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Areas of Specialization

Feminist Philosophy, Applied Philosophy (Bioethics, Applied Philosophy of Language)

Areas of Competence

Ethics, Social and Political Philosophy, Philosophy of Gender and Sexuality

Employment

Assistant Professor, Oklahoma State University Department of Philosophy, *August 2021-*

Education

PhD: University of Western Ontario, Philosophy, *July 2021*

Dissertation: "The Moral and Political Status of Microaggressions"

Committee: Carolyn McLeod (Chair), Robert Stainton, Richard Vernon (Political Science)

MA: University of Colorado-Boulder, Philosophy, *May 2017*

Thesis: "Institutional Uptake: Extending Theories of Uptake Beyond the Interpersonal"

Committee: Alison Jaggar (Chair), Adam Hosein, Celeste Montoya (Women and Gender Studies).

Graduate Certificate: University of Colorado-Boulder, Women and Gender Studies, *May 2017*

BA: University of Louisville, Biology and Philosophy (Concentration in Social Sciences)

Minors in Psychology, Humanities, and Women and Gender Studies, *May 2015*

Thesis: "Restricting the Use of Forced Medications in Psychiatric Practice" (Chaired by Nancy Potter)

Honors + Awards

2021: Canadian Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences Congress Graduate Merit Award (\$500)

2017: Barnard Scholarship, \$15,000/year renewable for 4 years.

2015: University of Louisville Honors Scholar

2015: Richard Campbell Smith Memorial Award for Excellence in Philosophy

2015: University of Louisville Philosophy Honors (4.0 Philosophy Department GPA and Approved Honors

Thesis) + Graduated as Top Philosophy Student

Publications: Philosophy

I. Edited Journal Issues

"Outsiders Within: Reflections on Being a First-Generation and/or Low-Income Philosopher." Special Issue of the *APA Newsletter on Feminism and Philosophy* (guest edited with Arianna Falbo), Spring 2021.

II. Refereed Journal Articles

"Diversifying... Aristotle? Engaging Diverse Students with New Approaches to the *Nicomachean Ethics*," *Teaching Ethics*, in press, 2021.

“We’re Here, We’re... Queer? On the Enduring Harms of Bisexual Erasure.” *Dialogue: Canadian Philosophical Review, Special Issue: Canadian Philosophical Association 2021 Prize Winning Papers*, in press, 2021.

“Toward a Harm-Based Account of Microaggressions” (with Lauren Freeman), *Perspectives on Psychological Science*, in press, 2021.

“Making Sense of “Microaggression”: On Family Resemblance and Standpoint Epistemology.” *Southwest Philosophy Review*, volume 37, 2021.

“Why Didn’t She Say Something Sooner?” Doubt, Denial, Silencing, and the Epistemic Harms of Responses to the #MeToo Movement.” *South Central Review*, Special Issue: #MeToo, Moving Forward, Vol. 36, No. 2: 68-94, 2019.

“Understanding Aristotle’s Notion of the Mean: A Case Study in Anger.” *Labyrinth: An International Journal for Philosophy, Value Theory, and Sociocultural Hermeneutics*, Special Issue: Contemporary Philosophical Debates on Values, 2019.

“Microaggressions in Clinical Medicine” (with Lauren Freeman). *Kennedy Institute of Ethics Journal*, 28(4): 411-449, 2018.

“In Defense of Fanon’s Conception of the Struggle to the Death.” *Humanities Bulletin*, Vol. 1 No. 2: 85-102, 2018.

“Uncovering Gender in Hegel’s ‘Ethical Order’ in *The Phenomenology of Spirit*.” *Episteme International Undergraduate Journal*. XXVII: 7-24, 2016.

“Suspended Animation as a Medical Intervention: Opting for an “Opt-In” System.” *Rutgers Journal of Bioethics*. Vol. 7: Issue 1: 46-55, 2016.

“Dissolving Dualism in Medicine: Reuniting the Body and Mind through Patient Narratives.” *Res Cogitans*: Vol. 6: Issue 1. Article 15, 2015.

III. Book Chapters

“Power and Microaggressions in Health Care” (with Lauren Freeman), *Routledge Handbook of Feminist Bioethics*, invited chapter, forthcoming in 2022.

“The Politics of Recognition and Epistemic Injustices in Medicine: Problems for Transgender and Gender Non-Conforming Patients and Why We Should Be Worried” (with Lauren Freeman). In *Recognition Theory and Epistemic Injustice*, Ed. Paul Giladi and Nicola McMillan, Routledge Press, in press, forthcoming in 2022.

“How Words *Can* Hurt: A Standpoint Epistemological Reply to Critics of the Microaggression Program” (with Lauren Freeman). In *Philosophy and Microaggressions*, Ed. Lauren Freeman and Jeanine Weekes Schroer, Routledge Press, 2020. Pp. 36-66.

“Epistemic Microaggressions and Epistemic Injustices in Clinical Medicine” (with Lauren Freeman). In *Overcoming Epistemic Injustice: Social and Psychological Perspectives*, Ed. Ben Sherman and Stacey Goguen, Rowman and Littlefield International, 2019. Pp. 134-152.

IV. Book Reviews

“Review of *Bad Words: Philosophical Perspectives on Slurs* (David Sosa) *Radical Philosophy*, Vol. 2, Issue 04 (Spring 2019), April 28, 2019.

“Review of *Institutional Corruption: A Study in Applied Philosophy* (Seumas Miller). *Philosophy in Review*. Vol 38, No. 4. 2018.

“Review of *Beyond the Binary: Thinking About Sex and Gender* (Shannon Dea).” *Hypatia Reviews Online*. June 20, 2018.

“Book Review: *Hunting Girls: Sexual Violence from the Hunger Games to Campus Rape* (Kelly Oliver).” *Dosis*. October 18, 2017.

“Review of *Poverty, Agency and Human Rights* (Diana Tietjens Meyers).” *Hypatia Reviews Online*. 2017.

“Book Review: *The Minority Body* (Elizabeth Barnes).” *MedHum Fiction Daily Dose*. 5 October 2016.

“Book Review: *The New Jim Crow* (Michelle Alexander).” *MedHum Fiction Daily Dose*. 25 May 2016.

V. Reports and Newsletters

“Time to Attach: The Need for EI Attachment Benefits” (co-authored with Time to Attach Research Team). Produced for Ontario’s Adoptive Parents Association and the Adoption Council of Canada, May 2019.

“Microaggressions in Medicine and the Harms to Patients,” (with Lauren Freeman), *University of Louisville Health Science Campus, Celebrating Diversity Newsletter*, Summer 2019 Special Edition: Microaggressions. April 29, 2019.

Publications: Gender and LGBTQ+ Studies

I. Refereed Journal Articles

“Institutional Failures in the Rise of #MeToo: The Perpetuation of Epistemic and Other Harms to Survivors in Academic Contexts.” *Tulsa Studies in Women’s Literature*, Forum on #MeToo, Vol. 38, no. 1: 215-223, 2019.

“Parents of Pets?” A Defense of Interspecies Parenting and Family Building.” *Analyze: Journal of Gender and Feminist Studies*, Special Issue: Analysing Love. 11(25), 2018.

II. Book Chapters

“When Urban Masculinity Manifests in Violence: On Finding Practical Solutions to End the Practice of Dogfighting.” In *Animals in the City*, Ed. Laura Reese, Routledge Press, in press, 2021.

“Immortal Technique and the Radical Reimagining of Masculinity on the Street.” In *Misogyny, Toxic Masculinity, and Heteronormativity in Post-2000 Popular Music*, Ed. Glenn Fosbraey and Nicola Puckey, Palgrave MacMillan Press), 2021.

III. Book Reviews

“Book Review: Genderqueer and Non-Binary Genders (Ed. Christina Richards, Walter Pierre Bouman, and Meg-John Baker) *Dosis*. Fall 2018: Special Issue on Gender, Health, Embodiment, 2018.

“Book Review: *Nasty Women: Feminism, Resistance, and Revolution in Trump’s America* (Ed. Samhita Mukhopadhyay and Kate Harding). *Dosis*. 1.1. Special edition: Sickness and Health in the Era of Trump.” February 28, 2018.

Works in Progress

I. Books

Microaggressions in Medicine (with Lauren Freeman), under review with Oxford University Press. [Manuscript is 80% written and editor has sent sample chapters to reviewers].

II. Refereed Journal Articles

“Hearing Queer Voices in the Clinic: On the Prevention of Clinical Microaggressions for Better Communication and Care.” *Survive and Thrive: A Journal for Medical Humanities and Narrative as Medicine*, revise and resubmit.

“A Perfect Storm for Epistemic Injustice: Algorithmic Targeting and Sorting on Social Media” (with Emily Cichocki and Carolyn McLeod), preparing to submit.

III. Book Chapters

“Fear and Transphobia in Medical Contexts” (with Lauren Freeman), *The Moral Psychology of Fear*, invited chapter, in progress.

IV. Book Reviews

“Review of *Ethics of Microaggression* (Regina Rini) (with Lauren Freeman), *Mind*, in progress.

“Review of *Just Words: On Speech and Hidden Harm* (Mary Kate McGowan). *APA Newsletter on Feminism & Philosophy*, in progress.

“Review of *Culture, Identities, and Technology in the Star Wars Films* (Ed. Carl Silvo and Tony M. Vinci). *Journal of Science Fiction and Philosophy*, in progress.

“Book Review: *Histories of the Transgender Child* (Julian Gill-Peterson). *LSE Reviews*, in progress.

Public Philosophy + Popular Writing

I. Professional Blogs

“Graduate Student Teaching in a Time of Crisis: Some Successes and Some Areas That Need Improvement” (with Arianna Falbo and Emma McClure), *APA Blog*, June 3, 2020.

<https://blog.apaonline.org/2020/06/03/graduate-teaching-in-a-time-of-crisis-some-successes-and-some-areas-that-need-improvement/>.

“How to Support Graduate Student Teaching in the Time of COVID-19” (with Arianna Falbo and Emma McClure), *APA Blog*, May 13, 2020. <https://blog.apaonline.org/2020/05/13/how-to-support-graduate-student-teaching-in-the-time-of-covid-19/>.

“Graduate Studies in the Time of Coronavirus: Seeking Empathy and Community” *MLA Grads Blog*, April 17, 2020. <https://mlagrads.mla.hcommons.org/2020/04/17/grad-studies-in-coronavirus-post-1/>.

“Supporting Grad Students During COVID-19” (with Emma McClure and Arianna Falbo), *APA Blog*, April 6, 2020. <https://blog.apaonline.org/2020/04/06/supporting-grad-students-during-covid-19/>.

- Reposted at *Daily Nous*, April 7, 2020. <http://dailynous.com/2020/04/07/apa-grad-council-support-grad-students-pandemic/>.

“Reflections on Being a First-Generation and/or Low-Income Graduate Student” (with Arianna Falbo), *APA Blog*, March 10, 2020. <https://blog.apaonline.org/2020/03/10/philosophy-and-socioeconomic-status-unmasking-problems-and-sparking-conversations/>.

“Western University Researchers Release Report Advocating for More ‘Time to Attach’ for People Who Provide Permanency to Children.” *IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics Blog*, May 22, 2019. <http://www.ijfab.org/blog/2019/05/western-researchers-release-report-advocating-for-more-time-to-attach-for-people-who-provide-permanency-to-children/>.

“Bisexual Microaggressions in Medical Contexts.” *Bisexual Resource Center Blog*. March 23, 2019. <http://biresource.org/bisexual-microaggressions-in-medical-contexts/>.

- Reposted at *IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics Blog*, March 27, 2019. <http://www.ijfab.org/blog/2019/03/bisexual-microaggressions-in-medical-contexts/#respond>.

“Shifting Perspectives: A Victim-Centered Account of Microaggressions in Medicine, and Beyond.” (With Lauren Freeman). *International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics (IJFAB) blog*. February 2019. <http://www.ijfab.org/blog/2019/02/shifting-perspectives-a-victim-centered-account-of-microaggressions-in-medicine-and-beyond/>.

“Adoptive Parents and Unequal Parental Leave Time.” *Impact Ethics*. Oct 9, 2018. <https://impactethics.ca/2018/10/09/adoptive-parents-and-unequal-parental-leave/>.

“Adoptive Parents in Canada Face Discrimination in EI Benefits” *Time to Attach*. September 13, 2018. <https://timetoattach.com/blog/>.

II. Popular Publications & Opinion

“International Students Should Not Be Excluded from the Canada Emergency Student Benefit.” *Rabble*, April 28, 2020. <https://rabble.ca/blogs/bloggers/views-expressed/2020/04/international-students-should-not-be-excluded-canada>.

- Most read op-ed on *Rabble* of the year, as of May 2020.

“Microaggressions and the Continued Problem of Bi-Erasure,” *Art/iculation Magazine*, Special Issue: Queer and Now, 2019.

“Embodying Trauma: Acute and Accumulated.” *Dosis* Fall 2018: Special Issue on Health, Gender, Embodiment. October 17, 2018. <https://medhumdosis.com/2018/10/17/fature-embodying-trauma-acute-and-accumulated/>.

“Feminist Epistemologies in *A Woman Under the Influence*.” *Hektoen International: A Journal of Medical Humanities*. Vol. 8: Iss. 2. Spring 2016. May 2016.

Conference Presentations

I. Invited Talks

“Title TBA,” (with Arianna Falbo), Eastern APA, Graduate Student Council Session, January 2022.

“Title TBA,” University of Nottingham Visiting Speaker Series, December 2021.

“LGBTQ+ Microaggressions in Health Care” (with Lauren Freeman, presented by co-author), University of Louisville Health Sciences Campus Affirming Healthcare Session, Louisville KY, January 23, 2020.

“Microaggressions, Slurs, and the Paradox of Free Speech,” first annual University of Louisville Philosophy Alumni Lecture, April 5, 2019.

“How Words Can Hurt: A Standpoint Epistemological Reply to Critics of the Microaggression Program” (with Lauren Freeman), Midwest US SWIP session, Central Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Denver, CO, February 20-23, 2019.

“Aristotle and Social Activism? Grounding Solidarity in Virtue Friendship.” BGSU Applied Philosophy Workshop: “Individual and Collective Responsibility.” Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH, November 2-3, 2018.

“Microaggressions at the Bedside: The Seemingly Small Things Clinicians Do That Erode Patient Trust,” (with Lauren Freeman). University of Kentucky Bioethics Conference, University of Kentucky, September 2016.

II. Refereed Conference Papers

“We’re Here, We’re... Queer? On the Enduring Harms of Bisexual Erasure,” accepted for presentation at the Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, January 2022.

“A Perfect Storm for Epistemic Injustice: Algorithmic Targeting and Sorting on Social Media” (with Carolyn McLeod and Emily Cichocki), accepted for presentation at the Feminism, Social Justice, and AI Workshop, University of Waterloo, virtual, July 2021.

“A Perfect Storm for Epistemic Injustice: Algorithmic Targeting and Sorting on Social Media” (with Carolyn McLeod and Emily Cichocki), accepted for presentation at the Joint Conference for CEPE/IACAP Joint Conference “The Philosophy and Ethics of Artificial Intelligence,” University of Hamburg, to be held virtually, July 2021.

“We’re Here, We’re... Queer? On the Enduring Harms of Bisexual Erasure,” presented at the Canadian Philosophical Association, virtual, May 2021.

- Awarded Congress Graduate Merit Award

“Microaggressions Reconsidered: A Harm-Based Account” (with Lauren Freeman) presented at the Canadian Philosophical Association Meeting, virtual, May 2021.

“Microaggressions Reconsidered” (with Lauren Freeman) in “Clinical Applications” (Psychology) section of the Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology meeting, virtual December 2020.

“Putting Power in its Place: Expanding Philip Pettit’s Defense of ‘Free Speech Infrastructure’ on University Campuses” accepted for presentation at FEMMSS 8: Changing Culture, Changing Science, Waterloo, Ontario, August 20-23, 2020 (Cancelled due to COVID-19).

“Putting Power in its Place: Expanding Philip Pettit’s Defense of ‘Free Speech Infrastructure’ on University Campuses” accepted for presentation at the 37th International Social Philosophy Conference, North American Society for Social Philosophy (NASSP), Aston, PA, July 16-18, 2020 (Cancelled due to COVID-19).

“Microaggressions Reconsidered: A Harm-Based Account” (with Lauren Freeman) accepted for presentation at the Canadian Philosophical Association, London, ON, June 1-4, 2020 (Cancelled due to COVID-19).

“Self-Identity Microaggressions in Medical Contexts: Understanding Experiences of Fat, Trans, and Non-Binary Patients” (with Lauren Freeman), Romanell Center Workshop in Bioethics, Buffalo University, Buffalo, NY, April 25, 2019 (Cancelled due to COVID-19).

“Diversifying... Aristotle? Engaging Diverse Undergraduates with Contemporary Approaches to the *Nicomachean Ethics*” presented at the Eastern Division of the American Philosophical Association, AAPT/APA Teaching Hub Session, Philadelphia, PA, January 2020.

“Self-Identity Microaggressions in Medical Contexts: Understanding Experiences of Fat, Trans, and Non-Binary Patients” (with Lauren Freeman), presented at Society for Analytic Feminism Session: “Engagements and Intersections of Health and Care,” American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, January 2020.

“The Embodiment of the Trauma of the “Everyday”: Microaggressions, #MeToo, and Rethinking our Relation to Trauma Intervention” accepted for presentation at Johns Hopkins Trauma, Narratives, and Institutions Conference. November 15-16, 2019.

“The Concept of Microaggression: A Family Resemblance Account” presented at CSWIP, University of Guelph, Ontario, October 25-27, 2019.

- This paper received honorable mention for the Jean Harvey graduate essay prize.

“Reducing Microaggressions in Medicine: Practical Tips for Providing Better Care” (with Lauren Freeman, paper given by co-author), American Society for Bioethics and Humanities 21st Annual Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, October 24-27, 2019.

“Bringing a Philosophical Perspective to the "Free Speech" Debates” presented at the Public Philosophy Network: Philosophy from All Walks of Life, East Lansing, MI, October 17-19, 2019.

“Becoming Epistemic Peers with Queers in Medical Contexts: Preventing Microaggressions to Improve Communication and Care for LGBTQ+ People,” presented at the Ninth Annual Western Michigan University Medical Humanities Conference, Kalamazoo MI, September 19-20, 2019.

“The Concept of Microaggression: A Family Resemblance Account” accepted for presentation at the 36th International Social Philosophy Conference, University of San Francisco, San Francisco, CA, July 11-13, 2019.

“Bi-Erasure: On the Partial and Limited Acceptance of Bisexuality in LGBTQ+ Communities” accepted for presentation in the Gay, Lesbian, and Queer Studies area of the 2019 Popular Culture Association Conference, Washington, D.C, April 17-20, 2019.

“We’re Here, We’re... Queer? Thinking Intersectionally About the Harms of Bisexual Erasure” presented at the Global Status of Women and Girls Conference, “Intersectionality: Understanding Women’s Lives and Resistance in the Past and Present,” Newport News, VA, March 21-23, 2019.

“Epistemic Microaggressions” (with Lauren Freeman) presented at the Society for Analytic Feminism panel at the Eastern Division of the American Philosophical Association, New York, NY, January 2019.

“How Words Can Hurt: A Standpoint Epistemological Reply to Critics of the Microaggression Program” (with Lauren Freeman) presented at the Midwest US SWIP Meeting, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN, November 2-4, 2018.

“Openness and Parental Leave” (with Carolyn McLeod) presented at the Association for the Study of Adoption and Culture (ASAC) Conference, Oakland, CA, October 18-20, 2018.

“Overcoming Epistemic Violence Online” presented at the 2018 Conference on the Global Status of Women and Girls, Christopher Newport University, Newport News, VA, March 2018.

“Shared Responsibility for Societal Appearances: On the Collective Effort to Restrict Hate Speech” presented at the 11th annual Western Michigan University Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, Kalamazoo, MI., December 2017.

“Shared Responsibility for Societal Appearances: On the Collective Effort to Restrict Hate Speech” presented at the 5th Annual Bowling Green State University Graduate Workshop in Applied Philosophy: Broadening the Scope of Moral Consideration, Bowling Green, OH, November 2017.

“Microaggressions in Clinical Medicine: A Critique of Beauchamp and Childress’ Principle of Non-Maleficence” (with Lauren Freeman), American Philosophical Association Eastern Division Meeting, Baltimore, MD, January 2017.

“Contribution, Responsibility, and Social Norms: In Defense of the Social Connection Model” (with Avery Kolers, paper given by co-author), Association for Political Theory Conference, Ohio State University, October 20-22, 2016.

“Gender Microaggressions in Clinical Medicine: A Feminist Critique of Beauchamp and Childress’ Principle of Non-Maleficence (with Lauren Freeman). The Association for Feminist Epistemologies, Methodologies, Metaphysics, and Science Studies, FEMMSS 6: Inside, Outside, and Across Disciplines: Gender, Race, and Concepts of Difference, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, October 2-4, 2016.

“Gatekeepers and ‘Deceivers’: Doubt, Denial, and Epistemic Injustice Towards Trans Patients in the Clinic,” The Association for Feminist Epistemologies, Methodologies, Metaphysics, and Science Studies, FEMMSS 6: Inside, Outside, and Across Disciplines: Gender, Race, and Concepts of Difference, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, October 2-4, 2016.

“Contribution, Responsibility, and Social Norms: In Defense of the Social Connection Model” (with Avery Kolers), 9th Annual Rocky Mountain Ethics Conference (RoME), University of Colorado-Boulder, Boulder, CO, August 11-14, 2016.

“Contribution, Responsibility, and Social Norms: In Defense of the Social Connection Model” (with Avery Kolers), North American Society for Social Philosophy’s 33rd International Social Philosophy Conference, Carleton University, Ottawa Canada, July 21-23, 2016.

“Structural Problems Demand Structural Solutions: The Shortcomings of Suggested Cultural Competency Models,” 14th International New Directions in the Humanities Conference, Chicago, IL, June 8-10, 2016. [Was awarded a Graduate Scholar Award for this conference].

“Microaggressions in Clinical Medicine: A Critique of Beauchamp and Childress’ Principle of Non-Maleficence” (with Lauren Freeman), Kentucky Philosophical Association 2016 Meeting, Bellarmine University, Louisville, KY, April 16, 2016.

“Denial of Identity and Experience: An Analysis of Epistemic Injustices Towards Trans Persons in Health Care,” Michigan State University 17th Graduate Philosophy Conference: Starting from the Actual: Working Against Oppression and Marginalization, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI, March 18-19, 2016.

“Microaggressions in Clinical Medicine: A Critique of Beauchamp and Childress’ Principle of Non-Maleficence” (with Lauren Freeman), Invited Symposia on Issues in African American Psychology, Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology Meeting, Louisville, KY, March 10-12, 2016.

“Denial of Identity and Experience: An Analysis of Epistemic Injustices Towards Trans Persons in Healthcare,” QueerCon 2016: Social Justice Warriors, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio, February 26, 2016.

“In Defense of Fanon’s Conception of the Struggle to the Death,” Southern Illinois University-Carbondale 18th Annual Building Bridges Graduate Conference, “Resistance: Lives of Dissent and Revolt,” Southern Illinois University-Carbondale, Carbondale, IL, November 2015.

“Uncovering Gender in Hegel’s ‘Ethical Order’ in *The Phenomenology of Spirit*,” SoCal Philosophy Conference, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA, October 2015.

“Dissolving Dualism in Medicine: Reuniting the Body and Mind Through Patient Narrative,” Pacific University Undergraduate Philosophy Conference, Pacific University, Forest Grove, OR, April 2015.

“Dissolving Dualism in Medicine: Reuniting the Body and Mind Through Patient Narrative,” Southern Regional Honors Conference, Greenville, SC, March 2015.

“Dissolving Dualism in Medicine: Reuniting the Body and Mind Through Patient Narrative,” Kentucky Honors Roundtable, Kentucky State University, 2015.

“Caring for the Monster: Analysis of the Emotional Investment in the Character Norman Bates,” SoCal Philosophy Conference, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA, October 2014.

“Perspectives in German Expressionism” [Poster Presentation], National Collegiate Honors Conference, Denver, CO, November 2014.

“German Expressionism: The Art of Escape,” Southern Regional Honors Conference, Savannah, GA, March 2014.

“German Expressionism: The Art of Escape,” Kentucky Honors Roundtable, Morehead State University, Morehead, KY, 2014.

“The Incompatibility of Divine Foreknowledge and Freedom: The Impacts of Affirming the Existence of a Higher Power on Free Will and Moral Responsibility,” Kentucky Honors Roundtable, Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, KY, 2013.

III. Commentaries

On Michael Da Silva's "Individual and 'National' Health Rights: Analyzing the Potential Conflicts," Central Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, virtual, February 2021.

On Lee-Ann Chae's "Trust and Contingency Plans," Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, virtual, January 2020.

On Lauren Ashwell's "You Ought Not to Say That," Southern Society of Philosophy and Psychology meeting, virtual, December 2020.

On Michael Barnes' "Who Do You Speak For? And How?: Anonymity and Identity in Online Abuse," Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Philadelphia PA, January 8-11, 2020.

On Jonathan Gingerich's "Fragility and Spontaneity: Bioethical Implications of Spontaneous Freedom," Central Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Denver, CO, February 20-23, 2019.

On Marnina Norys' "Techniques of Relatedness in Practice: Lessons from Community Mental Health," Canadian Philosophical Association Meeting, Montreal Quebec. June 4-7, 2018.

On Harry Critchley's "The Epistemology of Ignorance and Prenatal and Natal Care for Pregnant Women in Provincial Jails in Ontario and Nova Scotia." Canadian Philosophical Association Meeting, Montreal, Quebec. June 4-7, 2018.

On Taylor Rogers' "Unintelligibility and Epistemological Resilience," Central Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Chicago, IL. February 21-24, 2018.

IV. Other Presentations

"The Moral and Political Status of Microaggressions," Public Thesis Lecture, Western University, July 2021.

"Microaggressions Matter: On the World-Shaping Power of So-Called "Subtle Speech." Oklahoma State University, virtual, April 2021.

"Microaggressions Matter: On the World-Shaping Power of So-Called "Subtle Speech." Prindle Institute of Ethics, virtual, March 31, 2021.

"Conceptualizing Microaggression." Kings University Philosophy Club, London, Ontario, November 29th, 2019.

"Paving the Road to Truly Free Speech: Establishing a More Just Free Speech Infrastructure on Campus and Beyond." Southwestern Ontario Feminist Philosophy Workshop, London, Ontario, October 3, 2019.

"Philosophical Issues in Freedom of Expression." Freedom of Expression Speaker Series, University of Western Ontario, Sept 25, 2019.

“Words that Hurt: Microaggressions, Slurs, Hate Speech, and the Degradation of Democratic Value.”
Western University Department Talk, April 9, 2019.

“Contemporary Approaches to Aristotle’s *Nicomachean Ethics*” PIKSI Boston, Cambridge, MA. June 2018.

“Restricting the Use of Forced Medications in Psychiatric Practice,” University of Louisville Thesis Defense,
University of Louisville, April 2015.

V. Public Philosophy + Outreach

“103. Feminist Philosopher Heather Stewart” Interview for The Path to Authenticity Podcast, January 5,
2021

“Microaggressive Speech” Interview for GradCast Radio. Interviewed on June 23, 2020 for the podcast,
which also airs on CHRW radio 94.9 FM in London, ON.

“Campus Speech Codes and an Argument for Restricting Microaggressions and Slurs.” On *Ethics Forward!*
(hosted by Avery Kolers), broadcasted on Forward Radio, 106.5 FM in Louisville, KY, July 23, 24, and 25.

VI. Conference Chairing, Workshop Participation + Other

Organizer and Chair, APA Commission on the Status of Women Session, Author Meets Critics: *Conscience in
Reproductive Health Care: Prioritizing Patient Interests* (Carolyn McLeod), Central APA, February 2022.

Organizer (with Arianna Falbo), “Barriers to Belonging: Surviving Graduate School and the Job Market as an
Underrepresented Philosopher,” APA Graduate Student Council Session, Eastern APA, January 2022.

Session Chair, Feminism, Canadian Philosophical Association Meeting, virtual, May 2021.

Conference Chair, Western University MAP Undergraduate Philosophy Conference, virtual, March 2021.

Session Organizer and Chair, APA GSC Session: *Diversity is not Enough: Promoting Inclusivity in Academic
Philosophy* (with Arianna Falbo), American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division Meeting, virtual, 2021.

Session Organizer and Chair, APA GSC Presents *Outsiders Within: Reflections on Being a Low-Income/First-
Generation Philosopher*, (with Arianna Falbo), American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division Meeting,
Philadelphia PA, January 2020.

Conference Chair, Western University MAP Undergraduate Philosophy Conference, Ontario, March 2019.

Session Chair, “Society for Analytic Feminism: The Bloomsbury Companion to Analytic Feminism:
Reflection, Dialogue, and Future Goals.” Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical
Association, New York, NY. January 2019.

Session Chair, Symposium on “Eating and Agency.” Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, New York, NY. January 2019.

Public Philosophy Journal's New Engaged Digital Scholars Pilot Program. Project selected for inclusion in the program: “No Tolerance for Hateful Speech.” 2018.

Invited to Serve as Session Chair for Invited Session on “Eating and Agency.” Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Savannah, GA. January 3-6, 2018.

Research Involvement

Graduate Research Assistant (GRA) to Carolyn McLeod, Rotman Institute Summer Research Award for Work on Trust, Artificial Intelligence, and Social Media, Summer 2021

GRA Value: \$2,500

Graduate Research Assistant (GRA) to Dr. Carolyn McLeod, Trust and Social Bonds, 2020-2021

GRA Value: \$2,200

Research Assistant to Dr. Carolyn McLeod, Course Development for Power, Privilege, and Oppression, Summer 2020

GRA Value: \$1,500

Visiting Researcher, University of Louisville, *Improving Clinical Medicine*, 2017

The project aimed at improving clinical outcomes and patient/provider relations for transgender patients: more specifically, at developing strategies to reduce the prevalence of microaggressions experienced by trans patients in clinical settings.

Research Team Member and GRA, University of Western Ontario, *For the Sake of Healthy Attachments: Expanding Employment Insurance Benefits for Adoptive Parents*, 2017

The project (later called “Time to Attach”) was to create a report arguing that parental leave benefits in Canada ought to be expanded to equal those of biological parents. The team also provided research and consultation for two legal cases about parental leave: *Lisa Warnock v. Board of Education of School District No. 36 (36 Surrey)* and *Surrey Teachers Association and Ray Warnock v. Board of Education of School District No. 36 (36 Surrey)* and *Surrey Teachers Association* respectively (Clea F. Parfitt, lawyer).

GRA Value \$1,000.

Teaching Experience

I. As Sole Instructor

Graduate:

University of Louisville: BETH 682: Gender, Race, and Culture in Health Care, Summer III 2021

Undergraduate:

Oklahoma State University: PHIL 1213: Philosophies of Life, Fall 2021

Oklahoma State University: PHIL 3920: Feminist Philosophy, Fall 2021

University of Colorado, Boulder: PHIL 1160: Introduction to Medical Ethics, Fall 2020

University of Colorado, Boulder: PHIL 2200: Major Social and Political Theories, Fall 2020

University of Louisville: PHIL 219: Sex and Values, Fall 2020

II. As Co-Instructor

Western University: PHIL 2062G: Power, Oppression, and Privilege (Co-Instructor with Carolyn McLeod), Winter 2021.

III. As Teaching Assistant

Western University: PHIL 2073G: Death (TA for Ryan Robb), Winter 2020.

Western University: PHIL 3810F/LAW 5850A: Justice (TA for Andrew Botterell), Fall 2019.

Western University: PHIL 2062G: Power, Privilege and Oppression (TA for Gillian Barker), Winter 2019

Western University: PHIL 1305F: Questions of the Day (TA for Gillian Barker), Fall 2018

Western University: WSFR 1020: Intro to Women's Studies (TA for Kim Verwaayen), Fall/Winter 2017-2018

- Nominated for a University Teaching Assistant Award

University of Colorado, Boulder: PHIL 1000: Intro to Philosophy (TA for Garrett Bredeson), Fall 2016

University of Colorado, Boulder: PHIL 3140: Environmental Ethics (TA for David Youkey), Spring 2017

IV. As Grader

Trent University: PHIL 2010: Love and Desire, Winter 2021

Trent University: PHIL 2150: Philosophy of Law, Winter 2021

Trent University: PHIL 2390H: Biomedical Ethics, Winter 2020

Trent University: PHIL 2430H: Ancient Philosophy II, Winter 2020

Other Teaching, Student Engagement, and Outreach

Community Connections Leader (July-August 2020): Hired to be a Community Connections Leader for the Student Experience Office at Western University. The main responsibility of the position was to help welcome new students to campus and direct them to tools to help them better transition to university life.

Teaching Philosophy in Local High Schools (January-February 2020). Taught advanced students in grades 6-8 philosophy in local schools in London, Ontario. Specifically, I led sessions on our moral duties to non-human animals.

Johns Hopkins' Center for Talented Youth Program (June 2020-July 2020). Hired to teach a course on "Playing God: The Ethics of Human Subjects Research" at Princeton University, Princeton NJ. [Cancelled due to COVID-19].

Service

I. Service to Profession

APA Graduate Student Council, elected member and secretary, 2019-2021

- Serving in a two-year elected position on the GSC, and was internally elected as secretary. As secretary, I attend all meetings of the APA Board of Directors to represent graduate student needs and interests.

PIKSI Boston Teaching Fellow, 2018

- My roles as a PIKSI teaching fellow included teaching a 90-minute seminar and assisting with the various workshops held at MIT, as well as reviewing student applications for admission to the workshop, and maintaining an ongoing mentoring relationship with the undergraduate participants.

Series Editor, *Blog of the APA*, 2020

- Serving as a co-editor (with Arianna Falbo and Danielle Clevenger) of a special section of the *Blog of the APA* devoted to graduate student experiences during the COVID-19 pandemic, *The COVID-Chronicles*.

Assistant Editor, PhilPapers (Applied Ethics section), May 2020

Reviewer for *APA Newsletter of Feminism and Philosophy*, 2019

Reviewer for Special Issue of *IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics* (Ed. Lauren Freeman), 2017

II. Departmental Service

Judge for Colorado High School Ethics Bowl, 2021

Western Minorities and Philosophy (MAP) Representative, 2018-2021

Western Philosophy Department Climate Committee, 2020-2021

Western Philosophy Graduate Student Association Co-President, 2019-2020

Conference Organization for Western Undergraduate Philosophy Conference, 2019

Western Philosophy Department Space Committee, 2018

Referee for CU Boulder Rocky Mountain Philosophy Conference, 2017

Judge for Colorado High School Ethics Bowl hosted by CU Boulder, 2017

CU Boulder Climate Committee, Graduate Student Member, 2017

CU Boulder Center for Values and Social Policy Advisory Committee, 2017

Referees:

Dr. Carolyn McLeod, cmcleod2@uwo.ca; University of Western Ontario; Professor and Chair of Philosophy and Professor of Women's Studies and Feminist Research.

Dr. Lauren Freeman, lauren.freeman@louisville.edu; University of Louisville; Associate Professor of Philosophy, Core Faculty of MA in Bioethics.

Dr. Ian James Kidd, ian.kidd@nottingham.ac.uk; University of Nottingham, Assistant Professor of Philosophy.

Dr. Robert Stainton, rstainto@uwo.ca; Western University; Distinguished Professor of Philosophy.