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Appointments

- 2017– Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM)
Instituto de Investigaciones Filosóficas
Postdoctoral Fellow in Philosophy
- 2015–17 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Postdoctoral Fellow in Philosophy

Education

- 2008–15 New York University
PhD in Philosophy
Dissertation: *Noncausal Explanation*
Committee: Kit Fine (chair), Ted Sider, Michael Strevens
- 2002–6 Yale University
BA *summa cum laude* in Mathematics and Philosophy
- 2004–5 University of Oxford
Visiting Student in Mathematics and Philosophy

Areas of Specialization

Metaphysics, Philosophy of Science

Areas of Competence

Logic, Philosophy of Physics

Honors and Awards

- 2014–15 Mellon Dissertation Fellowship, NYU
- 2013 Global Research Initiative Fellowship, NYU
- 2008–14 Henry M MacCracken Fellowship, NYU
- 2008–12 Jacob K Javits Fellowship, US Department of Education

2005 Phi Beta Kappa, Yale University

Publications

“Essentialist Explanation.” Forthcoming in *Philosophical Studies*.

2016 “Laws and the Completeness of the Fundamental.” In *Reality Making*, ed. Mark Jago. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Work in Progress

“Being Someone Else.” Commissioned for a volume on transformative experience, eds. Enoch Lambert and John Schwenkler. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

“The Difference between Epistemic and Metaphysical Necessity.” Commissioned for a special issue of *Synthese*.

“Ground and Explanation.” Commissioned for the *Routledge Handbook of Metaphysical Grounding*, ed. Mike Raven. London: Routledge.

Presentations

2018 “What Time Is It in Other Possible Worlds?” (invited)
APA Eastern Division

2017 “Being Someone Else” (invited)
APA Pacific Division

“Being Someone Else”
Midsummer Philosophy Workshop, University of Leeds

“Fake News and the Real World”
Journalism and the Search for Truth in an Age of Social Media, Boston Univ.

Comments on Gideon Rosen’s “Normative Grounding”
SOFIA XXI: Grounding, Huatulco, Mexico

Comments on Hedda Hassel Mørch’s “Phenomenal Powers Panpsychism”
Grounding and Consciousness, La Pietra, Florence

2016 “Essentialist Explanation”
Ground, Essence and Modality Conference, University of Helsinki

“Essentialist Explanation”
APA Pacific Division

Comments on Jennifer Wang’s “Fundamentality and Modal Freedom”
Ranch Metaphysics Workshop

- 2015 “Explanation, Actualist Possibility and Tomorrow’s Sea Battle”
APA Pacific Division
“Grounding and Essentialist Explanation”
Workshop on Grounding and Fundamentality, CUNY Graduate Center
- 2014 “Explanation, Actualist Possibility and Tomorrow’s Sea Battle”
Iowa Philosophical Society
Comments on Jonathan Payton’s “True for Lack of Falsemakers?”
APA Pacific Division
- 2013 “Laws and the Completeness of the Fundamental”
Arché/CSMN Graduate Conference, University of St Andrews
- 2012 Comments on Jonathan Schaffer’s “The Action of the Whole”
Reality Making, University of Nottingham
- 2011 “Grounding and Necessitation”
Workshop on Grounding and Fundamentality, CUNY Graduate Center

Teaching (as Instructor)

- 2016 Metaphysics
Making Sense of Ourselves
- 2013 History of Ancient Philosophy
- 2012 History of Modern Philosophy
- 2011 Logic

Teaching (as Preceptor)

- 2013 Central Problems in Philosophy (Helen Yetter-Chappell)
- 2012 Existentialism and Phenomenology (John Richardson)
- 2011 History of Ancient Philosophy (James Stazicker)
Central Problems in Philosophy (Jim Pryor)
- 2010 Metaphysics (Peter Unger)

Outreach Teaching

- 2011 Guest Lecturer on Philosophy of Mathematics
Essex Street Academy, New York
- 2008 Guest Lecturer on Philosophy of Mathematics
High School for Science, Mathematics and Engineering, New York

Service

- 2017 Co-Organizer, Themes in Transformative Experience (Pacific APA pre-conference)
Assistant Organizer, Ranch Metaphysics Workshop
- 2016 Organizer, Transformative Experience Working Group, UNC–Chapel Hill
- 2013 Conference Organizer, The Philosophy of Kit Fine, NYU
- 2012–13 Curriculum Committee, NYU
- 2010–11 Colloquium Committee, NYU

Other Employment

- 2006–8 Oundle School, Oundle, UK
Mathematics Teacher and Peter Ling Fellow
Taught secondary school mathematics and led regular discussion groups on topics in mathematics and philosophy.

References

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