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AOS: Ethics, Moral Psychology, Kant

AOC: Political Philosophy, Metaethics, Feminist Philosophy

EMPLOYMENT

King's College London 2025-2026
Lecturer in Ethics (fixed-term)

EDUCATION

PhD University of Cambridge, Philosophy 2021-2025
Gates Cambridge Scholarship
Dissertation: 'Between Persons: Kantian reflections on the interpersonal domain'
Pass without corrections
Supervisors: Richard Holton and Rae Langton
Examiners: Christine M. Korsgaard and Angela Breitenbach

MPhil University of Cambridge, Philosophy 2020-2021
Pass with distinction
Supervisors: Julia Borcharding, John Marenbon, and Richard Holton

MSc London School of Economics, Political Theory 2019-2020
Distinction in all modules
Awarded prize for best performance (see *Awards and distinctions*)
Dissertation supervisor: Jan Kandiyali

BSc London School of Economics, Politics & Philosophy 2016-2019
First class honours
Best philosophy dissertation (see *Awards and distinctions*)
Dissertation supervisor: Susanne Burri

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-reviewed publications

The Prison of the Self: Kantian reflections on loneliness
Ergo (Forthcoming)

A Forgotten Distinction in Value Theory
Philosophical Studies 181 (2024)

Re-Constructing Kant: Kant's teleological moral realism
Kant Yearbook 14 (1) (2022)

Thomas Hobbes's substantially constrained absolutism: the fundamental law of the commonwealth as a substantial constraint on the sovereign's power
Jurisprudence 12 (4) (2021)

Aquinas on Evil and the Will: A response to Mackie
New Blackfriars 102 (1102) (2020) [undergraduate dissertation]

Under review

Paper on Kant on Sex and Consent
[Under review]

Paper on Kant on Love and Duty
[Under review]

Paper on Kant on Joint Self-Making
[Under Review]

Work in progress

A paper on Marx's views on alienated and meaningful work [draft in progress]

A paper on loneliness and moral scepticism [early stages]

A paper on loneliness in social animals [early stages]

Old Projects

The Lover, The Aesthete and The Pious: Attention and Intrinsic Value
[draft available]

Going Properly Hybrid About Practical Reasons [draft available]

Not Doing It Again: Particularism and Apologies [draft available]

AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS AND DISTINCTIONS

Gates Cambridge Scholarship Full fees and living expenses for the PhD	2021-2025
UK Kant Society Essay Prize [runner-up] For the paper 'Between Bodies: Kant on Sex, Marriage and Consent'	2024
MSc Political Theory Excellent Overall Performance Award of £100 for the best performance with an overall average of 76.5	2020
Best Philosophy Dissertation Mention for the best undergraduate philosophy dissertation at the LSE (86)	2019

PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED LECTURES

‡: Invited

The Prison of the Self: Kantian Reflections on Loneliness

- 'New Directions on the Foundations of Normativity', LMU, November 2025‡

- The Moral Sciences Club, University of Cambridge, November 2024 ‡
Kant on Sex, Marriage and Consent
- Amsterdam Kant Conference 2024 Panel with Prof. Helga Varden, June 2024
Loving Relationships in Kant's Practical Philosophy
- Society for the Philosophy of Sex and Love, November 2023
Going Properly Hybrid About Reasons
- Philosophy, Law and Politics Forum [Commentator: Prof. Ruth Chang], November 2023
A Forgotten Distinction in Value Theory
- Serious Metaphysics Group, University of Cambridge, October 2023 ‡
The Lover, The Aesthete and The Pious: Attention and Intrinsic Value
- 12th Vienna Forum for Analytic Philosophy Graduate Conference, July 2023
Being Careful about Care: Love, Union and Sacrifice
- University of Cambridge Philosophy of Intimacy Workshop, June 2022 ‡
Francisco Suárez on Voluntarism and Naturalism
- Medieval Philosophy UK Network 28th Meeting, January 2022
Aquinas on Evil and the Will: A Response to Mackie
- Angelicum: XI International Thomistic Congress, Postponed to September 2022
Circularity in Christine Korsgaard's Constitutivism
- University of Cambridge Philosophy Graduate Seminar, October 2020 ‡
Ideology and Creation in Marx's Historical Materialism
- Euroacademia 8th Forum of Critical Studies, February 2020

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

Mosaico Podcast

Interviewee, 2025

The Philosophers' Nest Podcast

Interviewee, 2023

Meltemi Podcast

Interviewee, 2021

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ORGANISATIONAL ROLES

Reviewer

Philosophical Quarterly
American Philosophical Quarterly
Análisis Filosófico

Moral Sciences Club, University of Cambridge

Secretary, 2022-2023

Kant Reading Group, University of Cambridge

Co-organiser, 2023-2025

Gates Cambridge, University of Cambridge

Deputy Editor of The Scholar Magazine, 2021-2022

Love and Humility Reading Group, University of Cambridge
Co-organiser, 2021-2022

Annual Cambridge Graduate Conference on the Philosophy of Mathematics and Logic, University of Cambridge
Session Chair, 2021

OUTREACH

Ethics Cup
Volunteer Judge and Outreach Team, 2022 & 2023

Gonville and Caius, University of Cambridge
College Interview Preparation Lecture, 2020

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

King's College London, Department of Philosophy 2025-Present

4: First Year 5: Second Year 6: Third Year 7: Master's

Module Convenor

- 6AANB039/7AAN6037 *Gender and Philosophy*
- 4SSPP110 *Political and Economic Philosophy*
- 6AANC000 *Philosophy Dissertation Seminar*

Seminar Leader

- 6AANB039/7AAN6037 *Gender and Philosophy*
- 5AANB007 *Political Philosophy*

Dissertation Supervisor

- *Dissertation on sympathy and pity in Kant and Rousseau*
- *Dissertation on embodiment and gender identity*
- *Dissertation on objectification and pornography*

MPhil Students

- *Essay on positive objectification*
- *Essay on gender oppression and modal knowledge*

Pastoral Roles

- *Personal Tutor for BA Philosophy and BA Philosophy and AI students*
- *Liaison Tutor for Philosophy, Politics and Law Students*

University of Cambridge, Faculty of Philosophy 2021-2025

IA: First Year IB: Second Year II: Third Year

Lecturer

- *IB Ethics: Practical Reasons, Consent, & Contractualism*

Supervisor

- *IA Ethics and Political Philosophy*
- *IB Ethics*
- *IB Political Philosophy*

- *II Ethics*
 - *II Political Philosophy*
- Discussion Group*
- *IA Ethics and Political Philosophy*

PROFESSIONAL AND TEACHING TRAINING

Teaching and Transferable Skills Certificate
University of Cambridge

Admissions Interview Training
University of Cambridge

LANGUAGES

French: Proficient

Spanish: Native speaker

English: Fluent

REFEREES

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