

## Curriculum Vitae

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Department of Philosophy  
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### EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor, Philosophy, University of New Mexico

### EDUCATION

Harvard University  
A.B. in Philosophy *cum laude*, June 1997

University of Cambridge  
M.Phil. in Philosophy, July 1998

Thesis: "Naturalism, Interpretation, and the Possibility of Alternative  
Conceptual Schemes: An Investigation of Davidson and McDowell"  
Thesis advisor: Dr. B. Jane Heal

University of California, Irvine  
Ph.D. in Philosophy, June 2002

Dissertation: "Experience and Structure: An Investigation in the History of  
Philosophy of Mind"  
Director: Prof. David Woodruff Smith

### PUBLICATIONS

#### **Authored Books (sole author):**

*Philosophical History and the Problem of Consciousness*  
Cambridge University Press, 2004 (Paperback edition: 2009)

*Philosophy and the Vision of Language*  
Routledge Press, 2008 (Paperback edition: 2010)

*The Politics of Logic: Badiou, Wittgenstein, and the Consequences of Formalism*  
Routledge Press, 2011

## Refereed Articles and Book Chapters:

- “Russellian and Wittgensteinian Atomism”  
*Philosophical Investigations* 24:1 (2001), pp. 30-54
- “Experience and Structure: Philosophical History and the Problem of Consciousness”  
*Journal of Consciousness Studies* 9:3 (2002), pp. 15-34
- “Husserl and Schlick on the Logical Form of Experience”  
*Synthese* 132:2 (2002), pp. 239-72
- “Thinking and Being: Heidegger and Wittgenstein on Machination and Lived-Experience”  
*Inquiry* 46:3 (2003), pp. 324-45
- “‘Meaning Is Use’ in the *Tractatus*”  
*Philosophical Investigations* 27:1 (2004), pp. 34-67
- “Functionalism and Logical Analysis”  
In David W. Smith and Amie Thomasson, ed., *Phenomenology and Philosophy of Mind*. Oxford University Press, 2005.
- “Rationalist Elements of Twentieth-Century Analytic Philosophy”  
In Alan Nelson, ed., *A Companion to Rationalism*. Blackwell, 2005.
- “Wittgenstein, Kant, and the Critique of Totality”  
*Philosophy and Social Criticism* 33:6 (2007), pp. 691-715
- “Agamben, Badiou, and Russell”  
*Continental Philosophy Review* 42:3 (2009), pp. 297-325
- “The Breath of Sense: Language, Structure, and the Paradox of Origin”  
*Konturen* vol. 2 (2010), online with response and discussion by Samuel Wheeler: [http://konturen.uoregon.edu/vol2\\_Livingston.html](http://konturen.uoregon.edu/vol2_Livingston.html)
- “Wittgenstein, Turing, and the ‘Finitude’ of Language”  
*Linguistic and Philosophical Investigations* 9 (2010), pp. 215-47
- “Derrida and Formal Logic: Formalising the Undecidable”  
*Derrida Today* 3:2 (2010), pp. 221-39
- “Trauma of the Real”  
In D. Wittkower, ed., *Philip K. Dick and Philosophy*. Open Court, 2011.
- “Badiou and the Politics of Form”  
Forthcoming (2012) in *Philosophy Compass*

“Badiou and the Consequences of Formalism”  
Forthcoming (2012) in *Cosmos and History*

“Badiou, Mathematics, and Model Theory”  
Forthcoming (2012) in *MonoKL* (invited contribution)

**Review Articles:**

“Scott Soames: Philosophical Analysis in the Twentieth Century” (Review Article)  
*Inquiry* 49:3 (2006), pp. 290-311

“Alain Badiou: Being and Event” (Review Article)  
*Inquiry* 51:2 (2008), pp. 217-238

**Book Reviews:**

“Karl Schuhmann: Selected Papers on Phenomenology”  
*Grazer Philosophische Studien* 70 (2004)

“G. Kiel and U. Tietz (eds): Phänomenologie und Sprachanalyse”  
*Grazer Philosophische Studien* 72 (2006)

“Phenomenal Concepts and Phenomenal Knowledge”  
*APA Newsletter on Feminism and Philosophy* 8:1, Fall 2008

“Alain Badiou: Logics of Worlds (Being and Event II)”  
*Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews* 10/8/09  
<http://ndpr.nd.edu/review.cfm?id=17765>

“William Child: Wittgenstein”  
*Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews* 11/22/11  
<http://ndpr.nd.edu/news/27538-wittgenstein/>

“Lee Braver: A Thing of this World”  
*Continental Philosophy Review* 45:1 (2012), pp. 161-70.

## TEACHING AND ADVISING

Associate Professor, University of New Mexico, 2011-Present

Courses Taught:

Philosophy 201: Greek Thought  
Philosophy 350: Philosophy of Science  
Philosophy 469/569: Derrida (graduate/undergraduate)

Assistant Professor, University of New Mexico, 2009-2011

Courses Taught:

Philosophy 201: Greek Philosophy  
Philosophy 350: Philosophy of Science  
Philosophy 415: History and Philosophy of Mathematics  
(graduate/undergraduate)  
Philosophy 455: Philosophy of Mind (graduate/undergraduate)  
Philosophy 457/557: History of Analytic Philosophy (graduate/undergraduate)  
Philosophy 442/542: Husserl (graduate/undergraduate)

Doctoral Dissertation Advising, University of New Mexico

Tanya Whitehouse (Director)  
Siobahn McLoughlin (Committee member)  
Laura Guerrero (Committee member)

Honors Advisor, Phi Sigma Tau Advisor, 2010-Present

Undergraduate Advisor, 2012-

Assistant Professor, Villanova University, 2003-08 (on sabbatical/leave 2006-07):

Courses Taught 2003-2008:

Philosophy 8750: Husserl (Graduate Seminar)  
Philosophy 8150: History of Twentieth Century Philosophy  
(Graduate Seminar)  
Philosophy 8120: Wittgenstein (Graduate Seminar)  
Philosophy 8650: Philosophy of Language (Graduate  
Seminar)  
Philosophy 5000: Language: The House of Being (Honors-  
Level Undergraduate/Graduate Seminar) (2 times)  
Philosophy 4610: Philosophy of Mind (4 times)  
Philosophy 2700/4050: Philosophy of Science (2 times)  
Philosophy 2015: Introduction to Logic and Critical  
Thinking  
Philosophy 1050: Introduction to Philosophy (3 times)  
Humanities 1001: Modern Thought  
Independent Study (graduate level): Phenomenology and  
Philosophy of Mind

Doctoral Dissertation Advising, Villanova University  
John Bova (Director)  
Jeffrey Gower (Committee member)

Faculty Sponsor, Undergraduate Philosophy Club and Phi Sigma Tau  
(Philosophical Honor Society), Villanova University, 2005-2006 and  
2007-08

Faculty Fellow, UC Irvine, 2002-2003

Courses Taught (sole responsibility):

Philosophy 151-216: Heidegger (Graduate/Undergraduate  
Seminar)

Philosophy 13: History of Contemporary Philosophy

Philosophy 6: Philosophy and Psychoanalysis

Instructor, UC Irvine, Fall 2001

Course Taught (sole responsibility):

Philosophy 151: Heidegger

Visting Professor, University of San Carlos, Cebu City, Philippines, May 2011

Course Taught: Wittgenstein and Heidegger (graduate seminar)

Seminar Leader, Collegium Phaenomenologicum, summer 2009

Seminar Leader, Collegium Phaenomenologicum, summer 2006

Teaching Associate, UC Irvine, Fall 2000 – Spring 2001, Humanities Core Course

## PRESENTATIONS

“Badiou *contra* Wittgenstein”

Paper read at Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy;  
50<sup>th</sup> annual conference; Philadelphia, PA; October 2011

“Phenomenology and Reflexivity: Getting Clear on Self-Representational  
Theories”

Presentation to 4<sup>th</sup> annual ANU “Consciousness at the Beach”  
conference; Kioloa, Australia; July 2011

“Heidegger, Davidson, Tugendhat, and Truth”

University of Sydney; Philosophy Department Colloquium; July 2011

“Phenomenal Concepts and the Problem of Acquaintance”

Australian National University Philosophy Research Seminar; June 2011

“Heidegger on Information Technology”

Paper read at 35<sup>th</sup> annual conference of PHAVISMINDA: Philosophical  
Association of the Visayas and Mindanao; Ilo-Ilo, Philippines; May  
2011

“Badiou and the Consequences of Formalism”

Paper read at Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy;  
49<sup>th</sup> annual conference; Montreal, Quebec; October 2010

“Wittgenstein reads Heidegger, Heidegger reads Wittgenstein”

Paper read at Southwest Seminar in Continental Philosophy;  
University of New Mexico; June 2010

“Heidegger on Logos and Truth”

Presentation to California Phenomenology Circle; Irvine, CA; May  
2010.

“Wittgenstein and Turing”

UCI Philosophy Department Colloquium; Irvine, CA; May 2010.

“The Origin of Language and the Aporia of Sense: Quine and Heidegger”

Paper read at San Jose State University Center for Comparative  
Philosophy 2010 Workshop: “Constructive Engagement of  
Analytic and Continental Approaches in Philosophy;” San Jose,  
CA; April 2010

“Wittgenstein and Turing”

Paper read at North American Wittgenstein Society annual meeting,  
Pacific Division APA; San Francisco, CA; April 2010

“Hesitations at the Threshold: Badiou and Derrida”

Response to Bill Martin: “Mathematics and Intertextuality: Opening  
Variations on Derrida and Badiou”; Society for Phenomenology and  
Existential Philosophy, 48<sup>th</sup> annual conference; Arlington, VA; October  
2009

“Wittgenstein, Turing, and the ‘Finitude’ of Language”

Paper read at 32<sup>nd</sup> annual Wittgenstein Symposium; Kirchberg am  
Wechsel, Austria; August 2009

“Political Animals: Derrida on Animality and Sovereignty”

Paper read at *Derrida Today* conference; Macquarie University, Sydney,  
Australia; July 2008

“The Breath of Sense: Language, Structure, and the Paradox of Origin”

Paper read at University of Oregon Spring Colloquium “Between Nature  
and Culture: After the Analytic-Continental Divide” (invited  
contribution); Eugene, OR; May 2008

“Silences and Voices in Heidegger’s *Beiträge*”

Paper read at Collegium Phaenomenologicum; Citta di Castello, Italy;  
July 2005

“Husserl and Schlick on the Logical Analysis of Experience”

Paper read at BSHP/Oxford University Conference on Phenomenology  
and the History of Analysis; Oxford University; March 2005

“Philosophy of Science: A Role for Humanity?”

Faculty seminar/workshop. Villanova University, February 2005

“Toward an Interpretive Phenomenology”

Paper read at Conference on Phenomenology and the Theory of Mind;  
University of Central Florida; January 2005

Commentator

“Phenomenology and Philosophy of Mind”

Greater Philadelphia Philosophy Consortium Conference; Philadelphia,  
PA; October 2004

“Toward an Interpretive Phenomenology”

Paper read at the Society for the Study of Husserl’s Phenomenology;  
Central Division APA; Chicago, IL; April 2004

“Ryle on Sensation and the Origin of the Identity Theory”  
Colloquium; University of Toronto; February 2002

“On a Problem with the Structure of Experience”  
Paper read at *Tucson 2000: Toward a Science of Consciousness*  
conference; University of Arizona; Tucson, AZ; April 2000

Commentator; “Underdetermination and the Problem of Identical Rivals” by P.  
D. Magnus  
Southern California Philosophy Conference; University of California,  
Irvine, October 2001

## **AWARDS AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Visiting Research Fellow  
Australian National University; Canberra, Australia; June-August 2011

Alexander von Humboldt Research Fellow  
Freiburg University, Germany, spring-summer 2007; renewed summer  
2009  
Research Project: “Reading Language and *Logos* in Husserl and  
Heidegger”

Co-Editor for Continental Philosophy, philpapers.org  
June 2011-present

Chair, colloquium on “The Carnap/Quine Debate and its Contemporary  
Relevance to Metaontology”; Society for the Study of Analytical  
Philosophy; Pacific Division APA; San Diego, CA; April 2011

Chair, colloquium on “Continental Philosophy – Judgment and Infinity”  
Eastern Division APA; Baltimore, MD; December 2007

Villanova University Faculty Summer Research Grant, summer 2007

Villanova University Faculty Summer Research Grant, summer 2004

UCI Humanities Dissertation Fellowship, spring 2002

UCI Humanities Summer Dissertation Fellowship, summer 2001

Humanities Graduate Essay Prize; cash award for best essay in Philosophy,  
spring 2001  
“Husserl and Schlick on the Logical Form of Experience”

Co-Author; “Causal Analysis”

Humanities Core Course *Writer’s Guide*, 2001-2002

Instructional material used in the instruction of over 1,000 students

Main Author and Researcher; “Can Consciousness be Explained?”

Argumentation Maps

On-line at: <http://www.macrovu.com/cns.html>

Justine Lambert Prize in the Foundations of Science; biennial cash award for best essay on the foundations of logic, mathematics, and the empirical sciences; competition open to all graduate students at UCI, fall 1999

“Philosophy of Mind and the Mach Principle in the Interpretation of Quantum Mechanics”

UCI Regents’ Fellowship, 1998.