegel's Political Aesthetics: Art in Modern Society*, (London/New York: Bloomsbury, 2020), pp 95-118.
- (33) "The Importance of a Philosophical Education in Contemporary Society: Dewey and the University Curriculum," in Siby George, Pravesh Jung and John Russon (eds), *Teaching in Unequal Societies*, (New Delhi: Bloomsbury, 2020), pp 3-21.
- (32) "Erōs and Eris: Love and Strife in Ancient Greek Thought and Culture," in Sean Kirkland and Eric Sanday (eds), *A Companion to Ancient Philosophy*, (Evanston: Northwestern University Press, 2018), pp 83-95.
- (31) "Existential Medicine and the Intersubjective Body," (co-authored with Kirsten Jacobson), in Kevin Aho (ed), *Existential Medicine: Essays on Health and Illness*, (London: Rowman and Littlefield, 2018), pp 191-204.
- (30) "Conscience, Religion and Multiculturalism: A Canadian Hegel," in Susan Dodd and Neil Robertson (eds), *Hegel and Canada: Unity of Opposites?*, (Toronto: University of Toronto Press: 2018), pp 88-99.
- (29) "Introduction: Perception and Its Development," (co-authored with Kirsten Jacobson), in Kirsten Jacobson and John Russon (eds), *Perception and Its Development in Merleau-Ponty's Phenomenology*, (Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2017), pp 3-21.

- (28) "Freedom and Passivity: Attention, Work and Language," Chapter 1 of Kirsten Jacobson and John Russon (eds), *Perception and Its Development in Merleau-Ponty's Phenomenology*, (Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2017), pp 25-39.
- (27) "Why Sexuality Matters," in Gary Foster (ed), *Desire, Love and Identity: A Textbook for the Philosophy of Sex and Love*, (Toronto: Oxford University Press, 2016), pp 38-48.
- (26) "Phenomenological Description and Artistic Expression," in Licia Carlson and Peter Costello (eds), *Phenomenology and the Arts*, (Lanham MD: Lexington Books, 2016), pp 3-24.
- (25) "The Body as Site of Action and Intersubjectivity in Fichte's *Foundations of Natural Right*," Chapter 8 of Gabriel Gottlieb (ed), *Fichte's Foundations of Natural Right: A Critical Guide*, (Cambridge University Press, 2016), pp 138-156.
- (24) "Subjectivity and Hermeneutics," in Niall Keane and Chris Lawn (eds), *Blackwell Companion to Hermeneutics*, (Blackwell, 2016), pp 205-211.
- (23) "Hegel and Hermeneutics," in Niall Keane and Chris Lawn (eds), *Blackwell Companion to Hermeneutics*, (Blackwell, 2016), pp 354-59.
- (22) "Self and Suffering in Buddhism and Phenomenology: Existential Pain, Compassion and the Problems of Institutional Healthcare," in Siby George and Pravesh Jung (eds), *Cultural Ontology of the Self in Pain*, (Springer, 2015), pp 181-196.
- (21) "On Secrets and Sharing: Hegel, Heidegger and Derrida on the Economics of the Public Sphere," in Divya Dwivedi and V. Sanil (eds), *Public Sphere Outside the West*, (New Delhi: Bloomsbury, 2015), pp 41-57.
- (20) "The Impossibilities of the I: Self, Memory, and Language in Merleau-Ponty and Derrida," in David Morris and Kym Maclaren (eds) *Time, Memory, Institution: Merleau-Ponty's New Ontology of Self*, (Athens: Ohio University Press, 2015), pp 91-105.
- (19) "Hegel and the Philosophy of Mind," in Michael Baur (ed), *Hegel: Key Concepts*, (New York and London: Routledge, 2014), pp 44-58.
- (18) "The Virtues of Agency: Phenomenological Reflections on Confidence, Courage and Creativity," in *Phenomenology and Virtue Ethics*, Kevin Hermberg and Paul Gyllenhammer (eds), (Bloomsbury, 2013), pp 165-179.
- (17) "Heidegger and Space: The Open in which We Sojourn," (co-authored with Kirsten Jacobson), *The Bloomsbury Companion to Heidegger*, Eric Nelson and François Raffoul (eds), (Bloomsbury, 2013), pp 345-352.
- (16) "Education in Plato's *Laws*," *Plato's Laws: Force and Truth in Politics*, Gregory Recco and Eric Sanday (eds), (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2013). pp 60-74.
- (15) "Desiring-Production and Spirit: On *Anti-Oedipus* and German Idealism," in *Hegel and Deleuze: Together Again for the First Time*, Jim Vernon and Karen Houle (eds), (Evanston: Northwestern University Press, 2013).
- (14) "The Project of Hegel's Phenomenology," in Stephen Houlgate and Michael Baur (eds), *A Companion To Hegel*, (Wiley-Blackwell, 2011), pp 47-67.
- (13) "Subjectivity and Objectivity in Hegel's Science of Logic" in *Person, Being and History*, Michael Baur and Robert Wood (eds), (Washington DC: Catholic University of America Press, 2011).
- (12) "Dialectic, Difference and the Other: The Hegelianizing of French Philosophy,"

- Responses to Phenomenology*, Alan Schrift and Leonard Lawlor (eds), (Dublin: Acumen Press, 2009), pp 17-41.
- (11) "The (Childish) Nature of Soul in Plato's Apology" in Fagan and Russon (eds), *Reexamining Socrates in the Apology*, (Evanston: Northwestern University Press, 2009), pp 191-205
  - (10) "Socrates Examined," (co-authored with Patricia Fagan) in Fagan and Russon (eds), *Reexamining Socrates in the Apology*, (Northwestern University Press, 2009), xiii-xxiv.
  - (9) "The Bodily Unconscious in Freud's 'Three Essays,'" in Jon Mills (ed), *Rereading Freud: Psychoanalysis Through Philosophy*, (Albany: State University of New York Press, 2004), pp 33-50.
  - (8) "Hermeneutical Pressure and the Space of Dialectic: What Hegel Means by Spirit," in Charles Scott and John Sallis (eds), *Interrogating the Tradition: Hermeneutics and the History of Philosophy*, (SUNY Press, 2000), pp 235-253.
  - (7) "We Sense That They Strive: How to Read (The Theory of the Forms)," in John Russon and John Sallis (eds), *Retracing the Platonic Text*, (Northwestern University Press, 2000), pp 70-84.
  - (6) "Just Reading: The Nature of the Platonic Text," Introduction to John Russon and John Sallis (eds), *Retracing the Platonic Text*, (Northwestern University Press, 2000), pp ix-xix.
  - (5) "Deciding to Read: Derrida and Hegel on the Horizon (of Christianity)," in *Derrida's Glorious Glas, Joyful Wisdom 5*, ed. D. Goicoechea and M. Zlomislic, (Thought House Press, 1997), pp. 37-51.
  - (4) "Hegel's 'Freedom of Self-Consciousness' and Early Modern Epistemology," in Russon and Baur (eds), *Hegel and the Tradition*, (University of Toronto Press, 1997), pp 286-309.
  - (3) "Hegel and Tradition," Introduction to John Russon and Michael Baur (eds), *Hegel and the Tradition*, (University of Toronto Press, 1997), pp 3-13.
  - (2) "For Now We See Through a Glass Darkly: The Systematics of Hegel's Visual Imagery," in David Michael Levin (ed), *Sites of Vision: The Discursive Construction of Sight in the History of Philosophy*, (MIT Press, 1997), pp 197-241.
  - (1) "Of the Child's New Speech (Bataillian Drama, Nietzschean Cliché)," in D. Goicoechea and M. Zlomislic, (eds), *Zarathustra's Joyful Annunciations, Joyful Wisdom 4*, (Thought House, 1996), pp 72-84.

Other:

**Entries in Reference Works:**

- "Epistemology in Plato and Aristotle," in e-PG Pathshala, Indian Government Educational Textbook, Section P-02, Module M-04, (2016):  
[https://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/view\\_f.php?category=609](https://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/view_f.php?category=609)
- "Epistemology in Plato," in e-PG Pathshala, Indian Government Educational Textbook, Section P-02, Module M-02, (2016)  
[https://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/view\\_f.php?category=609](https://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/view_f.php?category=609)
- "Epistemology in Aristotle," in e-PG Pathshala, Indian Government Educational Textbook, Section P-02, Module M-03, (2016)

[https://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/view\\_f.php?category=609](https://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/view_f.php?category=609)

"Derrida, Jacques," in Hugh LaFollette (ed), *International Encyclopaedia of Ethics* (Blackwell, 2013).

"Plotinus," in Michael Kelly (ed), *Encyclopaedia of Aesthetics* (Oxford University Press, 1998) Vol 4, pp 6-7.

**Non-Refereed/Popular Writings:**

"The Place of Love," *Environmental and Architectural Phenomenology*, 32,2 (2021): 17-19.

"Sevginin Yeri," (Turkish translation of "The Place of Love"), *sabah ülkesi* 65 (2020): 52-55.

"The Border at the Heart of Human Life," *Environmental and Architectural Phenomenology*, Summer/Fall 2020: 12-14.

"Insan Yaşaminin Merkezindeki Sinir," (Turkish translation of "The Border at the Heart of Human Life"), *sabah ülkesi* 62 (2020): 10-13.

**Reviews:**

Feldman, Karen, *Binding Words: Conscience in Hobbes, Hegel and Heidegger*, *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews* Feb. 16, 2007.

McCumber, John, *Reshaping Reason*, *Continental Philosophy Review*, 40 (2006): 99-105.

Bates, Jennifer, *Hegel's Theory of Imagination*, *Review of Metaphysics*, 50 (2006): 404-406.

Levin, David Michael, *The Philosopher's Gaze*, *Research in Phenomenology*, 31 (2001): 276-283.

Rockmore, Tom: *Cognition: An Introduction to Hegel's Phenomenology of Spirit*, *Journal of the History of Philosophy*, 38 (2000):123-133

Rinaldi, Giacomo, *A History and Interpretation of the Logic of Hegel*, *Owl of Minerva*, 29 (1998):207-215.

Haar, Michel, *Heidegger and the Essence of Man*, *Review of Metaphysics*, 48 (1994):405-406.

Rankin, Kenneth, *The Recovery of the Soul: An Aristotelian Essay on Self-Fulfilment*, *Phoenix*, 48 (1994):269-271.

Houlgate, Stephen, *Freedom, Truth and History*, *Hegel-Studien* 27 (1992):192-195.

**Artist's Catalogue:**

"Quotation and Human Freedom," in *Luis Jacob: Towards a Theory of Impressionist and Expressionist Spectatorship*, (Hamburg: Walter König, 2009), 86.

**Critical Response:**

"Interpreting Ancient Greek Culture: Two Classicists Reply," in Clark Butler, *History as the Story of Freedom*, (Amsterdam and Atlanta: Editions Rodopi, 1997), pp 109-111; (co-authored with Patricia Fagan).

**Other Media:**

"John Russon: Music as Metaphor for Life," *Embodied Dialogue* #1, interview with Seth Dellinger, [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nzZQ\\_TrXaFc](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nzZQ_TrXaFc) (Feb 2022).

"Bearing Witness to Epiphany, with John Russon," Interview by *Circling Dia-Logos with Guy Sengstock*, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YJAxPQ0BIAQ&t=8s> (November 2021).

"Merleau-Ponty and the Toronto Summer Seminar," Video published by the International Merleau-Ponty Circle, <https://vimeo.com/533312463> (March 2021).

“Applied Phenomenology: Hegel, Heidegger, and Merleau-Ponty: A Dialogue with John Russon, *Converging Dialogues* podcast #40,  
<https://podcasts.google.com/feed/aHR0cHM6Ly9mZWVklmBvZGJlYW4uY29tL2NvbnZlcmdpbmdkaWFsb2d1ZXMvZmVlZC54bWw/episode/Y29udmVyZ2luZ2RpYWxvZ3Vlcy5wb2RiZWFuLmNvbS8zYjM5NTk2OS02ZWm4LTM1ZDktYmYxMS0xY2YyODdhOWJjYTA?sa=X&ved=0CAUQkfYCAhcKEwjI0vm16cbwAhUAAAAAHQAAAAAQQAQ> (March 2021).

### **Selected Presentations:**

#### **2022:**

“The Experience of Time and the Nature of Adulthood,” Keynote Address to *The Cognitive Science of Time*, University of Toronto Interdisciplinary Symposium on the Mind, (February).

“Death, Language and the Limits of Phenomenology,” Keynote Address to *Subjectivity/Beyond Subjectivity: Post-Structural Interventions*, International Webinar, University of Kerala, India (January).

#### **2021:**

“Am I There Yet? On Living an Adult Life,” Department of Philosophy Speaker Series, University of Texas, Rio Grande Valley (December).

“Am I There Yet? On Living and Adult Life,” Department of Philosophy Speaker Series, Eastern Michigan, University (November).

“Knowledge and Virtue in Plato’s *Meno*,” *Ancient Philosophy Society*, September.

Discussion of my book *Adult Life*, University of Kentucky, June.

Discussion of my book *Adult Life*, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, April.

“Merleau-Ponty and the Toronto Summer Seminar,” Live Panel, International Merleau-Ponty Circle, March.

#### **2020:**

Discussion of my book *Adult Life*, Eastern Michigan University, December.

“Anxiety and Authenticity in the Time of Pandemic,” Goodenough College (London School of Economics), June.

“On Brandom’s Hegel,” *Karl Jaspers Society of North America*, Chicago IL, February.

#### **2019:**

“The Needs of Community and the Problems of Modern Government,” University of Texas Rio Grande Valley Speaker Series, McAllen TX, November.

“The Needs of Community and the Problems of Modern Government,” *Burchenal Lecture*, Eckerd College, St. Petersburg FL, October.

“Character and Reality: On the Meaning of Adulthood,” Keynote Address, *Our Futures*, Quest University, Squamish, March.

“Hegel on Romantic Art and Modernity,” Memorial University Speaker Series, St. John’s, March.

“Hegel on Romantic Art and Modernity,” University of Toronto Speaker Series, Toronto, March.

“Response to panelists on my book *Sites of Exposure*,” University of Guelph, January.

#### **2018:**

“Philosophical Education in Contemporary Society,” *The Ethics of Teaching in Pluralist and Unequal Societies*, IIT-Mumbai, November.



“Response to panelists on my book *Sites of Exposure*,” *Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy*, University Park PA, October.

“The Meaning of Health,” *Saleh Memorial Lecture*, Ryerson University, Toronto, October.

“Existential Scepticism and the Meaning of Hegel’s Science,” *Friday Night Lecture*, St. John’s College, Annapolis, September.

Text Seminar Leader, “Aristotle: *Phusis, Psychē, Anthrōpos*,” *Collegium Phaenomenologicum*, Italy, July.

“The Meaning of Adulthood,” University of Maine, Orono, April.

“Death and the Limits of Phenomenology,” University of Limerick, Limerick, April.

“Money and Modernity,” *Memorial University Public Lecture*, St. John’s, March.

“The Ontology of Technology: Hegel on Quality, Quantity, and the Idea,” Keynote address to Memorial University graduate conference, St. John’s, March.

**2017:**

“The Ontology of Technology: Hegel on Quality, Quantity, and the Idea,” *American Catholic Philosophical Association*, Dallas, November.

“Bryan Smyth on Merleau-Ponty,” *Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy*, Memphis, October.

“On Plato, Aristotle, and Hegel,” University of Dallas, November

“The Politics of Being-in-the-World,” Eastern Michigan University, March.

“The Limits of Money,” Wilfrid Laurier University, March.

**2016:**

“City Life as Resolution to the Limitations of Domestic Life and Nationalism,” *Philosophy of the City Conference*, San Francisco, November.

“The Meaning of Adulthood,” Address to Undergraduate Club, York University, October.

“Artistic Expression and Phenomenological Description,” *Canadian Society for Continental Philosophy*, Halifax, September.

“The Body as Site of Action and Intersubjectivity in Fichte’s *Foundations of Natural Right*,” *7th Occasional Daniel Boone Conference on German Idealism*, University of Kentucky, Lexington, May.

“Hegel’s Philosophy of Art,” University of Kentucky, Lexington, May.

“Subjectivity and Hermeneutics,” Keynote Address to *Ryerson Graduate Student Philosophy Conference*, Toronto, March and University of Minnesota at Duluth, March.

“Presence, Reflection and the Absolute,” *Annual Congress of Ontario and Quebec Hegel Organization*, Toronto, March.

“Phenomenology and Intersubjectivity,” Memorial University, St. John’s, February.

“Aristophanes’ *Clouds* and the Nature of Athenian Comedy” Keynote address to *Undergraduate Classics Workshop*, Classics Department, University of Windsor, January.

**2015:**

“Knowledge as Virtue in the *Meno*,” Memorial University, St. John’s, December.

“*Erōs*, Rhetoric and Accountability in Plato’s *Phaedrus*,” Series of 3 lectures on Plato’s *Phaedrus* for *International Phaedrus Workshop*, Galatasaray University, Istanbul, August.

“Personality as Equilibrium,” Keynote address to *Association for the Advancement of Philosophy and Psychiatry*, Toronto, May.  
“Making a Home for Freedom,” *Tribal Epistemologies Workshop*, Tezpur India, April.  
“Aristotle’s Distinction Between First and Second Actuality,” DePaul University, May.  
“The Limits of Money: Phenomenological Reflections on Selfhood and Value,” Indian Institute for Advanced Study, Shimla India, April, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong India, April, IIT-Bombay, Bombay India, April, and University of Maine, Orono, March.

**2014:**

“Dewey on Emotional Expression,” *Dewey Workshop II*, LaSalle University, Philadelphia, November.  
“The Limits of Money: Phenomenological Reflections on Selfhood and Value,” Michigan Technological University, Hancock MI, November.  
“Heidegger on the ‘They’ and Conscience,” *Agora Philosophical Society*, Toronto, October.  
“Personality as Equilibrium,” *Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy*, New Orleans LA, October.  
“The Body as Site of Intersubjectivity in Fichte’s *Foundations of Natural Right*,” *New York Workshop on German Idealism*, New York NY, October.  
“Dewey on Democracy and Writing,” *Dewey Workshop I*, LaSalle University, Philadelphia, September.  
“The Sign in Augustine’s *De Magistro*,” Villanova University, Villanova PA, September.  
“Hegel and Art History,” Institute for Christian Studies, Toronto, May.  
“Aristotle’s Distinction Between First and Second Actuality” at *The Animal with Logos; Aristotle on Human Nature*, Flagstaff AZ, April.  
“Hegel on Classical and Romantic Art,” Ryerson University, Toronto, March.  
“Plotinus on the Nature of the Mind,” Villanova University, Villanova PA, January.

**2013:**

“Lessons from Hegel’s *Phenomenology of Spirit*,” Galatasary University, Istanbul, December.  
“St. Augustine’s response to Aristotle and the Stoics,” Loyola University, Baltimore, November.  
“The Development of Perception in Merleau-Ponty’s *Phenomenology*,” *Merleau-Ponty’s Phenomenology*, Lennoxville, November.  
“Haunted By History,” *Canadian Society for Continental Philosophy*, Toronto, October.  
“The Developmental Background of Adult Individuality: Ethical and Political Implications,” *Development Workshop*, Concordia University, Montreal, June.  
“Haunted by History: Merleau-Ponty, Hegel and the Phenomenology of Pain,” Villanova University, May.  
“The Limits of Money: Phenomenological Reflections on Selfhood and Value,” Keynote address to *Concordia University Graduate Philosophy Conference*, Montreal, May, and *American Philosophies Forum*, Atlanta, April.  
“Hegel’s Phenomenology,” *Hegel Workshop*, IIT-Delhi, Delhi India, March.  
“The Limits of Money: Phenomenological Reflections on Selfhood and Value,” Xavier University, Cincinnati, April  
“The Virtues of Agency,” Xavier University, Cincinnati, April

“Haunted by History: Merleau-Ponty, Hegel and the Phenomenology of Pain,” Keynote address, *The Enigma of Pain*, Mumbai, March.

“What is Living Together: On Derrida’s *Rogues*,” Trent University, Peterborough, March.

**2012:**

“Hegel and the Phenomenology of Religion,” Institute for Christian Studies, Toronto, November.

“The Right to Become an Individual” *Social Justice and Human Rights*, Toronto, May

“Of Things and Love: Hegel and the Problem of Perceiving Persons,” Emory University, March.

“On Phenomenological Method,” Emory University, March.

“Hegel and the Dialectic of Desire,” University of Maine, Orono, March.

“Freedom, Home, and Multiculturalism,” Keynote Address, *Perspectives on Multiculturalism*, Ryerson University, Toronto, January.

**2011:**

“On Phenomenology and Existentialism” Trent University, December.

“Beyond the Limits of Perception,” University of Maine, December

“Quality and Quantity in Hegel’s *Logic*,” Duquesne University, October.

“Hegel’s *Science of Logic* and Kant’s *Critique of Pure Reason*,” *Hegel’s Logic*, Duquesne University, October.

“Intimacy and Economy,” Keynote Address to *Canadian Society for Continental Philosophy*, St. John’s, October.

“Between Two Intimacies: The Normative Context of Individual Experience,” Keynote Address, *Perspectives on Intimacy*, Ryerson University, May.

“Phenomenology and Intersubjectivity,” Keynote Address, *Merleau-Ponty and the Practice of Phenomenology*, Phenomenology Research Center, SIU Carbondale, May.

“Phenomenology and Memory,” Providence College, March

“Heidegger on Death and Language,” Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi, March, Madras University, Chennai, March, and University of Kerala, Theravananthapuram, March.

“Visions of Self in American Cinema,” IIT-Madras, Chennai, March

“Merleau-Ponty on Language and Embodiment,” Pondicherry University, Puducherry, March.

“Making a Home for Freedom,” IIT-Bombay, Mumbai, March

“Merleau-Ponty and Derrida on Language and Embodiment,” King’s College University, Halifax, January.

**2010:**

“Phenomenology and Interpersonal Relations,” *Philosophy and Interpersonal Relations*, University of Guelph, Guelph, November.

“Making a Home for Freedom: From Agency to Empire,” University of Kentucky, Lexington, April and Laurentian University, Sudbury, November.

“Hegel’s Project in the *Phenomenology*,” King’s College University, Halifax, March, and Galatasaray University, Istanbul, February.

**2009:**

“On the Horizon: Death and the Limits of Phenomenology,” Northern Arizona

- University, Flagstaff, November.
- "Memory and Self-Identity," Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, April.
- "Why Sexuality Matters," University of Colorado at Denver, February, Bishop's University, Lennoxville, March, Providence College, Providence, April, and University of Maine, Orono, April.
- "Democratic Regime and Democratic Practice: The French Revolution in Hegel, Marx and Derrida," *Hegel and the French Revolution*, Institute for Christian Studies, Toronto, March.
- "Play and Education in Plato's *Laws*," *Laws Workshop*, University of Kentucky, Lexington, March.
- 2008:**
- "Deathly Silence: Meaning and the Limits of Phenomenology in Kierkegaard, Heidegger and Derrida," McMaster University, Hamilton, October.
- "The Impossibilities of the Self: Language and Memory in Merleau-Ponty and Derrida," *International Merleau-Ponty Circle*, Toronto, September.
- "Meaning, Musicality and Method," Keynote address to *Concordia Graduate Student Conference*, Montreal, May.
- "Deathly Silence: Meaning and the Limits of Phenomenology in Kierkegaard, Heidegger and Derrida," Kierkegaard Circle, Toronto, March, and Boston College, Boston, April.
- "Perception and the Time of Right," *Hegel's Philosophy of Right*, Toronto, March.
- "Absolute Knowing in Hegel's *Phenomenology*," Trent University, Peterborough, March.
- "Home and the Dialectic of Recognition," Rhodes College, Memphis, February.
- 2007:**
- "Hegel, Harris and the Vocation of the Scholar," *Hegel Society of America*, Baltimore, December.
- "Freedom and Passivity: Merleau-Ponty on Attention," Keynote Address to *International Merleau-Ponty Circle*, Memphis, September and Brock University, St. Catharines, November.
- "Douglas Anderson and American Philosophy," *Western Canadian Philosophical Association*, Saskatoon, October.
- "Knowledge as Virtue in the Meno," Boston College, Boston, April.
- "Spirit and Method in Hegel's *Phenomenology*," Keynote Address to *Annual Graduate Student Conference*, Boston College, Boston, March and *Society for German Idealism*, San Francisco, April.
- "Hegel, Foucault and Freedom: Nature, Revolution and Event," Keynote Address to *Ontario Hegel Organization*, Toronto, March.
- "The Elements of Everyday Life," University of Windsor, Windsor, January.
- "Aristotle on First and Second Actuality," Ryerson University, Toronto, January.
- 2006:**
- "The Elements of Everyday Life," University of Maine, Orono and the University of Waterloo, Waterloo, November.
- "Aristotle on First and Second Actuality," *Reading Aristotle's De Anima*, Bishop's University, Lennoxville, September.
- "Ancient Philosophy and Its Continuing Relevance," *Ontario Philosophy Teachers' Association*, Toronto, May.

"Being, Essence and Concept in Hegel's *Logic*," *Hegel's Logic*, McGill University, Montreal, April.

"Phenomenology and the Experience of Others," Vanderbilt University, Nashville, April.

"The Music of Everyday Life," Pennsylvania State University, University Park, March.

"Melody and Improvisation: Music and Experience," University of Toronto, Toronto, January.

**2005:**

"Temporality and the Future of Philosophy in Hegel's *Phenomenology*," *Hegel Society of America*, New York, December.

"John McCumber and the Reshaping of Reason," *Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy*, Salt Lake City, October.

"Philosophy and the Practice of Mental Health," *Proemial Lecture*, McMaster University, Hamilton, September.

"The Lover of Falsehoods: Philosophy in *Republic VI*," *Rereading Plato's Republic*, University of Guelph, Guelph, September.

"Emotional Subjects: Mood and Articulation in Hegel's *Philosophy of Mind*," Keynote address to *Hegel and Emotion*, Bishop's University, Lennoxville, April.

"Phenomenology and the Possibilities for Theology," McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, February.

**2004:**

"Philosophy and the Practice of Mental Health," *Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy*, Memphis, November.

"Is There a Non-Reductive Physicalism? Jackson, Nagel and Ben Ze'ev," Rhodes College, Memphis, November.

"Knowledge as Virtue in *Meno*," University of Guelph, Guelph, October.

Response to Panelists discussing my book, *Human Experience*, *Canadian Society for Hermeneutics and Post-Modern Thought*, Saskatoon, June.

"Reason and Perspective: Leibniz, Kant and Hegel on Moral Individuality and the Particularity of Reason," *Hegel on Reason*, University of Ottawa, Ottawa April.

Invited Lecture on my book, *Human Experience*, (public lecture) St. Peter's College, Jersey City, April.

"Hegel's Critique of Kant," McMaster University, Hamilton, January.

**2003:**

"Merleau-Ponty and the Science of the Soul," at *Merleau-Ponty and the New Science of the Soul*, University of Guelph, Guelph, November.

"Wisdom in Aristotle's *Metaphysics A.1*," Rhodes College, Memphis, October.

"Knowledge as Virtue in the *Meno*," *Plato's Meno: A Celebration of Platonic Dialogue*, Bishop's University, Lennoxville, September.

"Scepticism and the Dialectic of Spirit," Villanova University, Philadelphia, April.

"Contingency in the History of Philosophy," *Hegel on Contingency*, University of Guelph, Guelph, March.

**2002:**

"Who Are Socrates' Accusers?," Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, October.

"Fear and Servitude in Hegel's Dialectic of Lordship and Bondage," *Hegel on Desire and Recognition*, Trent University, Peterborough, April.

"What Hegel Means By Spirit," University of Toronto, Toronto, April.

“Hegel and Scepticism,” University of Guelph, Guelph, January.

**2001:**

“Bataille and Kant on Freedom,” *Dorothy Korchok Colloquium*, Brock University, St. Catharines, November.

“Force, Understanding and the Body in Hegel,” *Hegel on Force and Understanding*, Bishop’s University, Lennoxville, September.

“Hegel’s Critique of Kant’s Ethics,” Bishop’s University, Lennoxville, April.

“The Contradictions of Moral Life,” *Kant and the Primacy of Practical Reason*, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, March.

“Foucault and Aristotle on Human Nature,” Trent University, Peterborough, February.

**2000:**

“Sallis on the Chora,” Panel on John Sallis, *Chorologies*, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, November.

Text Seminar Leader, “Heidegger’s *Beitrage zur Philosophie*,” *Collegium Phaenomenologicum*, Italy, July.

“Beautiful Individuality.” *Hegel’s Aesthetics*, University of Toronto, Toronto, April.

**1999:**

“The Legacy of Kant in *Anti-Oedipus*,” *Dorothy Korchok Colloquium*, Brock University, St. Catharines, November.

“Spirit and Scepticism,” *Hegel: Phenomenology and Spirit*, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, April.

“Family Matters: Hegel and the Tragedy of Embodiment,” *The Love Conference*, Brock University, St. Catharines, February.

**1998:**

“Deleuze on Schizophrenia,” SUNY Stony Brook, Stony Brook, May.

“Absolute Knowing: Project and Structure in Hegel’s System of Science,” *Hegel on Absolute Knowing*, Trent University, Peterborough April.

“Aristotle’s Psychology,” at *The Traditions of Reading Aristotle*, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, April.

“Barbarian Landscapes: Art and Phenomenology in Merleau-Ponty’s Later Philosophy,” SUNY Stony Brook, Stony Brook, and Villanova University, Philadelphia, April.

**1997:**

“From the Transcendental Ego to the Semiotic *Chora*,” *Dorothy Korchok Colloquium*, Brock University, St. Catharines, November.

“Hegel on Moral Duplicity,” University of Toronto, Toronto, October.

Text Seminar Leader, “Spacing Art,” *Collegium Phaenomenologicum*, Italy, July.

“Death and Desire in Hegel’s Epistemology,” *Hegel on Death*, University of Guelph, Guelph, April.

“We Sense that they Strive: How to Read (The Theory of the Forms, *Phaedo* (74d9-75b2)),” at *Retracing the Platonic Text*, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, March.

“Hermeneutical Pressure and the Space of Dialectic: What Hegel Means by Spirit,” New School for Social Research, New York, February.

**1996:**

“*Eros* and Education: Plato and the Transformations of Knowledge,” Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Sept.

Text Seminar Leader, "The Forces of Nature," *Collegium Phaenomenologicum*, Italy, July.

"The Metaphysics of Consciousness and the Hermeneutics of Social Life," *Harris on Hegel*, York University, Toronto, and University of Guelph, Guelph, March.

**1995:**

"Deciding to Read: Derrida and Hegel on the Horizon (of Christianity)," *Dorothy Korchok Colloquium*, Brock University, St. Catharines, November.

"Life, History and Philosophy: A Nietzschean Hermeneutics of the Passion of Reason," *Nietzsche and the Future of Philosophy*, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, October.

"The Metaphysics of Consciousness and the Hermeneutics of Social Life," Pennsylvania State University, University Park, February.

**1994:**

"Indirect Communication in Kierkegaard's *Fear and Trembling*," *Dorothy Korchok Colloquium*, Brock University, St. Catharines, November.

"Articulating Anguish: Poetry and Ecstasy in Bataille and Kierkegaard," *International Association for Philosophy and Literature*, Edmonton, May.

"Eros and Education," Keynote address to *Approaches to Antiquity*, University of Toronto, Toronto, March.

"Sex and Self-Knowledge: Plato versus Sartre," University of Toronto, Toronto, March.

"Plato's Transformative Epistemology," SUNY Stony Brook, Stony Brook, February.

"Aristotle's Animative Epistemology," Dalhousie University, Halifax, January.

**1993:**

"Aristotle's Animative Epistemology," *American Philosophical Association*, Eastern Division, Atlanta, December.

"Of the Child's New Speech: Bataillian Drama, Nietzschean Cliché," *Dorothy Korchok Colloquium*, Brock University, St. Catharines, November.

"Language and Truth in Continental Philosophy," University of Toronto, Toronto, March, and Acadia University, Wolfville, April.

"Self-Portraiture, or, Slavery and Religion in Hegel's *Phenomenology*," University of Toronto, Toronto, April.

"The Ritual Basis of Self-Identity," University of California at San Diego, February, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, March and St. Thomas More College, Saskatoon, April.

**1992:**

"Heidegger, Hegel and Ethnicity," *American Philosophical Association* Eastern Division, Boston, December.

"Society and the Demands of Self-Consciousness," *Canadian Philosophical Association*, Charlottetown, June.

"*Kataleptike Phantasia*: The Stoic's Response to the Sceptic," *Classical Association of Canada*, Charlottetown, June.

"Recognition and Democracy," *American Philosophical Association*, Central Division, Louisville, April.

"Embodiment and Responsibility: Merleau-Ponty and the Ontology of Nature," McGill University, Montreal, and York University, Toronto, December.

**1991:**

"Selfhood, Conscience, and Dialectic in Hegel's *Phenomenology of Spirit*," *Canadian Philosophical Association*, Kingston, June.

"Recognition and Society," Bates College, Lewiston, March.

**1990:**

"Autonomy and the Transcendental Ego in Hegel's *Phenomenology*," *Strategies of Critique IV*, Toronto, March.

"Ajax and the *AGON* of Self-Consciousness," Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, February.

### **Conferences and Workshops Organized:**

**2020:**

Toronto Seminar XVII: "*Erōs* and Persuasion in Plato's *Phaedrus*." (Cancelled due to Covid-19).

**2019:**

Toronto Seminar XVI: "Desert Courage and Urban Craft: Character and Culture in the *Muqaddimah* of Ibn Khaldūn," Toronto, June.

**2018:**

"The Ethics of Teaching in Pluralistic and Unequal Societies," co-organized with P.G. Jung and S. George, IIT-Bombay, Mumbai India, November.

Toronto Seminar XV: Sartre's *Critique of Dialectical Reason*, Toronto, June.

**2017:**

Toronto Seminar XIV: *Plato's Laws*, August.

"The Body as We Live It: Phenomenological Approaches to Embodiment and Illness," Institute for Hermeneutic Phenomenology, University of Colorado at Denver School of Nursing: August.

Intensive Workshop on Hegel's *Phenomenology of Spirit*, Institute for Christian Studies, Toronto, March.

**2016:**

*Dewey Workshop III*. Toronto, December.

"Giving Voice to Our Experience: On Heidegger, Phenomenology and the Challenge of Language," Institute for Hermeneutic Phenomenology, University of Colorado at Denver School of Nursing, August.

Toronto Seminar XIII: Kant's *Metaphysics of Morals*, Toronto, May.

**2015:**

Toronto Seminar XII: "Hegel and the System of the Arts," Toronto, June.

**2014:**

*Dewey Workshop I and II*, LaSalle University, Philadelphia, September and November, (co-organizer).

Toronto Seminar XI: "Plotinus: On What There Is," Toronto, June.

**2013:**

"Renewing the Ancient Quarrel: Plato, Hegel and Adorno on Art and Philosophy," Institute for the History of Philosophy, Emory University (co-director), Atlanta, June.

Workshop on Democracy, Ancient and Modern, Villanova University, Philadelphia, May.

**2012:**



Toronto Seminar X: "Plato's *Republic*," Toronto, June.

**2011:**

Toronto Seminar IX: "Locke, Smith and the Economics of Modernity," Toronto, June.  
Intensive Workshop on Hegel's *Phenomenology of Spirit*, IIT-Bombay, Mumbai India, March.

"Soul and Virtue in Plato's *Lysis* and *Charmides*," King's College University, Halifax, January.

**2010:**

"Philosophy and Interpersonal Relations," University of Guelph, November

Workshop on Virtue in Aristotle's *Nicomachean Ethics*, Boston, October

Toronto Seminar VIII: "Politics and Recognition in Fichte's *Foundations of Natural Right*," Toronto, June.

Workshop on Ancient and Modern Democracy, University of Kentucky, Lexington, April.

"Democracy in Derrida's *Rogues*," King's College University, Halifax, March.

**2009:**

Workshop on Plato's *Sophist*, Toronto, November.

Toronto Seminar VII: "The Psychology of Conversion in St. Paul and St. Augustine," June.

Workshop on Democracy, Ancient and Modern, Toronto, February.

**2008:**

Workshop on Derrida and Democracy, Toronto, October.

Toronto Seminar VI: "Rhetoric and Justice in Plato's *Gorgias*," June.

Workshop: "Action and Sense in Hegel's *Phenomenology of Spirit*," Toronto, February

**2007:**

Toronto Seminar V: "Kant on Education, Freedom and History," June.

**2006:**

"Poetry, Persuasion and Politics in Aristotle," Toronto, November

Toronto Seminar IV: "Death and the Cogito: Merleau-Ponty and Derrida," June.

**2005:**

"Rereading Plato's *Republic*," University of Guelph, September.

Toronto Seminar III: "Heidegger: Temporality, Authenticity, Phenomenology," June.

**2004:**

Toronto Seminar II: "Aristotle on Human Nature," July.

**2003:**

"Merleau-Ponty and the New Science of the Soul," University of Guelph, November.

Toronto Seminar I: "Hegel on Consciousness, Spirit and Dialectic," July.

**2002:**

Biannual Meeting of the Hegel Society of America, co-hosted with John Sallis, Penn State University, Oct.

**2001:**

"Kant and the Primacy of Practical Reason," Conference co-organized with Sullivan, *et al*, Penn State University, March..

**1999:**

"Dialectic and Deconstruction in Modernist Art," *International Association for Philosophy and Literature*, Hartford CT, May.

“Hegel: Phenomenology and Spirit,” International Conference, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, March.

**1998:**

“From Classical to Post-Modern: Tracing the Platonic Image,” *International Association for Philosophy and Literature*, Irvine CA, May.

“The Traditions of Reading Aristotle,” International Conference co-organized with Colapietro and Lee, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, April.

**1997:**

“Dialectics as Marginalia: Hegelian Literary Criticism,” *International Association for Philosophy and Literature*, Mobile AL, May.

“Retracing the Platonic Text,” International Conference co-organized with John Sallis, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, March.

**1995:**

“Virtual Hegel,” *International Association for Philosophy and Literature*, Villanova PA, May.

### **Graduate Supervision:**

#### **Ph.D. Supervisor**

At University of Guelph.

2019-	James Belford	Merleau-Ponty and Recognition
2015-	Kyle Johnston	Deleuze and Faciality
2017-2021	Robert Minatel	Merleau-Ponty and Music
2013-2021	Bryan Richard	Hegel and Kant on Ethics
2013-2018	Rachel Elliott	Merleau-Ponty and Music
2003-2013	Jill Gilbert	Bergson and Merleau-Ponty on the Temporality of Depression
2007-2013	Joseph Arel	Hegel and Intimacy
2007-2013	Brian Rogers	Heidegger and the Phenomenology of Religion
2007-2013	Karen Robertson	Heidegger and Politics
2001-2013	Emily Jaklic	Plato’s <i>Apology</i>
2002-2012	Fred Guerin	Gadamer and Critical Hermeneutics
2003-2010	Cherilyn Keall	John Dewey on Education
2004-2009	Scott Marratto	Merleau-Ponty on Embodiment, Perception and Language
2001-2009	Alexandra Morrison	Heidegger on Death, Intersubjectivity and Language
2004-2009	Jing Long	Heidegger and Self-Identity
2003-2007	Ileana Szymanski	Aristotle on Sensory Alteration
At Penn State University.		
2001-2006	Ömer Aygün	The Law of Included Middle: Aristotle’s Conception of <i>Logos</i>
1999-2006	Kirsten Jacobson	The Space of Communication: A Phenomenological Investigation of Agoraphobia.
1995-2004	Kym Maclaren	Phenomenology of Emotion: the Primacy

1995-2003	David Ciavatta	and Intersubjective Mediation of Emotion, and Its Perversion in Alexithymia
1995-2002	Peter Costello	Hegel on the Family. Phenomenology as Ethics: Intersubjectivity in Perspective in Husserl's <i>Cartesian Meditations</i>
1996-2002	W. Bruce Gilbert	Hegel and Marx on the Critique of Liberal- Capitalism
1999-2002	Michael Svoboda	Plato as a Post-Peloponnesian Writer
1994-2001	Gregory Recco	The Spirit of Democracy in Plato's <i>Republic</i>
1994-2000	Brian Macintosh	Truth, Tradition and the Human Subject: Hegel and Nietzsche on the Philosophical Demands of Life and Culture (co-supervised with Charles Scott)
1994-2000	Nathan Andersen	Example, Experiment and Experience in Hegel's <i>Phenomenology of Spirit</i>

### **M.A. Supervisor**

At University of Guelph:

2020-	Dru Graham	Levinas and Race
2018-2020	Nour Abushan	Plato's <i>Phaedo</i> (co-supervisor: Ken Dorter).
2015-2017	Sahand Farivar	Unhappy Consciousness in Hegel
2014-2016	Joshua Barry	Heidegger on Space (with Karen Houle)
2012-2016	Balraj Persaud	Merleau-Ponty, Fanon and the Phenomenology of Race
2013-2015	Sara Mills	Heidegger on Anxiety
2013-2015	Patrick DiSalvo	Sartre and Bad Faith
2012-2014	Natashia Botelho	Heidegger on Emotion
2012-2014	Tymm Schmitke	The "Other" in Husserl's <i>Cartesian Meditations</i>
2011-2013	Jacob Singer	Aristotle on Politics
2011-2013 (deceased)	Jehangir Saleh	Hegel and Conscience
2011-2013	Thomas Campbell	Language and Embodiment in Hegel and Butler
2009-2010	Laura McMahon	Merleau-Ponty and the Miracle of Expression
2007-2009	Jennifer Friis	Merleau-Ponty and the Gendered Body
2007-2008 (deceased)	Mark Adams	<i>Eros</i> in Plato's <i>Symposium</i>
2006-2010	Tim Fitzjohn	Hegel on Conscience
2006-2009	Jared Babin	Heidegger's "Origin of the Work of Art"
2006-2008	Adam Schneider	Jonas's Metabolic Ontology
2006-2008	Greg Kirk	Aristotle on Friendship
2004-2006	Adam Loughnane	Heidegger and Buddhism
2003-2006	Sara Appelbaum	Causality and Human Freedom in Spinoza

### **Courses Taught:**

#### **Graduate**

At University of Guelph

Phil 6950: MA Seminar

Phil 6700: Ancient Philosophy

Phil 6530: Kant

Phil 6311: Aristotle (many different iterations)

Phil 6310: Plato (many different iterations)

Phil 6220: Epistemology

Phil 6150: Continental Theory II (many different iterations)

Phil 6140: Continental Theory I (many different iterations)

At Penn State University

Phil 580: Seminar in Phenomenology (many different iterations)

Phil 556: Seminar in Hegel (many different iterations)

Phil 551: Seminar in Aristotle (many different iterations)

Phil 525: Seminar in Epistemology

Phil 514: Seminar in 19th Century Philosophy

Phil 476: Hegel (Joint Graduate/Undergraduate)

Phil 426: Metaphysics (Joint Graduate/Undergraduate)

Phil 425: Epistemology (Joint Graduate/Undergraduate)

At University of Toronto

Phil 21xx: Epistemology (Joint Graduate/Undergrad)

Phil 20xx: Plato (Joint Grad/Undergrad)

Phil 20xx: Hegel

## **Undergraduate**

Course #/Name

At University of Guelph

Phil 4410: Selected Topics (many different iterations)

Phil 4400: Selected Topics (many different iterations)

Phil 4390: Selected Topics (many different iterations)

Phil 3350: Selected Topics (many different iterations)

Phil 3200: Contemporary European Philosophy

Phil 3090: Kant

Phil 3080: History of Modern Philosophy from Kant

Phil 2170: Existentialism

Phil 2140: History of Greek and Roman Philosophy

Phil 2120: Ethics

Phil 1030: Philosophy of Sex, Love and Friendship

Phil 1000: Introduction to Philosophy

Univ 1200: First-Year Seminar (different iterations)

At Penn State University

Phil 300: Honors Seminar

Phil 297: Honors Seminar

Phil 218: 20th Century Philosophy

Phil 203: 19th Century Philosophy

Phil 202: Early Modern Philosophy

Phil 201: Medieval Philosophy

Phil 127: Honors Seminar  
Phil 100: Meaning and Human Existence  
Phil 004: Honors Seminar  
Phil 003: Ethics  
Phil 001: Basic Problems of Philosophy  
At Acadia University  
Phil 3xx: Contemporary Continental Philosophy  
Phil 3xx: Existentialism and Literature  
Phil 3xx: Aristotle  
Phil 3xx: Plato  
Phil 3xx: Existentialism  
Phil 2xx: 19th Century Philosophy  
Phil 2xx: Ancient Philosophy  
Phil 140: Introduction to Philosophy  
At University of Toronto  
Phil 4xx: Contemporary Philosophical Issues  
Phil 320: Phenomenology  
Phil 315: Hegel  
Phil 310: Rationalism  
Phil 285: Aesthetics  
Phil 2xx: Aristotle and Hellenistic Philosophy  
Phil 201: Introduction to Philosophy  
At University of Toronto, School of Continuing Studies  
Phil 1xx: Marx, Freud and Nietzsche  
At Memorial University of Newfoundland  
Phil 3730: Plato

**Major Service Appointments:**

**Professional Level:**

2019-: ASPP Grant Committee, Ottawa.  
2019: External Reviewer for Philosophy Department, St. Thomas University,  
Fredericton  
2014: SSHRC Insight Grant Committee, Ottawa

**University-level:**

**Administrative Appointments**

At University of Guelph:  
2018-2020: Undergraduate Program Committee Chair  
Fall 2010 Undergraduate Officer  
At Penn State University:  
1997-2001 Undergraduate Officer

**Committees, etc.:**

At University of Guelph  
2021-2022 SSHRC Adjudication Committee  
2021-2022 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee  
2020-2021 LEF Proposal Evaluation Committee  
2018-2022 Tenure and Promotion Committee

2018-2022 Sessional Hiring Committee  
 2015-2016 Pedagogist  
 2012-2016 Placement Officer  
 2012-2015 Graduate Studies Committee  
 2011-2012 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee  
 2011-2015 College of Arts Tenure and Promotion Committee  
 2010-2011 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee  
 2008-2009: College of Arts Tenure and Promotion Committee  
 2008-2009 Ad Hoc Committee on Tenure Requirements  
 2008-2009 Graduate Studies Committee  
 2008-2009 Placement Officer  
 2008-2009 Placement and Recruitment Committee  
 2007-2008 Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee  
 2007-2008 Placement Officer  
 2007-2008 Recruitment Committee (Chair)  
 2007-2008 Graduate Studies Committee  
 2007-2008 Search Committee for Ancient CLTA Position (Chair)  
 2006-2007 Graduate Studies Committee  
 2006-2007 Search Committee for Ethics Position  
 2005-2007 College of Arts Tenure and Promotion Committee  
 2005-2006 Integrated Planning Committee  
 2004-2005 Public Events Committee  
 2004-2005 Sessional Appointments Committee  
 2004 College Awards Committee  
 At Penn State University:  
 2002 Second-Year Review Committee for Claire Katz  
 2002 Ad Hoc Committee on Language Requirements  
 2000 Tenure Committee for Nancy Tuana  
 2000 Promotion and Tenure Committee for Shannon Sullivan  
 1999-2000 Colloquium Committee  
 1999 Search Committee for Ancient Philosophy Position  
 1998 Ad Hoc Committee on Restricted Annual Gifts  
 1996-1997 Colloquium Committee  
 1996 Search Committee for Medieval Philosophy Position  
 At Acadia University:  
 1993-1995 Library Acquisitions Committee

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