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### EDUCATION

Cornell University: Ph.D. (2011) and M.A. (2007) in Philosophy

*Dissertation: "Political Obligation and Democratic Community: An Account of the Democratic Citizen's Duty to Uphold the Law"*

*Committee:* Richard W. Miller (chair), Nicholas Sturgeon, Michelle Kosch

Swarthmore College: B.A. (2002) in Philosophy with High Honors

### AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Social & Political Philosophy, Normative Ethics

### AREAS OF COMPETENCE

Philosophy of Law, Applied Ethics, Metaethics, Continental Social Theory (e.g., Marx, Freud, early Frankfurt School)

### EMPLOYMENT

2022 -	University of Delaware	Associate Professor of Philosophy
2016 - 2022	University of Delaware	Assistant Professor of Philosophy
2015 - 2016	Franklin & Marshall College	Visiting Assistant Professor of Philosophy
2012 - 2015	Amherst College	Visiting Assistant Professor of Philosophy
2011 - 2012	Binghamton University	Visiting Assistant Professor of Philosophy
2009 - 2010	Haverford College	Visiting Instructor of Philosophy

### PUBLICATIONS

"Friendship and Practical Reason," *The Routledge Handbook of Philosophy of Friendship*, Diane Jeske, ed. New York: Routledge, 2023

"But I've Got My Own Life to Live: Personal Pursuits and the Demands of Morality" *Social Theory and Practice* 48.2 (April 2022) 263-284

"Disagreement, Unilateral Judgment, and Kant's Argument for Rule by Law" *Journal of Ethics and Social Philosophy* 20.3 (November 2021) 285-309

- “Kant and the Problem of Unequal Enforcement of Law” *Journal of Ethics and Social Philosophy* 20.2 (August 2021) 188-210
- “Vocations, Exploitation, and Professions in a Market Economy” *Social Theory and Practice* 44.3 (July 2018) 323-347
- “A Good Friend Will Help You Move a Body: Friendship and the Problem of Moral Disagreement” *The Philosophical Review* 125.4 (October 2016) 473-507
- “The Principle of Fairness, Political Duties, and the Benefits Proviso Mistake” *Journal of Moral Philosophy* 13.3 (May 2016) 265-293
- “Normative Consent and Authority” *Journal of Moral Philosophy* 10.3 (May 2013) 255-275

## WORK IN PROGRESS

- Mastering the Art of Philosophy: A Guide to Philosophical Writing with Seven Exemplary Essays* (proposal), co-author with Jyl Gentzler - *under contract with Routledge*
- “Killing by Letting Drown”
- “Coercion and Deliberative Necessity”
- “Disagreement, Deference, and Solidarity”

## FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS

- Charlotte Newcombe Dissertation Fellowship, Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation, 2008
- Buttrick-Crippen Teaching Fellowship, Knight Institute for Writing, Cornell University, 2008 (*declined*)
- Graduate Student Presentation Award, Creighton Club (New York State Philosophical Association), 2008
- Sage Fellowship, Philosophy Department, Cornell University, 2003, 2007

## PRESENTATIONS & COMMENTS

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| <i>Comments on E. Song’s ‘Fairness, Acceptance and the Benefits Problem’</i> | Feb. 2023 | Colloquium: Fairness and Political Value, APA Central Meeting                                                                    |
| <i>Exploitation and the Duty to Resist Being Unfairly Taken Advantage Of</i> | Sep. 2022 | Duties to Oneself: Moral, Social, and Political Dimensions, MANCEPT Workshops in Political Theory, University of Manchester (UK) |
| <i>Three Dimensions of Equality Within Intimate Relationships</i>            | Sep. 2022 | Equality in Intimate Life, MANCEPT Workshops in Political Theory, University of Manchester (UK)                                  |
| <i>Comments on S. Donahue’s ‘Autonomy and Information Overload’</i>          | Jan. 2022 | Colloquium: Autonomy, APA Eastern Meeting                                                                                        |
| <i>Comments on Z. Kopeikin’s ‘Violent Deaths and Vicious Preferences’</i>    | Jan. 2021 | Colloquium: Dying and Killing, APA Eastern Meeting                                                                               |

<i>Comments on M. Hayward's 'The Priority of the Good and the Contingency of the Right'</i>	Jan. 2020	Colloquium: Obligation, Goodness, and Agency, APA Eastern Meeting
<i>Disagreement, Deference, and Solidarity</i>	Sep. 2019	Solidarity and Democratic Theory Today, MANCEPT Workshops in Political Theory, University of Manchester (UK)
<i>Comments on T. Menge's 'The Global Land Rush, Self-Determination and the Ontology of Political Communities'</i>	Jan. 2019	Colloquium: Political Philosophy, APA Eastern Meeting
<i>Kant, Pretextual Justification, and Refusing to Uphold the Law</i>	Oct. 2018	8th Multilateral Kant Colloquium, University of Catania (Italy)
	Dec. 2017	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, University of Delaware
<i>Access to Legal Services and the Authority of Law</i>	Apr. 2017	Conference on Overcriminalization and Indigent Legal Care, Blumenfeld Center for Ethics, Georgia State University
<i>Working for Free: Vocational Commitment, Institutional Exploitation, and Professions in a Market Economy</i>	Jan. 2017	Zicklin Center Normative Business Ethics Workshop, Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania
	Jan. 2015	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, Amherst College
<i>But I've Got My Own Life to Live: Famine, Affluence, and the Moral Status of Personal Pursuits</i>	Feb. 2016	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, University of Delaware
	Feb. 2016	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, Lehigh University
<i>Comments on R. Zheng's 'How Philosophers Can Help: Responsibility, Causality, and Social Inequality'</i>	Dec. 2014	Colloquium: Social Philosophy, APA Eastern Meeting
<i>How to Make Judgments Without Being Judgmental</i>	June 2012	Speaker Series, Governor's School of North Carolina - West Campus
	June 2013	
	June 2014	
<i>Comments on A. Veltman's 'Does All Labor Have Dignity?'</i>	Apr. 2014	Colloquium: Dignity and Self-Ownership, APA Pacific Meeting
<i>A Kantian Argument for Philosophical Anarchism</i>	Mar. 2014	Philosophy Dept. Workshop, Amherst College
<i>Political Obligation and Political Community</i>	June 2013	Workshop on Political Community, Centre for Citizenship, Civil Society, and Rule of Law, University of Aberdeen (UK)
<i>Professional Norms and Institutional Exploitation</i>	Mar. 2013	Colloquium: Ethics, APA Pacific Meeting

<i>Friendship, Moral Disagreement, and Political Obligation</i>	Feb. 2013	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, University of Houston
<i>The Principle of Fairness, Political Duties, and the Benefits Proviso Mistake</i>	Jan. 2013	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, University of Toronto
<i>Comments on A. Habib's 'Sustainability and the Currency of Intergenerational Environmental Justice'</i>	Dec. 2012	Colloquium: Contemporary Political Issues, APA Eastern Meeting
<i>Friendship, Deference, and Morality (or Deferential Friends)</i>	Feb. 2012	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, Florida State University
	Apr. 2011	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, Dartmouth College
	Jan. 2011	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, Purdue University
	Dec. 2009	Philosophy Dept. Workshop, Haverford College
	Nov. 2009	Philosophy Dept. Workshop, Cornell University
	Nov. 2008	Virginia Tech Graduate Philosophy Conference
	Oct. 2008	Creighton Club (New York State Philosophical Assn.)
<i>Global Justice and the Practice-Dependence of Justification</i>	Dec. 2011	Society for the Philosophy of History, APA Eastern Meeting
<i>Global Poverty, Beneficence, and the Moral Status of Personal Pursuits</i>	Nov. 2011	Philosophy Dept. Workshop, Cornell University
<i>Disagreement and Democratic Institutions</i>	Apr. 2010	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, Swarthmore College
	Apr. 2009	Philosophy Dept. Workshop, Cornell University
<i>Deference, Friendship, and Political Obligation</i>	Apr. 2009	Princeton Graduate Political Theory Conference
	Jan. 2009	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, Columbia University
	Nov. 2008	Philosophy Dept. Workshop, Cornell University
<i>The Principle of Fairness and Political Duties</i>	Oct. 2007	Brown Graduate Philosophy Conference
	Mar. 2007	Princeton-Rutgers Graduate Philosophy Conference
	Nov. 2006	Philosophy Dept. Workshop, Cornell University
<i>Comments on S. Darwall's 'Authority and Second-Personal Reasons for Action'</i>	Sep. 2007	Philosophy Dept. Colloquium, Cornell University
<i>Autonomy and Friendship</i>	Apr. 2007	Philosophy Dept. Workshop, Cornell University
<i>Comments on K. Basu's 'Human Rights as Instruments of Emancipation and Economic Development'</i>	Oct. 2006	Conference on the Ethics of Globalization and Development, Program on Ethics & Public Life, Cornell University

## TEACHING

### Introductory Courses (100- and 200-Level)

<i>Normative Ethics</i>	Delaware:	F23, S23, F22, S22, F21 ( <i>Honors</i> ), S21, F20, S20, F19, S17, F17
	F&M:	S16
	Amherst:	F12
	Haverford:	S10
<i>Markets, Ethics, &amp; Law</i>	Delaware:	F23, S22 ( <i>Honors</i> ), F17
	F&M:	F15
	Amherst:	S15
	Binghamton:	F11
<i>Meaning in Life and in Work</i> ( <i>Honors colloquium for first-years</i> )	Delaware:	F23
<i>Philosophy of Sex and Sexuality</i>	Delaware:	S23
<i>Social &amp; Political Philosophy</i>	Delaware:	F22, F21, S21, F20, S20, F19, S19, S18, S17, F16
	Amherst:	S13
<i>Contemporary Moral Problems</i>	Delaware:	S18, F16
<i>Introduction to Philosophy</i>	Amherst:	F12, F13, F14
<i>Medical Ethics</i>	Binghamton:	S12
<i>Methods of Reasoning</i>	Binghamton:	S12
<i>Elementary Logic</i>	Binghamton:	F11
<i>Human Nature &amp; the Ethical Life</i>	Haverford:	S10

### Intermediate Courses (300-Level)

<i>Philosophy of Law</i>	F&M:	S16
	Amherst:	F14
<i>History of Political Philosophy</i>	F&M:	F15
<i>Moral Blindnesses</i>	Amherst:	S14
<i>Marx and Critical Theory</i>	Amherst:	S14
	Haverford:	F09

### Undergraduate Seminars (400-Level)

<i>Political Authority and Obligation</i>	Delaware:	S19
	Amherst:	S15
<i>Morality, Impartiality, and Friendship</i>	F&M:	S16
	Binghamton:	S12
	Haverford:	F09
<i>Economic Justice</i>	Amherst:	S13
<i>The Moral Significance of National Borders</i>	Amherst:	F13
	Binghamton:	F11
<i>Just War Theory</i>	Haverford:	S10

## ADVISING

- Fall 2022 -  
Spring 2023 Senior Honors Thesis, Philosophy: Ajay Chakraborty, "Postmodern Spatiality and the Rise of Contemporary Fascism" (*supervisor*)
- Summer 2022 Summer Scholars Project, Philosophy: Ajay Chakraborty, the Frankfurt School of critical theory (*supervisor*)
- Summer 2021 Summer Scholars Project, Philosophy: Ajay Chakraborty, Marx's account of alienation under capitalism (*supervisor*)
- Fall 2019 -  
Spring 2020 Senior Honors Thesis, Philosophy: Caleb Owens, "E-Democracy: Fundamentals and Applications" (*supervisor*)
- Spring 2019 Master's Thesis, Hospitality and Business Management: John Micklos, "Mutual Hospitality in Practice" (*outside reader*)

## WRITING INSTRUCTION & PEDAGOGY

- Attendee, Summer Institute on Teaching, Center for Teaching and Assessment of Learning, University of Delaware, June 2021
- Participant, Workshop on Teaching Writing, Writing Center, University of Delaware, Aug. 2018
- Attendee, Summer Institute on Teaching, Center for Teaching and Assessment of Learning, University of Delaware, May 2018
- Participant, Course Design Workshop - Intensive Track, Winter Faculty Institute, University of Delaware, Jan. 2017
- Instructor, Bioethics & Writing, Summer Science Program (*for incoming first-years from underrepresented groups*), Amherst College, Aug. 2014
- Co-organizer, Workshop on Teaching the Art of Philosophical Writing, Amherst College, June 2014
- Presenter, 'Treating Students as Philosophers: Some Thoughts on the How and Why of Essay Comments,' Workshop on Teaching the Art of Philosophical Writing, Amherst College, June 2014
- Speaker, Final Luncheon of the Wesleyan-Amherst Collaboration on Writing Instruction, May 2013
- Participant, Faculty Seminar on the Teaching of Writing, Writing Center, Amherst College, Fall 2012
- Facilitator (Fall 2007) and Participant (Fall 2006), Graduate Seminar on Teaching Writing, John S. Knight Institute for Writing in the Disciplines, Cornell University
- Invited Participant, Teaching Seminar for Advanced Graduate Students, AAPT/ APA, Aug. 2006

## SERVICE

Philosophy Department Colloquium Committee, Fall 2022 - present

Faculty Advisor of the Blue Hen Ethics Club, Spring 2020 - present

Appellate Board, Student Conduct Office, Fall 2017 - present

Departmental Representative to the University Faculty Senate, Fall 2020 - Spring 2022

Think Tank on General Education Requirements for the College of Arts & Sciences, Spring 2021

Winter Institute on Learning: Program Educational Goals and Assessment Plans, Jan. 2021

Philosophy Department Advisory Committee, Fall 2017 - Spring 2021

Departmental Representative to the College of Arts & Sciences Faculty Senate, Fall 2019 - Spring 2020

Philosophy Department Library Liaison, Fall 2016 - Spring 2017

Referee for:

*American Political Science Review*: 2018

*Canadian Journal of Philosophy*: 2019

*Ergo*: 2014

*Erkenntnis*: 2022

*Ethical Theory & Moral Practice*: 2016

*European Journal of Political Theory*: 2021, 2023

*Journal of Applied Philosophy*: 2022 (2x), 2023

*Journal of Ethics and Social Philosophy*: 2023

*Journal of Moral Philosophy*: 2022

*Journal of Social Philosophy*: 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2022

*Journal of the American Philosophical Association*: 2017 (2x), 2023

*Journal of Value Inquiry*: 2014, 2021

*Moral Philosophy and Politics*: 2022

*Philosophers' Imprint*: 2021

*Philosophical Quarterly*: 2016, 2019

*The Philosophical Review*: 2018

*Philosophical Studies*: 2015, 2020, 2021

*Philosophy and Technology*: 2018

*Philosophy, Politics, and Economics*: 2017

*Res Philosophica*: 2020

*Res Publica*: 2018, 2021

*Social Theory and Practice*: 2018, 2021, 2022, 2023

*Southern Journal of Philosophy*: 2016

*Utilitas*: 2017