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Employment

Simon Fraser University, Department of Philosophy

Assistant Professor
Instructor

Feb. 2019-
Sept. 2018-Jan. 2019

New York University, Center for Bioethics

Assistant Professor/Faculty Fellow

Sept. 2017-Aug. 2018

Education

New York University

Ph.D. in Philosophy

2019

Dissertation: *Ethics for Fallible People*

Committee: Samuel Scheffler (chair), Matthew Liao, Liam Murphy, Sharon Street

New York University School of Law

J.D., *cum laude*

2012

University of Virginia

M.A. in Philosophy

2008

Bryn Mawr College

B.A., *magna cum laude*, Honors in Philosophy and Political Science

2005

Publications

Articles:

“An Ethically Risky Profession?” *Washington University Jurisprudence Review*,
forthcoming.

“What Decision Theory Can’t Tell Us About Moral Uncertainty,” *Philosophical Studies*
(2021).

“Why Desperate Times (But Only Desperate Times) Call for Consequentialism,”
in *Oxford Studies in Normative Ethics*, Vol. 8, ed. Mark Timmons (2018).

Invited Commentary:

“Response to Adam Kolber’s ‘Punishment and Moral Risk,’” *University of Illinois Law*
Review Online, Vol. 2018, no. 2 (2018): 175-183.

Selected Presentations

Original Work:

“Meaningful People”

Conference in Honor of Samuel Scheffler, University of California, Berkeley
(upcoming 2023)

“Losing Privacy and Living a Sound Bite Life”

Digital Democracies Institute, Simon Fraser University (2023)

“Intimate Concepts”

University of British Columbia, Department of Philosophy (Colloquium) (2022)

“Speech and Social Media: Making the Problem Easier”

Eastern APA, Political Epistemology Network Session (2022)

“An Ethically Risky Profession?”

University of Edinburgh Legal Theory Research Group (2021)

“Losing Privacy and Living a Sound Bite Life”

University of Southern California, Center for Law and Philosophy (2021)

“Rights in an Uncertain World”

MANCEPT (Manchester Centre for Political Theory), *State of the Art: The Nature and Function of Rights* (2021)

“Rights in an Uncertain World”

Faculty Keynote, Princeton-Michigan Graduate Workshop on Normativity (2021)

“Disappearing Moral Responsibilities”

Normative Business Ethics Workshop Series, Wharton School of Business,
University of Pennsylvania (2019)

“Rights in an Uncertain World”

University of Victoria, Department of Philosophy (Colloquium) (2019)

“Losing Privacy and Living a Sound Bite Life”

Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress (RoME), University of Colorado, Boulder (2019)

“What Decision Theory Can’t Tell Us About Moral Uncertainty”

Chapel Hill Normativity Workshop, UNC-Chapel Hill (2019)

“What Decision Theory Can’t Tell Us About Moral Uncertainty”

Foundations of Normativity Workshop, University of Edinburgh (2018)

“Trying to Be Moral, Morally”

University of Notre Dame, Department of Philosophy (2018)

“Trying to Be Moral, Morally”

Simon Fraser University, Department of Philosophy (2018)

“Why Desperate Times (But Only Desperate Times) Call for Consequentialism”

Arizona Workshop in Normative Ethics (2017)

“Substantive and Procedural Moral Oughts”

Bellingham Summer Philosophy Conference, Western Washington University (2015)

“Micro-Making Law”

NYU Political Theory Workshop (2012)

Commentary:

Comments on Renée Jorgensen’s **“Objective Rights & Epistemic Risks: Beyond Subjective Permissibility,”** Eastern APA (2022)

Comments on Kristen Bell’s **“Toward a Normative Theory of Parole Grounded in Trust,”** Legal Philosophy Workshop (2020)

Comments on Brian Weatherson’s ***Normative Externalism,*** Author-Meets-Critics Workshop, Ryerson University (2019)

Comments on Caleb Perl’s **“Debunking Arguments in Normative Ethics: A Defense,”** Vancouver Summer Philosophy Conference, University of British Columbia (2019)

Comments on Elettra Bietti’s **“Locked-in Data Production: User Dignity and Capture in the Platform Economy,”** Business Ethics in a Digital Age, Harvard University (2019)

Comments on Elizabeth Cantalamessa’s **“Copyright Law, Ontology, and Metalinguistic Negotiation,”** Legal Philosophy Workshop (2018)

Comments on Christian Tarsney’s **“Moral Uncertainty for Deontologists,”** NYU/Columbia Graduate Student Philosophy Conference (2017)

Comments on Leif Hancox-Li’s **“Idealization and Abstraction in Models of Oppression,”** Vancouver Summer Philosophy Conference (2016)

Comments on Siwing Tsoi’s **“The Ethics of Political Engagement,”** Pacific APA (2015)

Outreach and Class Visits:

“Misinformation Online”

Presentation to a Game of Apps Team (app development training program for high-school students) (2021)

“Losing Privacy and Living a Sound Bite Life”

Introduction to Philosophy, Cory Davia, Claremont McKenna College (2021)

“Losing Privacy and Living a Sound Bite Life”

Introduction to Philosophy, Michaela McSweeney, Boston University (2020)

Teaching

Simon Fraser University

Data, Ethics, and Society (undergraduate) (2023)
Law and Justice (upper-level undergraduate) (2023)
Social and Political Philosophy (upper-level undergraduate) (2022)
Bodies (M.A./advanced undergraduate seminar) (2022)
Law and Justice (upper-level undergraduate) (2022)
Data, Ethics, and Society (undergraduate) (2022)
Love (M.A./advanced undergraduate seminar) (2021)
Data, Ethics, and Society (undergraduate) (2021)
Social and Political Philosophy (upper-level undergraduate) (2021) (x2)
Special Topics in Law and Philosophy: Knowledge and Communication (upper-level undergraduate) (2020)
Moral and Legal Problems (undergraduate introduction) (2020)
Privacy (M.A./advanced undergraduate seminar) (2020)
Law and Justice (upper-level undergraduate) (2020)
Rights (M.A./advanced undergraduate seminar) (2019)
Moral Problems (undergraduate introduction) (2019)
Law and Philosophy (upper-level undergraduate) (2019)

NYU Center for Bioethics

Advanced Introduction to Environmental Ethics (M.A. course) (2018)
Advanced Introduction to Public Health Ethics (M.A. course) (2018)
Democracy and Scientific Expertise (M.A. course) (2018)

NYU Philosophy

Philosophy of Law (2013, 2016, and 2017)

Fellowships and Awards

NYU Mellon Dissertation Fellowship in Philosophy (2015-2016)

Henry M. MacCracken Fellowship (NYU Philosophy) (2010-2015)

John Bruce Moore Award for excellence in law & philosophy (NYU Law) (2012)

FASPE (Fellowships at Auschwitz for the Study of Professional Ethics) Law Fellowship (2011)

Robert McKay Scholar (NYU Law) (2010)

Opperman Institute of Judicial Administration Summer Fellowship (NYU Law) (2009)

Presidential Fellowship (University of Virginia) (2006-2007)

Professional Service

Simon Fraser University:

Public Policy Minor Steering Committee (2023)

Tenure and Promotion Committee (2022-2023)

Committee to Review Tenure and Promotion Guidelines (2022)

Philosophy and Data Analysis Hiring Committee (2021-2022)

Undergraduate Curriculum Committee (2018-2021)

Health Ethics Hiring Committee, Faculty of Health Sciences (2020)

Colloquium Committee (2018-2021)

Working Group on Remote Teaching and International Censorship (2020)

Tenure and Promotion Committee (2019-2020)

Value Theory Hiring Committee (2019)

Journal Reviewing:

Australasian Journal of Philosophy, *Journal of Moral Philosophy* (x4), *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*, *Nous*, *Ratio*, *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly*

Conference Reviewing:

Workshop in Normative Ethics (for 2021 conference); Chapel Hill Normativity

Conference (for 2020 conference and 2022 conference); Vancouver Summer Philosophy

Conference (2016, 2019), NYU/Columbia Graduate Conference (2011-2017)

NYU Bioethics:

Philosophical Writing Workshop Co-Coordinator (2018)

NYU Philosophy:

Surviving Graduate School Workshop Co-Coordinator (2014)

Talent Show Coordinator (2011, 2013, 2014)

Graduate Student Political Philosophy Working Group Coordinator (Spring 2012, Spring 2013)

Political Philosophy Reading Group Coordinator (Spring 2012)

Graduate Student Representative, NYU Philosophy (2011-2012)

Curriculum Committee Representative, NYU Philosophy (2010)