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**Curriculum Vitae for
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Education

Ph.D. University of Pittsburgh, 1984

B.A. University of Chicago, 1979 (Honors in the College, Honors in Philosophy)
University of Frankfurt, Germany, 1977-1978

Employment History

2000-present: Professor, University of Cincinnati
1999: Visiting Associate Professor, Johns Hopkins University
1993-2000: Associate Professor, University of Cincinnati
1988-1993: Assistant Professor, University of Cincinnati
1987-1988: Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Wyoming
1986-1987: Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Cincinnati
1985-1986: Visiting Assistant Professor, Wesleyan University
1979-1985: Teaching Assistant/Instructor, University of Pittsburgh

Selected Awards

Fulbright-University of Vienna Visiting Professorship in Humanities and Social Science,
March-June 2012 (scheduled).
McMicken Dean's Award for Distinguished Scholarship for 2011
Phi Beta Kappa, University of Chicago, 1979.
Deutsche Akademische Austauschdienst Stipend, 1977-78.

Dissertation

The Refutation of Internalism: An Essay on Intentionality. University of Pittsburgh, 1984.
Committee: Wilfrid Sellars (director), John Haugeland, Robert Brandom, Joseph Camp
Jr., Peter Machamer.

Publications

1. Books

Words and Images: An Essay on the Origin of Ideas, Oxford University Press, 2011, xii + 302 pp.

Conditionals in Context, MIT Press, 2005, xi + 329 pp.

Words without Meaning, MIT Press, 2003, xi + 299 pp.

Thinking Out Loud: An Essay on the Relation between Thought and Language, Princeton University Press, 1994, x + 327 pp.

2. Submitted Refereed Articles

“What Tipper is Ready for: A Semantics for Incomplete Predicates,” forthcoming in *Noûs*.

(with Matthew van Cleave) “Linguistic Practice and False Belief Tasks,” *Mind and Language* 25 (June 2010): 298-328.

“Global Domains versus Hidden Indexicals,” *Journal of Semantics* 27 (May 2010): 243-270.

“Against Accommodation: Heim, van der Sandt, and the Presupposition Projection Problem,” in John Hawthorne, ed., *Philosophical Perspectives*, 22, *Philosophy of Language*, Blackwell Publishing, 2008, pp. 171-205.

“A Critique of the Similarity Space Theory of Concepts,” *Mind and Language* 22 (September 2007): 317-345.

“Against Stepping Back: A Critique of Contextualist Approaches to the Semantic Paradoxes,” *The Journal of Philosophical Logic* 35 (August 2006): 393-422.

“Situated Inference versus Conversational Implicature,” *Noûs* 35 (June 2001): 163-189.

“T-Schema Deflationism versus Gödel’s First Incompleteness Theorem,” *Analysis* 61 (April 2001): 129-136.

“What is a Context of Utterance?” *Philosophical Studies* 91 (August 1998): 149-172.

“Universal Instantiation: A Study of the Role of Context in Logic,” *Erkenntnis* 46 (March 1997): 185-214.

“Domain of Discourse,” *Mind* 106 (January 1997): 1-32.

“An Extraterrestrial Perspective on Conceptual Development,” *Mind and Language* 8 (Spring 1993): 105-130.

“The Lockean Theory of Communication,” *Noûs* 26 (Fall 1992): 303-324.

“Mental Content and the Division of Epistemic Labor,” *The Australasian Journal of Philosophy* 69 (September 1991): 302-318.

“Semantics without Reference,” *Notre Dame Journal of Formal Logic* 31 (Summer 1990): 437-461.

“How to Learn a Language Like a Chimpanzee,” *Philosophical Psychology* 3 (March 1990): 31-53. (With comments by Sue Savage-Rumbaugh.)

“Objective Interpretationism,” *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly* 69 (June 1988): 136-151.

“Conditionals in Context,” *Erkenntnis* 27 (November 1987): 293-321.

“Mind and Chance,” *The Canadian Journal of Philosophy* 17 (September 1987): 533-552.

“Language as Tool,” *The American Philosophical Quarterly* 24 (January 1987): 47-58.

“The Principle of Charity,” *Synthese* 69 (October 1986): 1-25.

3. Invited Refereed Articles

“Semantics and Pragmatics”, forthcoming in Delia Graff Fara and Gillian Russell, eds., *Routledge Companion to the Philosophy of Language*, Routledge.

“Indirect Discourse, Relativism, and Contexts that Point to Other Contexts,” in François Recanati, Isidora Stojanovic, Neftali Villanueva, eds., *Context-dependence, Perspective and Relativity*, de Gruyter Mouton, 2010, pp. 283-315.

“Contexts in Formal Semantics,” *Philosophy Compass* 5 (2010): 568–578.

“Zero Tolerance for Pragmatics,” *Synthese* 165 (2008): 359–371. (Special issue on the semantics/pragmatics distinction, edited by Isidora Stojanovic.)

“On the Alleged Priority of Thought over Language,” in Savas L. Tsohatzidis, ed., *John Searle’s Philosophy of Language: Force, Meaning, and Thought*, Cambridge University Press, 2007, pp. 125-142.

“The Circle of Deference Proves the Normativity of Semantics,” *Rivista di Estetica* (special issue: essays in honor of Diego Marconi) 34 (2007): 181-198.

“Scientific Realism as an Issue in Semantics,” in Patrick Greenough and Michael Lynch, eds., *Truth and Realism: New Debates*, Oxford University Press, 2006, pp. 125-136.

“Semantics for Deflationists,” in JC Beall and Bradley Armour-Garb, eds., *Deflationism and Paradox*, Oxford University Press, 2005, pp. 148-176.

“The Belief-Desire Law,” *Facta Philosophica* 7 (2005): 121-144.

“On the Evidence for Prelinguistic Concepts,” *Theoria* (Spain) 54 (2005): 287-297. (Special issue on thought and language.)

“Truth, Propositions and Context,” in J. Cachro and G. Kurczewski, eds., *Philosophical Dimensions of Logic and Science: Selected Contributed Papers from the 11th International Congress of Logic, Methodology, and Philosophy and Science*, Kluwer, 2003, pp. 277-288.

“Attitudes without Psychology,” *Facta Philosophica* 5 (September 2003): 239-256.

“Social Externalism and Linguistic Communication,” in María-José Frápolli and Esther Romero, eds., *Meaning, Basic Self-Knowledge and Mind: Essays on Tyler Burge*, CSLI Publications, 2003, pp. 1-31. (With reply by Tyler Burge.)

“Deflationism and Logic,” *Facta Philosophica* 1, 1 (October 1999): 167-195.

“A New Skeptical Solution,” *Acta Analytica* 14 (1995): 113-129.

4. Short articles, reviews, comments, bibliographies

“Concepts are not Icons,” *Behavioral and Brain Sciences* 34 (May 2011): 127 (1000 word review of Carey, *The Origin of Concepts*).

“Conditionals,” *Oxford Bibliographies Online*, <http://oxfordbibliographiesonline.com>, June 2011.

- Review of Jeremy Wanderer, *Robert Brandom*, *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, www.ndpr.icaap.org (March 2009).
- Review of Stefano Predelli, *Contexts*, *The Journal of Pragmatics* 38 (2006): 1360-1365.
- Review of Herman Cappelen and Ernie Lepore, *Insensitive Semantics: A Defense of Semantic Minimalism and Speech Act Pluralism*, *Mind* 115 (2006): 399-403.
- Review of Wayne A. Davis, *Expression, Meaning and Thought*, *The Journal of Pragmatics*, 37 (2005): 955-959.
- Review of Andrea Iacona, *Propositions*, *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, www.ndpr.icaap.org (September 2003)
- "No Conceptual Thought without Language," *Behavioral and Brain Sciences* 25 (2002): 687. (Commentary on target article by Carruthers.)
- "Problemi per la Concezione Tradizionale della Comunicazione Linguistica," *Esercizi Filosofici, Annuario del Dipartimento di Filosofia, Università di Trieste* 6 (2002): 34-44. (Translated by Ambra Baesso.)
- "Object Identity: What's the Question?" *Cahiers de Psychologie Cognitive* 20 (2001): 101-106.
- Review of Jan Nuyts and Eric Pederson, *Language and Conceptualization*, *Philosophical Psychology* 13 (2000): 141-144.
- "Language and Thought," in *A Field Guide to the Philosophy of Mind* (Società Italiana Filosofia Analitica), <http://host.uniroma3.it/progetti/kant/field/lat.htm> (1999)
- Article on Paul Grice in the *Dictionary of the Philosophy of Mind*, <http://philosophy.uwaterloo.ca/MindDict/grice.html> (1999)
- Article on Wilfrid Sellars in the *Dictionary of the Philosophy of Mind*, <http://philosophy.uwaterloo.ca/MindDict/sellars.html> (1999)
- "Intelligibility in Semantics: Reply to van Deemter," *Mind* 107 (1998): 447-450.
- "Building Block Dilemmas," *Behavioral and Brain Sciences* 21 (1998): 70-71. (Commentary on target article by Schyns, Goldstone and Thibaut.)
- "Are There Wordlike Concepts Too?" *Behavioral and Brain Sciences* 21 (1998): 26-27. (Commentary on target article by Millikan.)
- "A Logic of Assertibility in Context," in Paul Weingartner, Gerhard Schurz and Georg Dorn eds., *The Role of Pragmatics in Contemporary Philosophy: Papers of the 20th International Wittgenstein Symposium*, Vol. 1 (Kirchberg am Wechsel, Austria, 1997), pp. 276-282.
- "The Concept of Consciousness in the Theory of Language," a critical review of Wallace Chafe, *Discourse, Consciousness and Time*, *The American Journal of Psychology* 109 (1996): 486-491.
- Review of Ruth Garrett Millikan, *White Queen Psychology and Other Essays for Alice*, *Philosophical Psychology* 8 (1995): 305-309.
- Review of C. R. Gallistel, ed., *Animal Cognition*, *Philosophical Psychology* 7 (1994): 515-519.
- "Holism without Meaning: A Critical Review of Fodor and LePore's *Holism: A Shopper's Guide*," *Philosophical Psychology* 6 (1993): 441-449.

“If Children Thought Like Adults: A Critical Review of Markman, *Categorization and Naming in Children*, and Keil, *Concepts, Kinds and Cognitive Development*,” *Philosophical Psychology* 4 (1991): 139-146.

Review of Devitt and Sterelny’s *Language and Reality*, *Teaching Philosophy* 10 (September 1987): 269-271.

Presentations

1. Competitive Submissions

“Why We Cannot Talk about the Context We are in”, Barcelona Workshop on Issues in the Theory of Reference: Paradoxes of Truth and Reference, Barcelona, Spain, June 2011.

“Validity without Reference”, Foundations of Logical Consequence Conference, St. Andrews, Scotland, June 2010.

“Global Domains versus Hidden Indexicals,” Round table on Context-Relativity in Semantics, and “Social Externalism and Linguistic Communication,” Round table on Externalism in the Philosophy of Mind, XXII World Congress of Philosophy, Seoul, Korea, August 2008.

“What Tipper is Ready for,” Conference on Context-Dependence, Perspective and Relativity in Thought and Language, Paris, France, November 2007.

“Similarity and Seeing-As,” European Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Geneva, Switzerland, July 2007.

“A Semantics for Indirect Discourse,” Gesellschaft für Analytische Philosophie (GAP), Berlin, Germany, September 2006.

“A Semantic Theory of ‘Even’,” International Pragmatics Association, Riva del Garda, Italy, July, 2005.

“Zero Tolerance for Pragmatics,” Workshop on the Semantics/Pragmatics Distinction, Paris, France, July 2005.

“The Logical Motivation for Reference,” Origins of Reference Conference, Barcelona, Spain, June 2005.

“On the Evidence for Prelinguistic Concepts,” joint meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology and the European Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Barcelona, Spain, July 2004.

“The Belief-Desire Law,” Society for Philosophy and Psychology, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada, June 2002.

“Conditionals as Context-Relative Rules of Inference,” Foundations of Dynamic Semantics, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Prague, September 2001.

“Attitudes without Psychology,” Pragmatism and Semantics, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Prague, July 2000.

“Truth in Context,” American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, Boston, December 1999; International Congress of Logic, Methodology and Philosophy of Science, Krakow, Poland, August 1999.

“Context versus Conversational Implicature,” American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, Washington, D.C., December 1998.

“The Belief-Desire Law,” European Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Lisbon, Portugal, September 1998.

“A Logic of Assertibility in Context,” 20th International Wittgenstein Symposium, Kirchberg am Wechsel, Austria, August 1997.

“Kant on Empirical Possibility,” American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, New York, December 1995.

“Domain of Discourse,” American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, Los Angeles, March 1994.

“Similarity Judgments,” Society for Philosophy and Psychology, San Francisco State University, June 1991.

“Conceptual Development in Martians,” Society for Philosophy and Psychology, University of Maryland, June 1990.

“Internalism and Interpretation,” American Philosophical Association, Western Division, Chicago, April 1985.

2. Selected Invited Contributions

“Contextual Contradictions and Counterexamples to Contraposition”, Content, Context and Conversation Conference, University of Göttingen, Germany, June 2011.

“A Third Conception of the Normativity of Semantics”, Workshop on the Normativity of Meaning: Sellarsian Perspectives, Prague, Czech Republic, May 2011.

“The Contents of Perception”, Philosophy TV internet broadcast (with Kathrin Glüer), May 2011. <http://www.philostv.com/christopher-gauker-and-kathrin-gler/>

“Contexts without Intentions”, Conference on Reference, Parma, Italy, September 2010; Workshop on Exploitation of Context in Communication, San Francisco, September 2009; Workshop on Contexts and Intentions, Centre for the Study of Mind in Nature, University of Oslo, Norway, February 2009.

“Validity without Reference”, Workshop on the Philosophy of Logical Consequence, Swedish Collegium for Advanced Studies, Uppsala, Sweden, November 2008.

“Fun with Objective Contexts”, Workshop on Exploitation of Context in Communication, University of Kent, England, September 2008.

“Perception as the Representation of Perceptual Similarity”, Department of Philosophy, Stockholm University, October 2008; Australian National University, September 2008; Department of Philosophy, University of Sydney, August 2008; Department of Philosophy, University of Kentucky, April 2008.

Commentator in Symposium, “Philosophical Consequences of Dynamic Semantics,” American Philosophical Association, Chicago, April 2007.

“Similarity and Seeing-As,” Symposium on Intentionality and Phenomenal Representation, Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Atlanta, April 2007.

“The Circle of Deference Proves the Normativity of Semantics,” Department of Philosophy, Tulane University, March 2007.

“Zero Tolerance for Pragmatics”, Department of Philosophy, Grand Valley State University, Grand Rapids, Michigan, October 2006.

“Context, Communication and Logic,” Department of Information and Communication Technology, University of Trento, Italy, July 2005.

“The Concept of Logical Validity,” Workshop in the Philosophy of Mathematics, Department of Philosophy, University of Notre Dame, March 2005.

“Words, Pictures and Conceptual Thought,” Johns Hopkins University, February 2005.

“On the Evidence for Prelinguistic Concepts,” CAPP Seminar, Department of Psychology, University of Cincinnati, October 2004.

“Words, Pictures and Conceptual Thought,” Department of Philosophy, University of Notre Dame, February 2004; Department of Philosophy, University of Missouri, Columbia, November 2003; Department of Philosophy, Washington University, October 2003; Conference on Concepts, Language, and Cognition, Università di Pisa, Italy, September 2003.

“Logic and Context,” Department of Philosophy, Washington University, October 2003; Department of Philosophy, SUNY, Albany, September 2003.

- “Reason without Reference,” Department of Philosophy, Università del Piemonte Orientale, Vercelli, Italy, December 2002.
- “The Mind-Independence of Conversational Contexts,” Università di Genova, Genoa, Italy, December 2002; Semantics and Pragmatics Session, Kentucky Foreign Language Association, Lexington, Kentucky, April 2002.
- “Which Comes First: Thought or Language?” Department of Philosophy, Denison University, April 2001.
- “Problems for the Received View of Linguistic Communication,” Department of Philosophy, Università di Trieste, Trieste, Italy, December 2000.
- “Attitudes without Psychology,” International Center of Semiotic and Cognitive Studies, University of (the Republic of) San Marino, December 2000.
- “The Normative Nature of the Conversational Context,” PRAGMA99, International Pragmatics Conference on Pragmatics and Negotiation, Tel Aviv, Israel, June 1999.
- “Attitudes without Psychology,” Philosophy Colloquium, Johns Hopkins University, March 1999; Philosophy Colloquium, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, February 1999.
- “Which is First: Thought or Language?” Pizza and Profs Series, University of Cincinnati Honors Scholars Program, May 1997.
- “Folk Psychology Predicts Nothing!” Philosophy-Neuroscience-Psychology Program, Washington University, St. Louis, February 1997.
- “What is a Context of Utterance?” Semantics Workshop, CSLI, Stanford University, February 1996.
- “Universal Instantiation: A Study of the Role of Context in Logic,” STASS Seminar, CSLI, Stanford University, February 1996.
- “Domain of Discourse,” IUC conference on metaphysics, Bled, Slovenia, June 1995.
- “The Real Meaning of ‘If,’” Department of Computer Science, University of Cincinnati, February 1994.
- “Logic on the LSAT,” invited presentation to Phi Alpha Delta Law Society, University of Cincinnati, February 1991 and May 1993.
- “Language Learning as Cause-Effect Analysis,” contribution to a symposium on ape language, Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Louisville, KY, April 1990.
- “Conceptual Development in Martians,” contribution to a symposium on representational processes in humans and animals, Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Louisville, KY, April 1990.
- “The Real Meaning of ‘If,’” Department of Computer Science, University of Wyoming, March 1988.
- “Thought as Inner Speech,” Department of Philosophy, University of Colorado at Boulder, January 1988.

3. Comments

- Comment on Theodore Bach, “Varieties of Theory-Simulation Hybrids”, American Philosophical Association, Chicago, February 2010.
- Comment on Deena Skolnick-Weisberg and Michael Weisberg, “The Death of Similarity,” Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Philadelphia, June 2008.
- Comment on Douglas Kutach, “Similarity is a Bad Guide to Counterfactual Truth,” American Philosophical Association, Portland, OR, March 2006.
- Comment on Michael Devitt, “Scientific Realism,” Truth and Realism Conference, University of St. Andrews, Scotland, June 2004.
- Comment on J. Robert Thompson, “A New Defense of Intention-Based Semantics,” American Philosophical Association, Atlanta, December 2001.

- Comment on Ariel Cohen, "Semantics and Cognition: Generic Sentences and Cognitive Representations," Society for Philosophy and Psychology, New York, July 2000.
- Comment on Tadeusz Zawidzki, "How to Criticize Millikan: Mental States with Mythological Content," American Philosophical Association, Philadelphia, 1997.
- Comment on Ramon Das, "Two Questions about the Psychological Reality of Grammar," Society for Philosophy and Psychology, San Francisco, June 1996.
- Comment on Jeeloo Liu, "Putnam's Physical Externalism & Burge's Social Externalism: Are They Compatible?" American Philosophical Association, Chicago, April 1995.
- Comment on David Siren and Ken Dickey, "Learning and the Disjunction Problem," American Philosophical Association, Portland, OR, March 1992.
- Comment on Richard Rosenblatt, "Maximization of True Belief and Speaker's Intentions," American Philosophical Association, Chicago, April 1991.
- Comment on Andrew Chruckey, "The Manifest Image is Not the Commonsense Conceptual Framework (in the Philosophy of Wilfrid Sellars)," American Philosophical Association, San Francisco, March 1991.
- Comment on Peter J. Markie, "The Folk Concept of Belief," American Philosophical Association, Chicago, May 1987.

Editorial and Other Professional Activities

Member of Editorial Boards for: *Philosophical Psychology*, *Facta Philosophica*, *Blackwell Philosophy Compass*, *Italian Journal of Linguistics* (2004-07)

Referee for *American Philosophical Quarterly*, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *Baltic Yearbook of Cognition*, *Logic and Communication*, *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, *Blackwell Philosophy Compass*, *Cognitive Science*, *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*, *Dialectica*, *Erkenntnis*, *Facta Philosophica*, *Foundations of Science*, *Journal of Philosophical Logic*, *Journal of Philosophical Research*, *Journal of Pragmatics*, *Linguistics and Philosophy*, *Mind*, *Mind and Language*, *Noûs*, *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*, *Philosopher's Imprint*, *Philosophical Psychology*, *Philosophical Quarterly*, *Philosophical Studies*, *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*, *Synthese*, *Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, Broadview Press, Elsevier, MIT Press, Routledge, Oxford University Press, Prentice-Hall Publishers, Context Representation and Reasoning (06), Society for Philosophy and Psychology (95, 96, 97, 02, 03, 09), Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology (06, 10), Schweizerischer Nationalfonds zur Förderung der Wissenschaftlichen Forschung, National Science Foundation (NSF), Czech Academy of Sciences (2011)

Outside referee for five tenure/promotion cases.

Network member of research programme supported by Leverhulme Foundation. Title: "Exploitation of Context in Communication". Lead investigator: Laurence Goldstein, University of Kent, 2008-2011. (Meetings in Canterbury, San Francisco and Barcelona.)

Visiting Fellow in the Centre for Time, University of Sydney, Australia, August-September, 2008.

Consultant for the formation of a Philosophy Department at Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey, September 2002; member of Bilkent hiring committee, December 2002.

Visiting Scholar, Center for the Study of Language and Information (CSLI), Stanford University, January to March 1996.

Conferences Organized

“Thought and Language,” May 2010, University of Cincinnati

“Context-Relativity in Semantics,” November 2001, University of Cincinnati.

Society for Philosophy and Psychology, June 2001, local arrangements coordinator (with John Bickle).

“Significance in Semantics,” September 30-Oct. 2, 1994, University of Cincinnati.

“Beyond Twin Earth: Anti-individualism in the Philosophy of Mind and Language,” March 6-8, 1992, University of Cincinnati.

Graduate Student Committees*Dissertation supervision*

<i>Role</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Dissertation Title</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Current position (2010-11)</i>
Supervisor	Ayça Mazman	(A topic in cognitive development)	Expected 2013	Graduate student
Committee member	Muk Yan Wong	The Mood-Emotion Loop	Expected 2012	Graduate student
Committee member	Douglas Keaton	Role-playing Explanations in Philosophy of Mind	2010	Visiting Asst. Prof., U. Arkansas, Little Rock (starting Fall 2010)
Supervisor	Giovanni Mion	Knowledge Attributions and Objective Contexts	2008	Lecturer, St. John’s University, Turin, Italy
Supervisor	Matthew Van Cleave	The Role of Language in Conceptual Development	2007	Visiting Asst. Prof., Concordia College, MN
Committee member	Anthony Landreth	Far Beyond Driven: On the Neural Mechanisms of Motivation	2007	Research associate in neuroscience, UCLA
Committee member	Michael Sontag	Emotion and the Labeling Process	2005	Asst. Prof., College of Mount St. Joseph, OH
Committee member	Kimberly Mosher Lockwood	Metaphor, Music and Mind	2005	Lecturer, University of Dayton, OH
Committee member	Jerome Langguth	Bridging the Gulf between Freedom and Nature in Kant’s Critique of Judgment	2000	Asst. Prof., Thomas More College, KY

Committee member	Robert Straveler	Modularity, Connectionism and Apparent Motion Perception	1998	Left profession
Committee member	Xinyan Jiang	Courage, Passion and Virtue	1994	Assoc. Prof., University of Redlands, CA

Master's or (until 2003) 3rd year theses: Xinyan Jiang, Robert Straveler, Kimberly Lockwood, Stephen Hoffert, Christopher Tritch, William Peterson, Jay Langguth, Steven Ziebart (MFA student), Jeffrey Wissman, Giovanni Mion, Stephen W. Brown

Qualifying Examination Committees (since 2003): Anthony Landreth (Mind), Neal Hogan (Logic and Language), Matthew van Cleave (Mind), Aaron Kostko (Mind), Viorel Pâslaru (Metaphysics), Alexander Sparrow (Modern, Epistemology), Joshua Haddock (Logic and Language), Hayden Thornburg (Mind, Logic and Language), Ayca Mazman (Mind), Leigh Jackson (Modern), Nina Atanasova (Mind)

Courses Taught

University of Cincinnati (1988-Spring 2011, quarter system):

Introduction to Philosophy: Theory of Knowledge (fourteen times)
 Introduction to Philosophy: Mind and Will (ten times)
 Introduction to Philosophy: Ethics
 Introduction to Logic (ten times)
 Moral and Political Ideas: Ethical Theory
 History of Philosophy: Late Modern and Kant
 The Logic of Decision (three times)
 Mental Mechanisms (twice)
 The Rationalists (twice)
 The Empiricists
 Metaphysics
 Philosophy of Mind (twice)
 Epistemology (twice)
 Wittgenstein (twice)
 Philosophy of Psychology
 The Linguistic Basis for Conceptual Thought
 Kant's *Critique of Pure Reason* (undergraduate, three times; graduate, five times)
 Philosophy of Language (undergraduate, six times; graduate, six times)
 Advanced Logic I (graduate, seven times) and II (graduate, seven times)
 Decision Theory for Ethics (graduate)
 Seminar on Rule-Following (graduate, twice)
 Seminar on Pragmatics (graduate)
 Seminar on Truth and Reference (graduate, twice)
 Topics in Semantics – Conditionals (graduate)
 Seminar on Mental Representation (graduate, twice)
 Seminar on Belief Attribution (graduate)
 Topics in Semantics – Presuppositions (graduate)
 Perceptual Representation (graduate, twice)
 Locke's *Essay* (graduate)

Johns Hopkins University (1999, Winter Semester):

Theories of Knowledge
 Seminar in Philosophy of Mind (graduate)

University of Wyoming (1987-88, semester system):

Introduction to Philosophy
Critical Thinking
Philosophy of Science (twice)
Philosophy of Mind
Thought and Language (graduate)

Wesleyan University (1985-86, semester system):

Symbolic Logic
Philosophy of Language
Theory of Knowledge
Analytic Philosophy since Hume

University of Pittsburgh (full responsibility) (1982-85, semester system):

Symbolic Logic (six times)
Introduction to Philosophy
History of Modern Philosophy
Philosophy of Religion
Philosophy of Art
Classic Conceptions of Human Nature
Self-Knowledge and Self-Deception (twice)

Major University Service Roles

1. Departmental (excluding many ad hoc assignments)

Director of Graduate Studies: 2000-2007
Director of Undergraduate Studies: 1992-1995, 2010-11
Author of Philosophy Department Program Review: 2003-04 (sabbatical year)
Hiring Committees: 1988-89, 1989-90, 1991-92, 1994-95, 1997-98, 1999-2000, 2000-01, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11
Department Webmaster: 1997-2003, 2005-06
Library Representative (book selection): 1990-91, 1995-2003
Philosophy Department Exhibitor for UC Showcase: 1989-90, 1994-95

2. University

Chair of A&S Graduate Council: 2006-07
A&S Humanities Representative to All-University Graduate Council: 2001-2007
Graduate Council Committee for Review of Graduate Policies: 2004-2006
A&S Student Grievance Committee: 1996-2003, 2004-05
Taft Conference Committee: 1992-1995, 2000-2003
Taft Faculty Fellows Committee: 2009, 2010
University Senate Library Oversight Committee: 1995-1998