

APPOINTMENTS	Associate Professor, School of Philosophy, University of Southern California, 2009 – present Assistant Professor, School of Philosophy, University of Southern California, 2002 – 2009 Visiting Instructor, Department of Philosophy, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2001 – 2002
EDUCATION	Ph.D. in Philosophy, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2001 Supervisor: James D. Wallace M.A. in Philosophy, first class honours, University of Auckland, 1996 B.A. in Philosophy & History, University of Auckland, 1994
AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION	Metaethics, Moral Psychology, Practical Reason
AREAS OF COMPETENCE	Ethics, Philosophy of Language, 19 <sup>th</sup> Century Continental, Existentialism

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RESEARCH HONOURS	Charles A. Ryskamp Research Fellowship, Andrew W. Mellon Foundation/ACLS, 2008 – 2009 Advancing Scholarship in the Humanities and Social Sciences Grant, USC Provost, 2008 – 2009 2009 <i>AJP</i> Best Paper Award, Australasian Association of Philosophy/Taylor & Francis (for ‘The Error in the Error Theory’) NEH Fellowship, National Endowment for the Humanities, 2012-13
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ARTICLES	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. ‘The Conversational Practicality of Value Judgement,’ <i>Journal of Ethics</i> 8 (3), 2004: 205-223.</li><li>2. ‘Value and Implicature,’ <i>Philosophers’ Imprint</i> 5 (4), July 2005: 1-20.</li><li>3. ‘The Reasons that Matter,’ <i>Australasian Journal of Philosophy</i> 84(1), 2006: 1-20.</li><li>4. ‘Responding to Normativity,’ in Russ Shafer-Landau (ed.) <i>Oxford Studies in Metaethics</i> 2. New York: Oxford University Press, 2007: 220-39.</li><li>5. ‘Too Much Morality,’ in Paul Bloomfield (ed.) <i>Morality and Self-Interest</i>. Oxford University Press, 2007: 136-54.</li><li>6. ‘Four Faces of Moral Realism,’ <i>Philosophy Compass</i> 2 (6), 2007: 820-49.</li><li>7. ‘Motivation to the Means,’ in David Chan (ed.) <i>Moral Psychology Today: Values, Rational Choice &amp; the Will</i>. Springer, 2008: 173-92.</li><li>8. ‘The Error in the Error Theory,’ <i>Australasian Journal of Philosophy</i> 86 (3), 2008: 347-69 (Winner, 2009 <i>AJP</i> Best Paper Award).</li></ol>
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9. 'Oughts and Ends,' *Philosophical Studies* 143 (3), 2009: 315-40.
10. 'The Obscurity of Internal Reasons,' *Philosophers' Imprint* 9 (7), 2009: 1-22.
11. 'Against All Reason? Skepticism about the Instrumental Norm,' in Charles Pigden (ed.), *Hume on Motivation and Virtue*. New York: Palgrave MacMillan, 2009: 155-78.
12. 'Normativity, Necessity, and Tense: A Recipe for Homebaked Normativity,' in Russ Shafer-Landau (ed.), *Oxford Studies in Metaethics* 5. New York: Oxford University Press, 2010: 57-85
13. 'What *Ought* Probably Means, and Why You Can't Detach It,' *Synthese* 177 (1), 2010: 67-89.
14. 'Recent Work on Normativity,' *Analysis* 70 (2), 2010: 331-46
15. 'Metaethical Contextualism Defended,' with Gunnar Björnsson, *Ethics* 121 (1), 2010: 7-36.
16. 'Errors upon Errors: A Reply to Joyce,' *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* 89 (3), 2011: 535-47.
17. 'The Selves and the Shoemaker: Psychopaths, Moral Judgment, and Responsibility,' *The Southern Journal of Philosophy* 49 (Spindel Supplement), 2011: 125-33.
18. 'Explaining Reasons,' forthcoming in the *Deutsches Jahrbuch für Philosophie*, Vol. 4. Meiner Verlag, 2012.

#### ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES

1. 'Emotive Theory of Ethics,' in *Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition (Donald M. Borcherdt, ed.). New York: MacMillan, 2005.
2. 'Reasons for Action: Internal vs. External,' with Mark Schroeder, in *Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (Edward N. Zalta, ed.), 2008; <http://plato.stanford.edu/entries/reasons-internal-external/>
3. 'Ought,' forthcoming in *International Encyclopedia of Ethics* (Hugh LaFollette, ed.), 2011.
4. 'Moral Language, Uses of,' forthcoming in *International Encyclopedia of Ethics* (Hugh LaFollette, ed.), 2011.
5. 'Metaethics,' forthcoming in *Routledge Encyclopedia of Philosophy Online* (Edward Craig, ed.), 2011.

#### OTHER PUBLICATIONS

1. Review of Mark Eli Kalderon, *Moral Fictionalism*, in *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, 2006; <http://ndpr.nd.edu/review.cfm?id=6321>
2. 'Teaching and Learning Guide for: Moral Realism and Moral Nonnaturalism,' with Terence Cuneo, *Philosophy Compass* 3 (3), 2008: 570-2.
3. Review of A. W. Price, *Contextuality in Practical Reason*, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* 88 (1), 2010: 187-190.

#### WORK IN PROGRESS

- Confusion of Tongues: A Theory of Normativity*, book manuscript in preparation (9 of 10 chapters in rough draft).
- 'The Consequences of Pragmatics for the Consequences of Modals,' with Mark Schroeder, paper in preparation.
- 'One Ought Too Many,' with Justin Snedegar, paper under submission.
- 'Knowing the Concept of Law by Hart,' with David Plunkett, paper in preparation.

CONFERENCE TALKS

1. 'Rethinking the Value-Realism Debate,' 28<sup>th</sup> Conference on Value Inquiry, Lamar University, Texas, April 15, 2000
2. 'Against All Reason?' Conference on Hume, Motivation, 'Is' and 'Ought', University of Otago, New Zealand, Jan 23, 2003
3. 'Motivation to the Means,' 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Southern California Philosophy Conference, University of California – Irvine, Oct 30, 2003
4. 'Motivation to the Means,' Conference on Values, Rational Choice & the Will, University of Wisconsin–Stevens Point, Apr 1, 2004
5. 'No Pretender is Wanting: Desire's Legitimate Claim to Authority,' 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Metaethics Workshop, University of Wisconsin – Madison, Sept 18, 2005
6. 'Desire, Normativity, and Freedom,' 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Southern California Philosophy Conference, California State University – Northridge, Oct 29, 2005
7. 'Normativity, Necessity, and Tense,' 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Metaethics Workshop, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Sept 14, 2008
8. 'Metaethical Contextualism Defended,' 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress, University of Colorado—Boulder, Aug 10, 2009
9. 'A Case for Analytic Naturalism(?)', Naturalisms in Ethics Conference, University of Auckland, New Zealand, July 14, 2011
10. 'One Ought Too Many', with Justin Snedegar, 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress, University of Colorado—Boulder, Aug 7, 2011
11. 'Explaining Reasons,' XXII. Deutscher Kongress für Philosophie, Ludwig-Maximilians Universität, Munich, Germany, Sept 12, 2011
12. 'One Ought Too Many', with Justin Snedegar, Conference on Practical Reason and Metaethics, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, April 21, 2012
13. 'The Pragmatics of Normative Disagreement,' Hybrid Theories in Metaethics Conference, University of Edinburgh, UK, July 3, 2012

INVITED TALKS

1. 'Why We Need Not Be Nondescriptivists,' University of California – Davis, Jan 7, 2002
2. 'Why We Need Not Be Nondescriptivists,' University of Southern California, Jan 18, 2002
3. 'The Reasons that Matter,' University of British Columbia, Jan 20, 2006
4. 'The Reasons that Matter,' University of Vermont, Jan 26, 2006
5. 'The Reasons that Matter,' University of Alberta, Feb 2, 2006
6. 'Oughts and Ends,' New York University, Oct 6, 2006
7. 'The Obscurity of Internal Reasons,' University of Gothenburg, Sweden, March 25, 2008
8. 'What *Ought* Probably Means,' Lund University, Sweden, March 26, 2008
9. 'What *Ought* Probably Means,' Stockholm University, Sweden, March 27, 2008
10. 'The Obscurity of Internal Reasons,' Uppsala University, Sweden, March 28, 2008
11. 'Metaethical Contextualism Defended,' University of Edinburgh, May 11, 2009
12. 'Metaethical Contextualism Defended,' University of Leeds, May 14, 2009

13. 'Metaethical Contextualism Defended,' Oxford University (Seminar in Moral Philosophy), May 18, 2009
14. 'Explaining Reasons,' Reed College (Portland, Oregon), March 31, 2011
15. 'Explaining Reasons,' University of California—Davis, May 11, 2011
16. 'Metaethics: What, Why, and How?' (Lecture 1, The Burman Lectures in Philosophy), Umeå University, Sweden, Feb 27, 2012
17. 'The Semantics of "Ought"' (Lecture 2, The Burman Lectures in Philosophy), Umeå University, Sweden, Feb 28, 2012
18. 'Explaining Reasons,' Philosophical Society of Umeå University, Sweden, Feb 28, 2012
19. 'The Pragmatics of Normative Disagreement,' (Lecture 3, The Burman Lectures in Philosophy), Umeå University, Sweden, Feb 29, 2012
20. 'The Pragmatics of Normative Disagreement,' North Carolina State University, April 19, 2012

INVITED COMMENTARIES

1. On Rachel Cohon, 'Hume's Theory of Moral Sense and the Modern Philosophy,' Pacific APA Meeting, San Francisco, March 27, 2003
  2. On Julie Tannenbaum, 'All Too Human,' 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Southern California Philosophy Conference, University of California—Irvine, Oct 30, 2004
  3. On Robert Audi, *Practical Reasoning and Ethical Decision*. Pacific APA Meeting, San Francisco, April 6, 2007
  4. On Aaron Zimmerman, 'On Inferring "Ought" from "Is"', 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Southern Cal. Philosophy Conference, Pitzer College, Nov 7, 2009
  5. On David Shoemaker, 'Psychopathy, Responsibility, and the Moral/Conventional Distinction', Spindel Conference, University of Memphis, Oct 8, 2010
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