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Curriculum Vitae

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Education

Ph.D. Philosophy
UC San Diego, San Diego, CA   June 2023

Dissertation: *"Who Do You Think You Are?": How Relationships Shape the Ethics of Influence.*
Committee: Dana Nelkin (chair), David Brink, Craig McKenzie, Manuel Vargas, Monique Wonderly

M.A. Philosophy
Northern Illinois University, Dekalb, IL   Aug 2012-2015

B.A. Philosophy, B.A. Graphic Design
Portland State University, Portland, OR   Aug 2004-June 2010

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Areas of Specialization │ Ethics (Normative and Applied), Moral Psychology

Areas of Competence │ Bioethics, Ethics of Technology, Social and Political Philosophy (incl. Feminist Philosophy and Mexican Philosophy)

Publications

"The Normative Burdens of Trust." *Oxford Studies in Normative Ethics*, Volume 12 (2022): 149-169.

"Trolleys and Transplants: Derailing the Distinction Between Doing and Allowing." *De Ethica. A Journal of Philosophical, Theological and Applied Ethics* 2, no. 2 (2015): 9-18.

Awards

2023	Essay of the Year, UC San Diego Philosophy Department, for "'Mind Your Own Business!' Relationships and Standing to Give Reasons"
2020	Teaching Assistant of the Year, UC San Diego Philosophy Department
2014	Winner, Rafalson Essay Contest, NIU Philosophy, for "Trolleys and Transplants: Derailing the Distinction Between Doing and Allowing"

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Philosophy Teaching Experience

Instructor of Record

  Philosophy of Emotion (Fa 2023 UC San Diego)

Introduction to Ethics (Sp, Fa 2023 UC San Diego)

Introduction to Philosophy: Reality and Knowledge (2022 – San Diego City College)

Introduction to Biomedical Ethics (2022, 2020 – UC San Diego)

Technology and Human Values (2021 – UC San Diego)

Ethics and Society I (2021 – UC San Diego)

Topics in Bioethics (2020 – UC San Diego)

Teaching Assistant (UC San Diego)

Data Ethics (2022)

Ethics and Society I (2022, 2021, 2017)

Introduction to Logic (2020)

Culture & Society/International Perspectives (Mexican Philosophy) (2019, 2018)

Philosophy Between Reason and Despair (2019)

Mexican Philosophy (2019)

Introduction to Philosophy: Knowledge and its Limits (2016)

Ethics and Society II (2016)

Bio-medical Ethics (2015)

Other Teaching Experience

Instructor of Record

Co-instructor, UC San Diego Extension Academic Connections (2018)

Primary Instructor

Warren College Writing Program, UC San Diego (2016-2018)

Presentations

2022   "Depersonalizing Trust: A Challenge for Commitment Views"
            · Workshop on Agency, Values, Etc., UC San Diego
            · UC San Diego Summer Program for the Advancement of Women in Philosophy
2021   "The Normative Burdens of Trust"
            · Arizona Workshop in Normative Ethics
2019   "A Relationship-Based Account of the Wrongness of Manipulation"
            · Agency and Responsibility Group, UC San Diego

2015	"Manufacturing Preference: Why Some Nudges Are Impermissible"
	· UC San Diego Summer Program for the Advancement of Women in Philosophy
2013-2014	"Trolleys and Transplants: Derailing the Distinction Between Doing and Allowing"
	· University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign Annual Graduate Philosophy Conference
	· Intermountain West Student Philosophy Conference, University of Utah
2014	"Moderate Particularism: The Dilemma of Defeasibility"
	· Southeastern Graduate Philosophy Conference

Academic Service

2022	Commentator, Athena in Action, Rutgers
2022	Commentator, Workshop on Agency, Value, Etc., UC San Diego
2018	Commentator, American Philosophical Association Pacific Division
2017-2022	Board member, graphic design, UCSD Summer Program for Women in Philosophy
2017-2018	Volunteer co-instructor, Intro to Psychology, e3 Civic High school, San Diego, CA
2015, present	Volunteer, UCSD Summer Program for the Advancement of Women in Philosophy
2013	Commentator, 7th Annual Northern Philosophy Graduate Conference
2013	Graduate Colloquium Committee of NIU Graduate School
2013	Facilitator, NIU "Bold Futures" Administrative Workshop
2013	Referee, 7th Annual Northern Philosophy Graduate Conference
2012	Referee, 6th Annual Northern Philosophy Graduate Conference

Professional Affiliations │ American Association of University Women

American Philosophical Association

References

Dana K. Nelkin │ Dept. Chair and Professor of Philosophy, UC San Diego • dnelkin@ucsd.edu

David O. Brink │ UC Distinguished Professor of Philosophy, UC San Diego • dbrink@ucsd.edu

Craig R. M. McKenzie │ Professor of Psychology, UC San Diego • cmckenzie@ucsd.edu

Manuel Vargas │ Professor of Philosophy, UC San Diego • mrvargas@ucsd.edu

Monique Wonderly │ Associate Professor of Philosophy, UC San Diego • mlwonderly@ucsd.edu

ADDENDUM: Graduate Coursework

Ethical and Legal Theory
- Ethics of AI in Healthcare (Independent study with David Danks)
- Ethics (David Brink, Dana Nelkin)
- Legal Interpretation (Sam Rickless)
- Compensation and Restitution (Saba Bazargan)
- Philosophy of Trust (Monique Wonderly
- Trust (Independent study with Monique Wonderly)
- Advanced Ethical Theory (Jason Hanna)
- Paternalism and Coercion (Jason Hanna)
- Global Justice (Steven Daskal)

Agency/Philosophy of Action
- Deliberation and Reasons-Responsiveness (Dana Nelkin)
- Moral Responsibility and Social Contexts (Manuel Vargas)
- Manipulation (Independent study with Manuel Vargas)
- Practical Reasoning (Steven Daskal)

Logic & Philosophy of Science
- Philosophy of Science (Craig Callender, Charles Sebens)
- Metaphysics of Science (Carl Gillett)
- Time and Change (Valia Allori)
- Paradoxes (Valia Allori)
- Intermediate Logic (Tomis Kapitan)
- Truth (David Buller)

Language, Epistemology, Metaphysics, and Mind
- Emotion (Matthew Fulkerson)
- Philosophy of Emotion (Independent study with Matthew Fulkerson)
- Epistemology (Geoff Pynn)
- Epistemology of Perception (Geoff Pynn)
- Philosophy of Language (Lenny Clapp)
- Philosophy of Mind (Carl Gillett)
- Free Will (Tomis Kapitan)

History of Philosophy
- Greek Philosophy (Don Rutherford and Monte Johnson)
- John Locke (Sam Rickless)
- Modern German Aesthetics (Clinton Tolley)
- 20th Century Analytic Philosophy (David Buller)

Non-Philosophy Courses
- (Psychology of) Judgment & Decision Making (Craig McKenzie)
- Social Psychology (Piotr Winkielman)
- Behavioral Neuroscience (Christina Gremel)