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## ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI,  
August 2020—present
- Affiliate Faculty: Race, Ethnic, and Indigenous Studies Program, Marquette University,  
Milwaukee, WI, August 2020—present
- Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, Metropolitan State University of Denver,  
Denver, CO, August 2019–July 2020

## EDUCATION

- Ph.D. in Philosophy, University of Maryland, College Park, 2014–2019
- M.A. in Philosophy, University of South Florida, 2012–2014
- B.A. in Sociology, Florida Atlantic University, 2009–2011

## RESEARCH AREAS

- Areas of Specialization: Ethics (especially Applied Ethics and Bioethics)
- Areas of Competence: Existentialism, Philosophy of Race

## PUBLICATIONS

- “Verbal Microaggressions as Hyper-implicatures.” *The Journal of Political Philosophy*, 2021. doi: 10.1111/jopp.12243.
- “When Is the Promotion of Prenatal Testing for Selective Abortion Wrong?” *Kennedy Institute of Ethics Journal*, vol. 30 no. 1, 2020, pp. 71–109.

## TRANSLATIONS

- Badiou, Alain. “Heidegger’s Parmenides” in Lee Braver, ed., *Division III of Heidegger’s Being and Time: The Unanswered Question of Being*, MIT Press, 2015, pp. 21–38 (with Megan Flocken).
- Badiou, Alain. “Metaphysics without Metaphysics” in Lee Braver, ed., *Division III of Heidegger’s Being and Time: The Unanswered Question of Being*, MIT Press, 2015, pp. 39–58 (with Megan Flocken).

## PAPER PRESENTATIONS

- “A Review of Reasons for and against Restricting Invasive Research on Great Apes: Implications for Research, Theory, and Policy” (with Bernardo Aguilera and David DeGrazia). American Society for Bioethics and Humanities, *Virtual Conference*, 10/2020.

Postponed: Panel on “Overcoming Challenges of Teaching Philosophy of Race, Gender, or Identity.” AAPT/APA Teaching Hub, American Philosophical Association, *San Francisco, CA*, 04/2020.

“Indirect Benefits, Race, and Double Jeopardy in the Allocation of Scarce Medical Resources.” Center Talks, Center for Values and Social Policy, *University of Colorado, Boulder*, 03/2020.

Panel on “Disparities in Access to Organ Transplantation and Scarce Medical Resources.” American Society for Bioethics and Humanities, *Pittsburgh, PA*, 10/2019.

“Scarce Resource Allocation, Double Jeopardy, and the Contemporary U.S.” The 4<sup>th</sup> Latinx Philosophy Conference in conjunction with the APA Society for Mexican American Philosophy, *Marquette University*, 05/2019.

“Wronging Extant Disabled People: A New Defense of the Expressivist Objection to Prenatal Testing.” American Society for Bioethics and Humanities, *Anaheim, CA*, 10/2018.

“Re-examining the Expressivist Objection to the Promotion of Prenatal Testing.” Works-In-Progress Presentation, *National Institutes of Health, Bioethics Department*, 10/2018.

“Microaggressions: Failures and Prospects.” Minorities and Philosophy, New York Chapter, *New York University*, 10/2018.

“A New Defense of the Expressivist Objection to Prenatal Testing.” Postgraduate Bioethics Conference. *King’s College London*, 07/2018.

“Microaggressions.” Annual Kent State University Philosophy Graduate Student Conference, *Kent State University*, 03/2018.

“Inequality, Social Worth, and Allocating Scarce Lifesaving Resources in the U.S.” Postgraduate Bioethics Conference, *St. Catherine’s College, Oxford University*, 09/2017.

“Civic Alienation: (Moral) Emotion or (Moral) Mood?” Roundtable on Latina Feminism, *John Carroll University*, 05/2017.

“Civic Alienation: (Moral) Emotion or (Moral) Mood?” The 2<sup>nd</sup> Latinx Philosophy Conference, *Rutgers University*, 04/2017.

“Rationing Lifesaving Resources: An Intersectional Approach.” Roundtable on Latina Feminism, *John Carroll University*, 05/2016.

“Virtue Ethics, Empathy, and Intersubjectivity.” Society for Phenomenology and the Human Sciences (in conjunction with The Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy), *Loyola University New Orleans with Tulane University*, 10/2014.

“Pedagogy in Kant: Freedom from Cowardice and Laziness.” Association of Philosophy Teachers 20th Biennial Conference on Teaching Philosophy, College of Saint Benedict at *Saint John’s University*, 08/2014.

## COMMENTARIES

A reply to Erick Ramirez’s “Ecological and ethical issues in virtual reality research: A call for increased scrutiny.” The 3<sup>rd</sup> Latinx Philosophy Conference, *Rutgers University*, 04/2018.

A reply to Alexander Guerrero's "Difficulty and Responsibility." The 1<sup>st</sup> Latinx Philosophy Conference, *Columbia University*, 05/2016.

## FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS

Office of Diversity and Inclusion Grant for the 5<sup>th</sup> Latinx Philosophy Conference, *Metropolitan State University of Denver*, 2019 (\$3,000; renewed for virtual conference, 2020).

Provost's Office Grant for the 5<sup>th</sup> Latinx Philosophy Conference, *Metropolitan State University of Denver*, 2019 (\$3,000; later canceled due to Covid-19-related cuts)

Dean's Office Grant for the 5<sup>th</sup> Latinx Philosophy Conference, College of Letters, Arts and Sciences, *Metropolitan State University of Denver*, (\$3,000; later canceled due to Covid-19-related cuts)

Arts & Humanities Graduate Student Travel Grant, College of Arts & Humanities, *University of Maryland*, 2018 (\$300).

Jacob K. Goldhaber for International Travel Award, The Graduate School, *University of Maryland*, 2018 (\$600).

Summer Research Fellowship, The Graduate School, *University of Maryland*, 2018 (\$5,000).

Jacob K. Goldhaber for International Travel Award, The Graduate School, *University of Maryland*, 2017 (\$600).

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

As Main Instructor at *Marquette University*

Foundations in Philosophy | Fall 2020, Spring 2021 (virtual, synchronous)

Biomedical Ethics | Fall 2020 (virtual, synchronous)

As Main Instructor at *Metropolitan State University of Denver*

Philosophy of Race | Spring 2020

Introduction to Philosophy | Fall 2019, Spring 2020

As Main Instructor at *University of Maryland*

Philosophy of Race | Winter 2019 (online), Spring 2019 (online)

Bioethics: Regulating Right and Wrong | Spring 2018

Existentialism; Right and Wrong | Fall 2016, Summer 2017 (online)

Contemporary Moral Issues | Summer 2016

As Teaching Assistant at *University of Maryland*

Introduction to Philosophy | Dan Moller | 2017

The Rights and Wrong of Killing People | Peter Carruthers | 2017

Bioethics: Regulating Right and Wrong | Kelsey Gipe | 2016

Contemporary Moral Issues | Samuel Kerstein | 2015

Philosophy in Literature | Jerrold Levinson | 2015

As Teaching Assistant at *University of South Florida*

Introduction to Philosophy | William Goodwin | 2014

Introduction to Philosophy | Michael Morris | 2013

Biomedical Ethics | Roger Stanev | 2013

Science and Society | Roger Stanev | 2012

### SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Organizer, Latinx Philosophy Conference, 2019–present

Referee for *The Philosophical Quarterly*

### SERVICE TO MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY

Undergraduate Committee, Spring 2021

### SERVICE TO METROPOLITAN STATE UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

Faculty Senate, Committee Member 2019-2020

Hispanic Serving Institution Implementation Team, Committee Member 2019-2020

### LANGUAGE SKILLS

French: fair writing and excellent reading proficiency

Spanish: native language (fluent speaker, highest reading and writing proficiency)