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Research Areas

Ethics, Moral Psychology, Philosophy of Action, Nineteenth-Century Philosophy

Employment

Boston University
Professor of Philosophy, 2021– present
Associate Professor of Philosophy, 2014 – 2021
Assistant Professor of Philosophy, 2010 – 2014
University of New Mexico
Assistant Professor of Philosophy, 2008 – 2010

Education

Harvard University, Ph.D., Philosophy, 2008
Vassar College, B.A., Philosophy and Mathematics, 2001

Publications

Monographs

[3] *Philosophy of Devotion: The Longing for Invulnerable Ideals*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2023. Pp. viii + 236.

Reviews:

- (i) Clare Carlisle, *Times Literary Supplement*, July 19, 2024.

[2] *The Nietzschean Self: Moral Psychology, Agency, and the Unconscious*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016. Pp. xii + 292.

Paperback edition published February 2019

Reviews:

- (ii) Chris Fowles, *Journal of Moral Philosophy* 16:3 (June 2019): 375-378.
- (iii) Mark Alfano, *British Journal for the History of Philosophy* 26:3 (2018): 637-640.
- (iv) Daniel I. Harris, *Dialogue: Canadian Philosophical Review* 57:1 (March 2018): 185-186.
- (v) R. Lanier Anderson and Rebecca Bamford, author-meets-critics session at the American Philosophical Association Eastern Division meeting, January 2018.
- (vi) Natalie Schulte, *Nietzsche-Studien* 46:1 (December 2017), 344-357

- (vii) Mattia Riccardi, *Journal of Nietzsche Studies* 48:3 (Autumn 2017): 449-457.
- (viii) Bernard Reginster, *Mind* 126: 504 (October 2017): 1260-1267.
- (ix) Jeffrey Church, *The Political Theory Review* (podcast), August 15, 2017.
- (x) Jonathan Mitchell, *Ethics* 127:3 (April 2017), 777-783.
- (xi) J. Fred Humphrey, *Metapsychology Online Reviews*, Vol. 21 Issue 29.
- (xii) Karl Laderoute, *Journal of the History of Philosophy* 55:1 (January 2017), 173-174.
- (xiii) Brian Leiter, *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews* (August 28, 2016).
- (xiv) Richard J. Elliot, *The Agonist* X.1 (Fall 2016).

[1] *Agency and the Foundations of Ethics: Nietzschean Constitutivism*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2013. Pp. xiii + 267.

Paperback edition published 2015

Reviews:

- (i) David Owens, *Times Literary Supplement* 5756 (July 26, 2013): 25.
- (ii) Alex Silk, *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews* (October 13, 2013).
- (iii) Ariela Tubert, *Philosophy in Review* XXXIV:6 (2014): 316-318.
- (iv) Vanessa Lemm, *Nietzsche Studien* 43:1 (October 2014): 347-358.
- (v) Peter Poellner, *European Journal of Philosophy* 23:1 (March 2015): 162-169.
- (vi) Jessica Berry, *Mind* 124:494 (April 2015): 646-652.
- (vii) Luca Ferrero, *Ethics* 125:3 (April 2015): 883-888.
- (viii) Bernard Reginster, Jorah Dannenberg, and Andrew Huddleston, with a response by Paul Katsafanas, *Journal of Nietzsche Studies* 47:3 (Autumn 2016): 402-478.

Edited Volumes

[2] *Fanaticism and the History of Philosophy*, ed. Paul Katsafanas. London: Routledge University Press, 2023. Pp. 353.

(Contains 20 original essays on the philosophy of fanaticism.)

[1] *The Nietzschean Mind*, ed. Paul Katsafanas. London: Routledge University Press, 2018. Pp. 544.

Paperback edition published 2020.

(Contains 28 original essays on all areas of Nietzsche's philosophical thought.)

Journal Articles

[35] "What's So Bad About Fanaticism?," *Synthese* 203: 205 (June 2024): 1-18.

[34] "The Fanatic and the Last Man," *Journal of Nietzsche Studies* 53:2 (Autumn 2022): 137-162.

- [33] “Recent Work on Nietzsche’s Moral Psychology and Ethics,” *Nietzsche-Studien*, 50:1 (September 2021): 361-381.
- [32] “Fanaticism and Sacred Values,” *Philosophers’ Imprint*, 19:17 (May 2019): 1-20.
- [31] “Nietzsche and Murdoch on the Moral Significance of Perceptual Experience,” *European Journal of Philosophy*, 26 (March 2018): 525-545.
- [30] “Nietzsche’s Account of Self-Conscious Agency,” *Philosophical Explorations (Special Issue on Philosophy of Action from Suarez to Anscombe)*, 21 (Feb. 2018): 122-137.
Reprinted in: in *Philosophy of Action from Suarez to Anscombe*, edited by Constantine Sandis. London: Routledge, forthcoming.
- [29] “Fugitive Pleasure and the Meaningful Life: Nietzsche on Nihilism and Higher Values,” *Journal of the American Philosophical Association*, 1 (Fall 2015): 396-416.
- [28] “Nietzsche on the Nature of the Unconscious,” *Inquiry: Special Issue on Nietzsche’s Moral Psychology*, 58 (2015): 327-352.
- [27] “Nietzsche and Kant on the Will: Two Models of Reflective Agency,” *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*, 89 (July 2014): 185-216.
- [26] “Activity and Passivity in Reflective Agency,” *Oxford Studies in Metaethics* 6 (2011): 219-254.
- [25] “Deriving Ethics from Action: A Nietzschean Version of Constitutivism,” *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research* 83 (November 2011): 620-660.
- [24] “The Concept of Unified Agency in Nietzsche, Plato, and Schiller,” *Journal of the History of Philosophy* 49 (January 2011): 87-113.*
* Selected by *Philosopher’s Annual* as one of the ten best papers published in 2011.
- [23] “Nietzsche’s Theory of Mind: Consciousness and Conceptualization,” *European Journal of Philosophy* 13 (April 2005): 1-31.

Papers in Edited Volumes and Conference Proceedings

- [22] “Ressentiment and Identity,” in *For, Against, Together: Antagonistic Political Emotions*, ed. Lucy Osler and Thomas Szanto. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, forthcoming.
- [21] “Depth, Articulacy, and the Ego,” in *Iris Murdoch’s Sovereignty of Good After 50 Years*, ed. Bradford Cokelet and Carla Bagnoli. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, forthcoming.
- [20] “An Introduction to the Philosophy of Fanaticism,” in *Fanaticism and the History of Philosophy*, ed. Paul Katsafanas. London: Routledge, 2023.

- [19] “Group Fanaticism and Narratives of *Ressentiment*,” in *The Philosophy of Fanaticism: Epistemic, Affective, and Political Dimensions*, ed. Leo Townsend, Hans Bernhard Schmid, Michael Staudigl, Ruth Rebecca Tietjen. London: Routledge, 2022.
- [18] “What Makes the Affirmation of Life Difficult?,” in *Cambridge Critical Guide to Nietzsche’s Thus Spoke Zarathustra*, edited by Paul Loeb and Keith Ansell-Pearson. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2020.
- [17] “Moral Critique and Philosophical Psychology,” *Journal of Nietzsche Studies*, Special invited section on “Nietzsche Studies Now,” Vol. 49 (Autumn 2018): 245-253.
- [16] “Nietzsche’s Moral Methodology,” in *Nietzsche’s Metaphilosophy*, edited by Paul Loeb and Matthew Meyer, 165-184. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2019.
- [15] “Constitutivism,” in *The Cambridge History of Philosophy: 1945 to 2010*, edited by Kelly Becker and Iain Thomson, 275-286. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2019.
- [14] “Hermeneutics: Nietzschean Approaches,” in *The Cambridge Companion to Hermeneutics*, edited by Kristin Gjesdal and Michael Forster, 158-183. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2018.
- [13] “*The Antichrist* as a Guide to Nietzsche’s Mature Ethical Theory,” in *The Nietzschean Mind*, ed. Paul Katsafanas, 83-101. London: Routledge, 2018.
- [12] “The Emergence of the Drive Concept and the Collapse of the Animal/Human Divide,” in *Animals: A History*, edited by Peter Adamson and G. Fay Edwards, 239-268. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2018.
- [11] “Constitutivism and Practical Reason,” in *The Oxford Handbook of Reasons and Normativity*, edited by Daniel Star, 367-391. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2018.
- [10] “The Problem of Normative Authority in Kant, Hegel, and Nietzsche,” in *Nietzsche’s Engagements with Kant, Volume II: Nietzsche and Kantian Ethics*, edited by Tom Bailey and João Constâncio, 19-50. New York: Bloomsbury, 2017.
- [9] “Autonomy, Character, and Self-Understanding,” in *Questions of Character*, edited by Iskra Fileva, 132-146. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016.
- [8] “Naturalism, Minimalism, and the Scope of Nietzsche’s Philosophical Psychology,” in *Debates in Nineteenth-Century European Philosophy: Essential Readings and Contemporary Responses*, edited by Kristin Gjesdal, 326-338. New York: Routledge Press, 2016.
- [7] “Kant and Nietzsche on Self-Knowledge,” in *Nietzsche and the Problem of Subjectivity*, edited by João Constâncio, Maria João Mayer Branco, and Bartholomew Ryan, 110-130. Berlin: Walter de Gruyter Press, 2015.
- [6] “Ethics,” in *The Oxford Handbook of German Philosophy in the Nineteenth Century*, edited by Michael Forster and Kristin Gjesdal, 473-495. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2015.

[5] “Value, Affect, Drive,” in *Nietzsche on Mind and Nature*, edited by Peter Kail and Manuel Dries, 163-188. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2015.

[4] “Philosophical Psychology as a Basis for Ethics.” *Journal of Nietzsche Studies* 44 (Summer 2013): 297-314.

(Note: this is a special issue containing the proceedings of the North American Nietzsche Society)

[3] “Nietzsche’s Philosophical Psychology,” in *The Oxford Handbook on Nietzsche*, edited by John Richardson and Ken Gemes, 727-755. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2013.

[2] “Nietzsche on Agency and Self-Ignorance.” *Journal of Nietzsche Studies* 43 (April 2012): 5-17.

(Note: this is a special issue containing the proceedings of the North American Nietzsche Society)

[1] “The Relevance of History for Moral Philosophy: A Study of Nietzsche’s *Genealogy*,” in *Nietzsche’s ‘On the Genealogy of Morality’: A Critical Guide*, edited by Simon May, 170-192. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2011.

Book Reviews

[9] Review of Kaitlyn Creasy, *The Problem of Affective Nihilism in Nietzsche* (Palgrave MacMillan, 2020). *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, <https://ndpr.nd.edu/reviews/the-problem-of-affective-nihilism-in-nietzsche-thinking-differently-feeling-differently>, August 2022.

[8] Review of John Richardson, *Nietzsche’s Values* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2020). *The Agonist: Special Issue on Nietzsche’s Philosophy and Values*, 15:3 (2021).

[7] Review of Agnes Callard, *Aspiration* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2018). *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research* 102:2 (March 2021): 464-469.

[6] Review of Maudemarie Clark, *Nietzsche on Ethics and Politics* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2015). *Philosophical Review* 125:4 (October 2016): 592-597.

[5] “On Homuncular Drives and the Structure of the Nietzschean Self.” *Journal of Nietzsche Studies* 45 (Spring 2014): 1-11. (4600 words)

(Note: This is a contribution to a review symposium on Maudemarie Clark and David Dudrick’s *The Soul of Nietzsche’s Beyond Good and Evil* [Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2012].)

[4] Review of Christopher Janaway and Simon Robertson (eds.), *Nietzsche, Naturalism, Normativity* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2013). *European Journal of Philosophy* 21: Reviews Supplement 4 (December 2013): 9-14. (3200 words)

- [3] Review of Christopher Janaway, *Beyond Selflessness: Reading Nietzsche's 'Genealogy'* (New York: Oxford University Press, 2007). *Mind* 122 (April 2013): 553-560. (3200 words)
- [2] Review of Craig Dove, *Nietzsche's Ethical Theory* (New York: Continuum, 2008). *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, <http://ndpr.nd.edu>, May 2009. (2100 words)
- [1] Review of Brian Leiter and Neil Sinhababu (eds.), *Nietzsche and Morality* (New York: Oxford University Press, 2007). *Mind* 118 (January 2009): 191-4. (1600 words)

Popular articles

- [1] "How Nietzsche's Insights Can Help Fight Fanaticism," *Psyche* (18 December 2023). <https://psyche.co/ideas/how-nietzsches-insights-can-help-fight-fanaticism>

Presentations

Invited Talks

73. TBD
APA Pacific, invited session "Nietzsche, Self, and Society," San Francisco, April 2025
72. TBD
International Society of Nietzsche Studies conference, Chicago, March 2025
71. "Identities of Ressentiment"
Keynote talk at the Extremism and Subjectivity Conference, Vrije University Amsterdam, April 2024
70. Author-Meets-Critics Session on *The Philosophy of Devotion* (critics: Cheshire Calhoun, Claire Kirwin, Kyla Ebels-Duggan)
APA Pacific, March 2024
69. "Identities of Ressentiment"
Nietzsche in the Northeast Conference, SUNY Binghamton, October 2023
68. "The Threefold Root of the Nietzschean Drive Concept"
Friedrich Nietzsche Society Conference, Lausanne Switzerland, September 2023

67. “The Puzzle of Commitment”
CSU Fullerton, Extremism Workshop, April 2023
66. “The Rise and Fall of the Drive Concept”
Eastern APA, Schopenhauer Society Group Meeting, January 2023
65. “The Puzzle of Commitment”
University of Essex, December 2022
64. “The Rise and Fall of the Drive Concept”
London Nietzsche Seminar, November 2022
63. “The Puzzle of Commitment”
Oxford University, Moral Philosophy Seminar, November 2022
62. “Fanaticism and Resentment”
Hendrix College, Steel Center Lecture, October 2022
61. “Group Fanaticism and Narratives of Ressentiment”
University of Southern California, Conceptual Foundations of Conflict online
conference, June 2022
Recording available here: <https://youtu.be/1CWch9MarGo>
60. “Fanaticism and Resentment”
Milton Academy, April 2022
59. “Group Fanaticism and Narratives of Ressentiment”
University of Massachusetts at Boston, Center for Applied Ethics, April 2022
Recording available here: <https://youtu.be/1CWch9MarGo>
58. “The Fanatic and the Last Man”
Wabash College, March 2022
57. “The Ideally Inarticulate Valuer”
Tufts University, October 2021
56. “The Fanatic and the Last Man”
Keynote talk at the North American Nietzsche Society Conference, Atlanta, October
2021

55. "Nietzsche's Ethics"
The Philosopher (zoom-based talk series), November 2020
54. "Nihilism and the Abundance of Values"
Princeton University, February 2020
53. "Group Fanaticism as the Promotion of Psychological Fragility"
Keynote talk at the "Confronting Fanaticism" conference, University of Vienna,
November 2019
52. "What Makes the Affirmation of Life Difficult?"
Panel on Nihilism and Affirmation, SPEP, November 2019
51. "Nihilism and the Abundance of Values"
University of Wisconsin Milwaukee, October 2019
50. "On Having Self-Knowledge while Lacking Self-Understanding"
Yale University, Workshop of Self-Opacity, April 2019
49. "Nietzsche's *Genealogy of Morality*"
Columbia University, Lecture for Contemporary Civilizations Course, March 2019
- 47-48. "Importance and Dialectical Invulnerability"
George Washington University, February 2019
Northwestern University, Bechtel Workshop, September 2018
- 44-46. "Fanaticism and Sacred Values"
Roma Tre University, March 2018
University of Rome Tor Vegata, March 2018
John Cabot University, March 2018
43. "Nietzsche's Moral Methodology"
John Cabot University, Nietzsche in Rome Workshop, March 2018
42. "Precis" and "Response to Critics", APA Author Meets Critics Session on *The Nietzschean Self*, with comments from R. Lanier Anderson and Rebecca Bamford
APA Eastern, Savannah, January 2018
41. "Nietzsche on Religion, Fanaticism, and the Craving for Sacred Values"
Columbia University, New York German Idealism Workshop, May 2017
40. "Nietzschean Approaches to Hermeneutics"
Universität Bonn, Workshop on Hermeneutics, April 2017

39. "Can Constitutivism Provide a Response to Nihilism?"
University of Southampton, Workshop on "Constitutivism: Contemporary and Historical Approaches," April 2017
38. "Fanaticism and Sacred Values"
York University, November 2016
37. "Nietzsche on Fanaticism, Nihilism, and the Possibility of Higher Values"
College of the Holy Cross, September 2016
36. "The Rise and Fall of the Drive Concept"
Institute of Philosophy (London), Conference on 'Virtue Theory and the Medio-Passive Agent', June 2016
35. "Nietzsche on Sacred Values"
Warwick University, June 2016
34. "Nietzsche on Fanaticism, Nihilism, and the Possibility of Higher Values"
Temple University, Workshop on *The Birth of Tragedy*, May 2016
33. "Nietzsche on Fanaticism, Nihilism, and the Possibility of Higher Values"
SUNY Binghamton, Nietzsche in the Northeast Workshop, April 2016
32. "Nietzsche on Fanaticism, Nihilism, and the Possibility of Higher Values"
Bard College, April 2016
31. "The Nietzschean Self"
Amherst College, September 2015
30. "Fugitive Pleasure and the Meaningful Life: Nietzsche on Nihilism and Higher Values"
Chicago-Area Consortium in German Philosophy, April 2015
29. Seminar on *Agency and the Foundations of Ethics*
Georgia State University, April 2015
28. "Fugitive Pleasure and the Meaningful Life: Nietzsche on Nihilism and Higher Values"
Birkbeck College, March 2015
27. "The Emergence of the Drive Concept and the Collapse of the Human-Animal Divide"
King's College London, March 2015
26. "Nietzsche and Murdoch on the Moral Significance of Perceptual Experience"
University of Chicago, Departmental Visitor Series, February 2015
25. "Nietzsche on Nihilism and Drives: Response to Dannenberg and Reginster"
Author-Meets-Critics Session, APA Eastern Division, North American Nietzsche Society Session, December 2014

24. "Fugitive Pleasure and the Meaningful Life"
University of Pittsburgh, September 2014
23. "Nietzsche on the Unconscious"
Oxford University, May 2014
22. "Nietzsche on the Free Individual"
Workshop on Nietzsche, Value, and Self-Constitution, Oxford University, May 2014
21. "Kant and Nietzsche on Self-Knowledge"
University of Lisbon, May 2014
20. "Vision, History, and Conceptual Change"
Harvard University, Workshop on Cognitive Penetrability, April 2014
19. Comments on Michelle Kosch's "Independence and Agency in Fichte's Ethics"
Dartmouth College, Workshop on Autonomy in Ethical and Political Theory,
November 2013
18. "Vision, History, and Conceptual Change"
University of Toronto, November 2013
17. "Autonomy, Character, and Self-Understanding"
Workshop on Character, UNC Chapel Hill, May 2013
16. "Janaway on Schopenhauer on Free Will"
NYU Modern Philosophy Conference, November 2011
- 14-15. "Nietzsche and Kant on the Will: Two Models of Reflective Agency"
Temple University, December 2011
Leiden University, February 2011
13. "Nietzsche on Revaluation and Will to Power"
Vassar College, October 2010
12. "Nietzsche's Relevance for Contemporary Ethics"
Invited Symposium, American Philosophical Association Pacific Division (Main
Program), April 2010
11. "Philosophical Psychology as a Basis for Ethics"
American Philosophical Association Pacific Division, North American Nietzsche
Society Session, April 2009
10. "The Problem of Normative Authority in Kant, Hegel, and Nietzsche"
Workshop on Nietzsche and Kantian Ethics, University of Southampton, April 2009

- 8-9. “Activity and Passivity in Reflective Agency” and “Deriving Ethics from Action”
Texas Tech University, November 2008

Refereed Conferences

7. “Can Kantian Ethics be Presuppositionless? The Problem of Relevant Descriptions”
American Philosophical Association Pacific Division, Main Program, April 2012
- 5-6. “Activity and Passivity in Reflective Agency”
Sixth Annual Metaethics Workshop, Univ. of Wisconsin-Madison, September 2009
Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress, Univ. of Colorado-Boulder, August 2009
- 2-4. “Constitutivism and Self-Knowledge”
American Philosophical Association Pacific Division, Main Program, April 2007
Brown University Graduate Philosophy Conference, October 2006
Princeton/Rutgers Graduate Philosophy Conference, March 2006
1. “Nietzsche on Agency and Self-Ignorance”
American Philosophical Association Central Division, North American Nietzsche
Society Session, April 2006

Presentations at Boston University

- “Identities of Resentment”
Tenth Annual Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy, April 2023
- “Irony, Affirmation, and the Appeal of Inarticulacy”
Ninth Annual Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy, September 2021
- “On Having Self-Knowledge while Lacking Self-Understanding”
Boston University, Institute for Philosophy and Religion Lecture Series on “Wisdom
and Transformation,” December 2019
- “Two Rival Theories of Human Action”
Eighth Annual BU Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy, April 2019
- “Fanaticism and Sacred Values”
Seventh Annual BU Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy, February 2018
- “Nihilism and the Indeterminacy of Practical Reason”
Sixth Annual BU Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy, May 2017
- “Fugitive Pleasure and the Meaningful Life: Nietzsche on Nihilism and Higher Values”
Fourth Annual BU Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy, October 2014
- “Vision, History, and Conceptual Change”
Third Annual BU Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy, October 2013

“Nietzsche on the Unconscious”

Second Annual BU Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy, October 2012

“Nietzsche and Kant on the Will: Two Models of Reflective Agency”

First Annual BU Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy, October 2011

“Schopenhauer and Nietzsche on the Nature of Happiness”

Presentation for BU Undergraduate Philosophy Association, April 2011

Grants, Awards, and Fellowships

2023-2026	“Devotion as an Expression of Spiritual Yearning: Conceptual and Empirical Investigations.” John Templeton Foundation, Spiritual Yearning Research Initiative. (\$232,195)
2011-present	Annual awards ranging from \$5500-16200 for the BU Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy, Boston University Center for the Humanities
2018	Henderson Senior Research Fellow (one-semester leave), Boston University Center for the Humanities
2012	“The Concept of Unified Agency in Nietzsche, Plato, and Schiller” selected by <i>Philosopher’s Annual</i> as one of the ten best articles published in 2011
2012-2013	Junior Faculty Fellow, BU Center for the Humanities (one-year fellowship)
2008	Award for Excellence in Teaching, Committee on Undergraduate Education, Harvard University
2007	Bowen Prize (awarded to one student annually for a paper in moral philosophy), Department of Philosophy, Harvard University
2005-2006	Center for Ethics Graduate Fellowship (competitive one-year fellowship), Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University
2004	Bechtel Prize (awarded to one student annually for a paper in philosophy), Department of Philosophy, Harvard University
2004	Award for Excellence in Teaching, Committee on Undergraduate Education, Harvard University
2002	Harvard Graduate Society Summer Fellowship
2001	Phi Beta Kappa
2001	Henry Ogden Award (for best philosophy thesis), Vassar College

Media/Interviews

- 2023 Interview on *New Books Network*, focusing on *Philosophy of Devotion*
<https://newbooksnetwork.com/philosophy-of-devotion>
- 2023 Interview on *The Philosopher*, focusing on *Philosophy of Devotion*
https://youtu.be/tpRFGjviF_Q?si=L_nKL-miZt9dL_cTYZ
- 2023 Podcast interview for *The Dissenter*, focusing on *Philosophy of Devotion*
<https://youtu.be/is5snuaUUA0>
- 2022 Recording of “Group Fanaticism and Narratives of Ressentiment” talk at UMass Boston, April 2022
<https://youtu.be/1CWch9MarGo>
- 2021 Conversation on Nietzsche with *The Nietzsche Podcast*
<https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/untimely-reflections-7-paul-katsafanas-nietzschean/id1573808070?i=1000543515233>
- 2020 Conversation on Nietzsche’s Ethics for *The Philosopher*
<https://youtu.be/ir2EjwWmv4E>
- 2019 Podcast interview for *The Dissenter*
<https://youtu.be/o7LxgsSZbZk>
- 2019 Podcast interview for *The Vitruvian Man*
<https://tinyurl.com/yy2gsvqh>
- 2018 Interview for *3AM Magazine* (literature and philosophy journal)
<https://316am.site123.me/articles/nietzschean-flourishing?c=end-times-archive%E2%80%8B>
- 2018 Interview for *Filosofia in Movimento* (Italian radio/video program, in English with Italian subtitles)
<http://filosofiainformovimento.it/video-i-valori-dellilluminismo-colloquio-tra-robert-louden-e-paolo-quintili/>
- 2017 Interview for *Political Theory Review Podcast*
https://www.podomatic.com/podcasts/thepoliticaltheoryreview/episodes/2017-08-15T12_24_32-07_00
- 2015 Interview for *Simply Charly* (educational website)

Teaching Experience

- Fall 2023 *Nietzsche* (PH 419/619)
- Fall 2019 – Spring 2023: *Graduate Dissertation Workshop* (PH 990)
- Spring 2023 *Graduate Seminar on Recognition and Identity* (PH 880)
- Fall 2022 *Nietzsche* (PH 419/619)
- Spring 2022 *Introduction to Ethics* (PH 150)
- Fall 2021 *Graduate Seminar on Fanaticism and Extremism* (PH 880)
- Fall 2021 *Existentialism* (PH 248)
- Spring 2021 *Nietzsche* (PH 419/619)
- Fall 2020 *Graduate Seminar on Meaning in Life* (PH 819)
- Fall 2020 *Existentialism* (PH 248)
- Spring 2020 *Nietzsche* (PH 419/619)
- Fall 2019 *Existentialism* (PH 248)
- Fall 2019 *Graduate Seminar on Self-Knowledge and Self-Opacity* (PH 880)
- Spring 2019 *Human Nature: Darwin, Marx, Nietzsche, Freud* (PH 242)
- Spring 2019 *Nineteenth-Century Philosophy* (PH 419/619)

Fall 2018	<i>Graduate Seminar on Ethics</i> (PH 819)
Fall 2018	<i>Existentialism</i> (PH 248)
Spring 2017	<i>Graduate Seminar on Moral Psychology</i> (PH 819)
Spring 2017	<i>Existentialism</i> (PH 248)
Fall 2016	<i>Graduate Placement Seminar</i>
Fall 2016	<i>Introduction to Ethics</i> (PH 150)
Spring 2016	<i>Introduction to Ethics</i> (PH 150)
Spring 2016	<i>Existentialism</i> (PH 248)
Fall 2015	<i>Nietzsche</i> (PH 419/619)
Fall 2015	<i>Human Nature: Darwin, Marx, Nietzsche, Freud</i> (PH 242)
Spring 2015	<i>Nineteenth-Century Philosophy</i> (PH 415/615)
Spring 2015	<i>Introduction to Ethics</i> (PH 150)
Spring 2014	Graduate seminar: <i>Nietzsche</i> (PH 883)
Spring 2014	<i>Introduction to Ethics</i> (PH 150)
Spring 2012	<i>Introduction to Ethics</i> (PH 150)
Spring 2012	<i>History of Ethics</i> (PH 350)
Fall 2011	<i>Nietzsche</i> (PH 419/619)
Fall 2011	<i>Existentialism</i> (PH 248)
Spring 2011	<i>Nineteenth-Century Philosophy</i> (PH 415/615)
Spring 2011	<i>Introduction to Ethics</i> (PH 150)
Fall 2010	<i>Existentialism</i> (PH 248)

Service

Service to the profession:

- Executive Director, North American Nietzsche Society, 2021-present
- Steering Committee, North American Nietzsche Society, 2015–2021
- Conference Co-Organizer, North American Nietzsche Society, 2015–present
- Founder and Organizer of *The BU Workshop on Late Modern Philosophy* (annual conference featuring 6-8 invited speakers), 2011–present
- Editorial Board, *History of Philosophy Quarterly*, 2017–present
- Associate Editor, *Journal of Nietzsche Studies*, 2015–2017
- Fellowship proposal reviewer for The American Academy in Berlin, 2017-18
- Assessments for *The British Academy*, 2021
- Tenure and promotion reviews for multiple candidates

Service at Boston University:

- Colloquium Committee, 2023 – present
- Director of Graduate Studies, 2018 – 2023
- Search Committee Chair, Full Professor in Ancient Greek Philosophy, 2021-23
- Search Committee Member, junior position in Ethics/Political/Legal Philosophy, 2021-22
- University Council Committee on Graduate Academic Programs and Policies, 2019-2020
- Executive Committee, BU Center for the Humanities, 2018-2021
- Search Committee Member, junior position in Mind/Language, 2016-17
- Search Committee Member, senior position on Kant, 2016-17

- Director of Graduate Placement, 2016-17
- Director of Undergraduate Studies, 2011–13 and 2014-16
- Graduate Admissions Committee, 2011-12, 2013–14, 2015-16
- Search Committee Member, junior position in Medical Ethics, 2010–11
- Guest lecture on Nietzsche in the Core Curriculum class CC 202, April 2012, April 2013, April 2014, April 2015, April 2016, April 2022, April 2023
- Trustee Scholar Selection Committee, 2014-17

PhD students:

- (1) Ian Dunkle
 - Dissertation defense completed January 2018; Assistant Professor, University of Southern Mississippi
- (2) Joel Van Fossen
 - Dissertation defense completed January 2023; Assistant Professor, Hosei University Tokyo
- (3) Pol Pardini Gispert
 - Dissertation prospectus in progress
- (4) Caroline Wall
 - Dissertation prospectus in progress
- (5) Casey Grippio
 - Dissertation prospectus in progress

Referee for:

Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie
Australasian Journal of Philosophy (x 3)
British Journal for the History of Philosophy (x 4)
Cambridge University Press (x 3)
Canadian Journal of Philosophy
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