

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### RESEARCH AREAS

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Areas of Specialization: 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> c. German Philosophy (esp. Hegel and Kant), Metaphysics

Areas of Competence: Philosophy of Language, Ethics, Political Philosophy, Phenomenology, Early Modern

### EDUCATION

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Ph.D., Philosophy, Marquette University, 2014-2019

- Thesis: "The Province of Conceptual Reason: Hegel's Post-Kantian Rationalism" (Defended May 13, 2019; graduated August 23, 2019)
- Committee: Sebastian Luft (Chair), Michael Monahan, Yoon Choi, Karin de Boer

M.A., Theology, University of Scranton, 2013

- Thesis: "Violence, Divinity, and the Limits of Rational Community: Hegel's *Philosophy of Right* according to René Girard's Theory of the Sacred"

M.A., Worldview Studies, Clarks Summit University, 2011

B.S., Degree Completion/Biblical Studies, Clarks Summit University, 2011

### ACADEMIC POSITIONS

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Visiting Assistant Professor, Marquette University, Fall 2020-

Associate Lecturer, University of Wisconsin-Parkside, Fall 2019-Spring 2020

Lecturer/Teaching Assistant, Marquette University, Fall 2017- Summer 2018

Teaching Assistant, Marquette University, Fall 2015-Spring 2017

Research Assistant, Marquette University, Fall 2014-Spring 2015

Adjunct Professor, University of Scranton, Fall 2013-Spring 2014

Graduate Assistant, University of Scranton, 2011-2013

## COURSES TAUGHT

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University of Wisconsin-Parkside (Full responsibility)

- Early Modern Philosophy (1 section)
- Introduction to Philosophy (2 sections)
- Great Thinkers (1 section)
- Contemporary Moral Problems (1 section)

Marquette University (Full responsibility)

- Philosophy of Human Nature (6 sections)
- Philosophy of Human Nature Online (1 section)
- Theory of Ethics (4 sections); Honors Theory of Ethics (1 section)
- Theory of Ethics Online (3 sections)

University of Scranton (Full responsibility)

- Introduction to the Bible (4 sections)

## PUBLICATIONS

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### A. Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Wolf, W. Clark. "Metaphysics Supervenes on Logic: The Role of the Logical Forms in Hegel's 'Replacement' of Metaphysics." *Journal of the History of Philosophy*. (Accepted; forthcoming)

Wolf, W. Clark. "The Myth of the Taken: Why Hegel is Not a Conceptualist." *International Journal of Philosophical Studies* 27:3 (July 2019): 399-421.

Wolf, W. Clark. "Rethinking Hegel's Conceptual Realism." *The Review of Metaphysics* 72:2 (December 2018): 331-70.

Wolf, W. Clark. "Analogy as a Mode of Intuitive Understanding in Ricoeur." *Trópos. Journal of Hermeneutics and Philosophical Criticism* 10:1 (2017): 91-110.

Wolf, W. Clark. "Desired Baptisms: A Mimetic Reading of Baptismal Rivalry." *The Heythrop Journal* 54:5 (2013): 880-890.

### B. Peer-Reviewed Book Chapters

Wolf, W. Clark. "The Authority of Conceptual Analysis in Hegelian Ethical Life." *An Ethical Modernity? Hegel's Concept of Ethical Life Today - Its Limits and Potential*. Eds. Tereza Matějčková and Jiří Chotaš (Brill, 2020): 15-25.

Wolf, W. Clark. "The Weakness of the Law: The Opposition of Concept and Life in Hegel's Early Ethics." In *The Young Hegel and Religion*, ed. Evangelia Sembou (Peter Lang, 2017): 147-172.

#### C. Book Reviews

Wolf, W. Clark. Review of Alfredo Ferrarin, *Thinking and the I: Hegel and the Critique of Kant. The Review of Metaphysics* (Forthcoming).

Wolf, W. Clark. Review of Robert Pippin, *Hegel's Realm of Shadows: Logic as Metaphysics in The Science of Logic*. *The Review of Metaphysics* 73:1 (September 2019), pp. 146-48.

Wolf, W. Clark. Review of Myriam Gerhard, *Hegel und die logische Frage*. *Hegel-Bulletin* 40: 2 (August 2019), pp. 346-50.

Wolf, W. Clark. Review of Giuseppina D'Oro and Søren Overgaard (eds.), *The Cambridge Companion to Philosophical Methodology*. *Metaphilosophy* 49: 4 (July 2018), pp. 595-601.

Wolf, W. Clark. Review of Charles Taylor, *The Language Animal: The Full Shape of the Human Linguistic Capacity*. *Phenomenological Reviews*. November 15, 2016.

<http://reviews.ophen.org/2016/11/15/charles-taylor-the-language-animal-the-full-shape-of-the-human-linguistic-capacity/>.

#### D. Work in Progress

"Husserl on the Overlap of Pure and Empirical Concepts." (Under consideration)

"Noumenal Negations: Kant on What Things in Themselves are Not." (Under consideration)

Wolff, Michael. *Abhandlung über die Prinzipien der Logik*. 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. (*Essay on the Principles of Logic*). Translation in progress. Proposal under consideration.

#### ACADEMIC AWARDS

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Runner-up, 2019 *Mind* Graduate Essay Prize. Entry: "Husserl and the 'Amphiboly' of Pure Concepts."

Cyril Smith Trust Travel Scholarship, \$ 750 (Travel to Prague, September 2018), Marquette University

John P. Raynor, S.J., Fellowship, Marquette University, 2018-19

- 10-month dissertation fellowship, granted to two students university-wide per year

Outstanding Graduate Student Award in Theology/Religious Studies, University of Scranton, May 2014

#### OTHER ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE AND SERVICE

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##### Journal Refereeing:

- *International Journal of Philosophical Studies* (2019-)
- *Journal of Transcendental Philosophy* (2020-)

Director of Marquette's Philosophy Graduate Student Association, 2016-2018

- Responsible for representing graduate students in faculty meetings, communicating news, and organizing colloquia receptions, annual conferences, and informal social gatherings.

Selected Participant in 7<sup>th</sup> International Summer School in German Philosophy, "Freedom and Free Will in Classical German Philosophy," Universität Bonn, July 10-21, 2017. Instructors: Michael Forster and Markus Gabriel. Recipient of selective travel stipend.

Conference Organization:

- "Philosophy of Emotions." Marquette Graduate Philosophy Conference, Spring 2018 (Committee Chair). Keynote speaker: Myisha Cherry.
- "Forgotten Philosophers (and Why We Should Remember Them)." Marquette Graduate Philosophy Conference, Spring 2017 (Committee Chair). Keynote speaker: Frederick C. Beiser.
- Marquette Graduate Philosophy Conference, Spring 2016 (Co-organizer).

Manuscript Editing:

- Sebastian Luft and Tyler Friedman (eds.), *The Philosophy of Ernst Cassirer: A Novel Assessment* (De Gruyter, 2015), Spring 2015.
- Sebastian Luft (ed.), *The Neo-Kantian Reader* (Routledge, 2015), Spring 2015.
- Sebastian Luft, *The Space of Culture: Towards a Neo-Kantian Philosophy of Culture (Cohen, Natorp, and Cassirer)* (Oxford University Press, 2015), Fall 2014.
- Matthew Meyer, *Reading Nietzsche through the Ancients: An Analysis of Becoming, Perspectivism, and the Principle of Non-Contradiction* (De Gruyter, 2014), Fall 2013.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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"Labor v. Work: Arendt's Distinction in Hegel's Phenomenology." Arendt Circle 2020. Moved to April 2021.

Comments on Nicoletta Ruane Montaner, "Hegel's 'Keynesian' Political Economy." Central APA Session on "Hegel on History and Economics." Upcoming February 27, 2020.

"Talking Past Genealogies: A Challenge to Debunking Explanations." Presented at "Themes from the Philosophy of Robert Brandom." February 22-23, 2019, Marquette University.

"The Authority of Conceptual Analysis in Hegel's Notion of *Sittlichkeit*." Presented at "An Ethical Modernity? Hegel's Concept of Ethical Life Today - Its Limits and Potential." September 26-28, 2018, Prague, Czech Republic.

"Thought Experiments as Universalization Tests for Concepts." Presented at the Wisconsin Philosophical Society, April 28, 2018.

"Exemplary Cases and Generic Thinking: On Stekeler's Reading of Hegel's Concept of 'Singularity.'" Presented at "What is Living in Hegel's Logic? Workshop with Pirmin Stekeler-Weithofer," July 14-15, 2017, Paderborn, Germany.

Comments on S.J. Cowan, “The Force of the Fragment: Nine Paragraphs on Novalis’ Selection of Genre.” Presented at “Forgotten Philosophers,” Marquette University Philosophy Graduate Conference, April 2017, Marquette University.

“Rethinking Hegelian Hubris.” Presented at “19th Century Philosophy: 1781-1905,” Fourth Annual Conference in Philosophy, October 2016, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

“Towards a Hegelian Conception of Philosophy’s Subject Matter.” Presented at “What is Called Philosophy?” The Ryerson Graduate Philosophy Conference, March 2016, Ryerson University, Toronto, Ontario.

“The ‘Amphiboly’ Problem in Husserl’s Idea of Pure Concepts.” Presented at the Loyola-Marquette Phenomenology Workshop, May 2015, Marquette University.

Comments on Stephen Steward’s “Of Gaps and Blinders: A Hermeneutical Reason to Do Without ‘Disability’.” Presented at “Interpretation,” The Marquette University Graduate Philosophy Conference, April 2015, Marquette University.

“Ambivalence or Excess? The Sacred Phenomenon in Recent Theological and Post-Secular Thought.” Presented at the American Academy of Religion Mid-Atlantic Regional Meeting, March 2014, Mount Saint Mary’s College, Newburgh, New York.

“Hegel’s State and the Divinity of Violence: A Girardian Reading of the *Philosophy of Right*.” Presented at “Politics, Violence, and the Sacred: Exploring René Girard’s Thought in Security and International Relations,” May 2013, University of Central Lancashire, UK.

## LANGUAGES

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English (native); German (reading); French (reading).

## ACADEMIC ASSOCIATIONS

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American Philosophical Association; Hegel Society of America.

## REFERENCES

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