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## Areas of Specialization

- Ethics (with an emphasis on Kant), Moral Psychology

## Areas of Competence

- Applied Ethics, Feminist Philosophy, Philosophy of Religion, Existentialism

## Work Experience

- 2017-present: Lawrence University, Assistant Professor of Philosophy
- 2015-17: Lawrence University, Visiting Assistant Professor of Philosophy and Uihlein Fellow of Ethics
- 2013-15: Lawrence University, Postdoctoral Fellow of Philosophy and Uihlein Fellow of Ethics
- 2012-13: Ball State University, Instructor of Philosophy

## Education

- University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign: Ph.D. in philosophy, 2012
  - Thesis: "Love, Self-Constitution, and Practical Necessity"
  - Committee: David Sussman (chair), Colleen Murphy, Kirk Sanders, and Helga Varden
- University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign: M.A. in philosophy, 2006
- Wake Forest University: B.A. in philosophy (minor in religion), 2002 (*cum laude*)

## Publications

- "Graveside and Other Asymmetrical Promises," *Social Theory and Practice*, 44.4 (2018): 469-483. [DOI: 10.5840/soctheorpract201891344]
- "How We Hurt the Ones We Love," *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly*, 98.2 (2017): 295-317. [DOI: 10.1111/papq.12101]

## Work in Progress

- "Grief"
- "Rules of Disengagement: A Kantian Account of the Relationship between Former Friends"
- "Affirmation and Regret"

## Fellowships and Awards

- University of Illinois Philosophy Department Distinguished Graduate Student Teaching Award
  - 2011
- University of Illinois List of Teachers Ranked as Outstanding<sup>1</sup>
  - Fall 2011 (Honors Introduction to Ethics)
- University of Illinois List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent<sup>2</sup>
  - Fall 2010 (Introduction to Ethics, Advanced Composition Course)
  - Fall 2008 (Introduction to Ethics)
  - Spring 2008 (Honors Introduction to Ethics)
- North American Society for Social Philosophy Graduate Student Essay Award
  - 2010
- University of Illinois Philosophy Department Fellowships
  - 2008-2009, Summer 2008, 2006-2007, 2005-2006
- Wake Forest University Pritchard Prize for Excellence in Philosophy
  - May 2002

## Presentations

### Invited Talks

- “The Heavy Burden of Friendship”
  - Invited Colloquium, Swarthmore College, March 2015
- “How We Hurt the Ones We Love”
  - Invited Colloquium, Knox College, May 2012

### Professional Workshops

- “Grief”
  - North American Kant Society Junior Women Workshop, November 2017
- “The Heavy Burden of Friendship”
  - The Mentoring Workshop for Pre-Tenure Women Faculty in Philosophy, June 2015
- “Graveside Promises”
  - Senior Experience Workshop Retreat, Lawrence University, May 2014

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<sup>1</sup> For receiving top 10% in “Overall Teaching Effectiveness”: [http://cte.illinois.edu/teacheval/ices/exc\\_teach.html](http://cte.illinois.edu/teacheval/ices/exc_teach.html).

<sup>2</sup> For receiving a 4.4 or higher out of 5 in “Overall Teaching Effectiveness.”

## Conference Presentations

- “Guard Jealously: A Defense of Exclusivity in Love”
  - APA Pacific Division, April 2014
- “How We Hurt the Ones We Love”
  - APA Central Division, February 2013
  - Illinois Philosophical Association, November 2011
  - North American Society for Social Philosophy, July 2011
- “Grief and Love”
  - Illinois Philosophical Association, November 2012
- “Getting It: Love, Humor, and Joint Emotion”
  - North American Society for Social Philosophy Group Session at APA Central Division, February 2012
- “Love’s Peculiar Appeal”
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Biannual North American Kant Conference, 2011
- “Life After Death: Making Sense of Grief”
  - APA Pacific Division, April 2011
- “A Kantian Response to Love’s Appeal”
  - Philosophy of Sex and Love Group Session at APA Eastern Division, December 2010
- “The ‘Selfish’ Side of Grief”
  - North American Society for Social Philosophy, July 2010 (Winner: Graduate Essay Award)
- “Why Hume Must Love Himself”
  - North American Society for Social Philosophy, July 2009

## Comments

- “Reasons for Love: Against the Substitution Argument” by Carter Johnson
  - APA Pacific Division, April 2018
- “Is Foot an Immoralist?” by Ryan Kemp
  - APA Pacific Division, April 2012
- “Modesty as a Global Perspective” by Nicholas Baima
  - University of Illinois Graduate Philosophy Conference, April 2010
- “Thinking, Identity, Politics: Finding Personal Identity in Feminist Projects” by Blake Francis
  - University of Illinois Graduate Philosophy Conference, April 2009
- “Constructing a Moral Semantics for Hume’s Moral Theory” by Keith Erwin
  - University of Illinois Graduate Philosophy Conference, March 2008

## Teaching Experience

Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Lawrence University (2017-present)<sup>3</sup>

- Women and Friendship, Winter 2019
- Ethics, Fall 2018
- Freshman Studies, Fall 2018<sup>4</sup>
- Philosophy of Sex and Love, Spring 2018
- Introduction to Biomedical Ethics, Winter 2019, Winter 2018
- Feminism and Philosophy, Fall 2017
- Value Theory, Fall 2017

Visiting Assistant Professor and Uihlein Fellow of Ethics, Lawrence University (2015-2017)

- Existentialism, Spring 2017
- Women and Friendship, Winter 2017
- Advanced Studies in Biomedical Ethics, Winter 2017
- Ethics, Fall 2016
- Senior Capstone Seminar, Spring 2016
- Introduction to Biomedical Ethics, Spring 2017, Fall 2016, Spring 2016, Winter 2016
- Philosophy of Sex and Love, Winter 2016
- Feminism and Philosophy, Fall 2015
- Freshman Studies, Fall 2015

Postdoctoral Fellow and Uihlein Fellow of Ethics, Lawrence University (2013-2015)

- Existentialism, Spring 2015
- Introduction to Biomedical Ethics, Spring 2015, Fall 2014, Winter 2014
- Women and Friendship, Winter 2015
- Feminism and Philosophy, Spring 2014
- Freshman Studies, Fall 2013

Instructor, Ball State University (2012-2013)

- Introduction to Ethics, Spring 2013 (four classes), Fall 2012 (three classes)
- Practical and Professional Ethics: “Misanthropy and the Moral Vices,” Fall 2012

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<sup>3</sup> The academic year at Lawrence University comprises three ten-week terms.

<sup>4</sup> Faculty at Lawrence University teach small sections of an interdisciplinary course required for all freshmen: [http://www.lawrence.edu/academics/study/freshman\\_studies](http://www.lawrence.edu/academics/study/freshman_studies).

Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (2004-2012)

- Graduate Instructor
  - Introduction to Ethics, Spring 2012, Fall 2008, Spring 2008, Fall 2007
  - Honors Introduction to Ethics, Fall 2011, Spring 2008
- Mentor for New Teaching Assistants
  - Introduction to Ethics, Fall 2009 (four sections)
- Teaching Assistant
  - Introduction to Ethics (Advanced Composition Course), Fall 2010 (two sections)
  - Medical Ethics, Spring 2010 (two sections)
  - Introduction to Logic, Fall 2006 (one section)
  - Introduction to Philosophy, Spring 2006 (one section)
  - Introduction to Logic, Fall 2005 (one section)
  - Introduction to Logic, Spring 2005 (three sections)
- Grader
  - Modern Philosophy, Spring 2011
  - Ancient Philosophy, Fall 2009
  - Ethical Theories, Spring 2007
  - Philosophy of Religion, Fall 2004

#### **Departmental Service, Professional Service, Organizations**

- Program Committee Member, American Philosophical Association's Central Division meeting, 2020
- Coordinator, Lawrence University's "Strange Philosophy Thing" weekly meetings, 2014-present
- Referee, *Philosophical Papers*, Fall 2017
- Faculty Advisor, Lawrence University Philosophy Club, 2015-2016, 2014-2015
- Referee, *Southern Journal of Philosophy*, Spring 2016
- Referee, *Social Philosophy Today*, Spring 2015, Spring 2014
- Faculty Co-Advisor, Ball State University Philosophy Club, 2012-2013
- Graduate Representative, University of Illinois Graduate Student Philosophy Organization, 2009-2010, 2006-2007, 2005-2006
- Graduate Relations Committee, University of Illinois Graduate Student Philosophy Organization, 2009-2010
- Organizer, "Sexual Selves" Conference, University of Illinois, May 2009
- President, University of Illinois Graduate Student Philosophy Organization, 2007-2008
- Organizer, "Plato's *Timaeus* Today" Conference, University of Illinois, September 2007
- Member, American Philosophical Association, North American Kant Society, North American Society for Social Philosophy, Society for the Philosophy of Sex and Love

## References

- Available upon request