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AOS: Moral Psychology, Ethics, Kant

AOC: Political Philosophy, Metaethics, History of Philosophy

EMPLOYMENT

King's College London YTL Postdoctoral Research Fellow	2026-2027
King's College London Lecturer in Ethics (fixed-term)	2025-2026

EDUCATION

PhD	University of Cambridge, Philosophy (No Corrections) Gates Cambridge Scholarship (see <i>Awards and distinctions</i>) Supervisors: Richard Holton and Rae Langton Examiners: Christine M. Korsgaard (Harvard) and Angela Breitenbach (Cambridge)	2021-2025
MPhil	University of Cambridge, Philosophy (Distinction) Supervisors: Julia Borchering, John Marenbon, and Richard Holton	2020-2021
MSc	London School of Economics, Political Theory (Distinction) Distinction in all modules Awarded prize for best performance (see <i>Awards and distinctions</i>)	2019-2020
BSc	London School of Economics, Politics & Philosophy (First Class Honours)	2016-2019

PUBLICATIONS

5. 'The Prison of the Self', *Ergo* (Forthcoming)
4. 'A Forgotten Distinction in Value Theory', *Philosophical Studies* 181 (2024)
3. 'Re-Constructing Kant: Kant's teleological moral realism', *Kant Yearbook* 14 (1) (2022)
2. 'Thomas Hobbes's substantially constrained absolutism', *Jurisprudence* 12 (4) (2021)
1. 'Aquinas on Evil and the Will: A response to Mackie', *New Blackfriars* 102 (1102) (2020)
[undergraduate dissertation]

UNDER REVIEW AND IN PROGRESS

Under Review

3. Kant on Sex and Consent
2. Kant on Joint Self-Making
1. Kant on Love and Duty

Work in Progress

5. Loneliness and moral scepticism
4. Loneliness and being 'at home'
3. Marxian unalienated production as joint production
2. 'The Lover, The Aesthete and The Pious: Attention and Intrinsic Value'
1. 'Going Properly Hybrid About Practical Reasons'

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

GRANTS

Mind Conference Grant, Mind Association Awarded £1,000 as part of a team of three organising a conference on the philosophy of the city	2025
Balliol Interdisciplinary Institute Grant, Balliol College (University of Oxford) Awarded £3,000 as part of the project 'Argentina's Transition to an Adversarial Criminal Process'	2024-2025

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

‡: Invited

The Prison of the Self: Kantian Reflections on Loneliness

- Conservatism and Political Thought, April 2026
- 'New Directions on the Foundations of Normativity', LMU, November 2025‡
- The Moral Sciences Club, University of Cambridge, November 2024 ‡

Kant on Sex 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

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE, ORGANISATIONAL ROLES, AND ADMIN

Reviewer

Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, Philosophical Quarterly, Ergo (x2), Journal of the APA, American Philosophical Quarterly, The Journal of Value Inquiry, Philosophy, Análisis Filosófico

Networks Committee Member

Interpersonal Philosophy Network, Cambridge (TBD) (with P. Morales & A. El Shazly)

Speaker Series and Conference Organiser

Philosophy of the City, Cambridge (2026) (with A. El Shazly)

Moral Sciences Club, Cambridge (2022-2023) (Co-secretary)

Reading Group Organiser

Kant Reading Group, Cambridge (2023-2025) (with L. Nordmann)

Love and Humility, Cambridge (2021-2022) (with A. El Shazly & P. Hubacher)

Editor

Deputy Editor of Gates Cambridge's 'The Scholar' Magazine, 2021-2022

OUTREACH

Ethics Cup

Volunteer Judge and Outreach Team, 2022 & 2023

Gonville and Caius, University of Cambridge

College Interview Preparation Lecture, 2020

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

Podcasts

Mosaico, 2026

The Philosopher's Nest, 2024

Meltemi, 2021

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

King's College London, Department of Philosophy

2025-Present

Module Co-Convenor and Lecturer

- 1st Year Political and Economic Philosophy (with Leah Downey)
- 3rd Year Philosophy Dissertation Seminar (with Henry Schiller)
- 3rd Year and MA Gender and Philosophy (with Jack Hume)

Seminar Leader

- 3rd Year Gender and Philosophy
- 2nd Year Political Philosophy

Dissertation Supervisor

- Mirabelle Allum-Larguia ('The "natural body" as "harmony"')
- Yiming Li ('A defence of pity')
- Endellion Gidlow ('Objectifying fantasy')

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

Lecturer

- 2nd Year Ethics: Practical Reasons, Consent, & Contractualism

Supervisor

- 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Year Ethics and Political Philosophy

Discussion Group Leader

- 1st Year Ethics and Political Philosophy

LANGUAGES

French: Proficient

Spanish: Native speaker

English: Fluent

REFEREES

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