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**EDUCATION**

Certificate, Four-year course of Study in the Theory of Psychoanalysis, the Emory University Psychoanalytic Institute, School of Medicine, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia, 2018

Ph.D., Philosophy, the University of Texas at Austin, 1998

M.A., Philosophy, the University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1990

M.A., Public Policy, Duke University, 1987

B.A. with honors, History, the University of Texas at Austin, 1986

**Areas of Specialization**

Democratic Theory, Critical Theory, Psychoanalysis, Feminist Philosophy, Continental Philosophy

**Areas of Competence**

American Pragmatism, Ethics, Nineteenth Century Philosophy

**APPOINTMENTS**

**Current Faculty Appointments**

Primary Faculty Appointment:

Professor. Department of Philosophy, Emory College of Arts and Sciences, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, 2013-

### Secondary Faculty Appointments:

Professor, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, School of Medicine, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, 2019-

Affiliated Faculty, Emory University Psychoanalytic Institute, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, 2019-

Core Faculty, Psychoanalytic Studies Program, Laney Graduate School, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, 2014-

Associated Faculty, Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, Emory College of Arts and Sciences, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, 2010-

### Current Administrative Appointment:

Chair, Department of Philosophy, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, 2022-2025

Director, Psychoanalytic Studies Program, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, 2017-2023.

### Previous Faculty Appointments

Associate Professor of Philosophy, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, 2010-2013

Associate Research Professor, Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution, George Mason University, Arlington, VA, 2008-2010

Visiting Associate Professor of Philosophy, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA, 2006-2008

Associate Professor of Philosophy, The University of Massachusetts Lowell, Lowell, Massachusetts, 2003-2007

Research Professor, School of Communication, American University, Washington, D.C., 2006

Scholar in Residence, School of Communication, American University, Washington, D.C., 2005

Allen-Berenson Visiting Associate Professor of Philosophy and Women's Studies, Brandeis University, Waltham, Massachusetts, Spring 2004

Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, The University of Massachusetts Lowell, Lowell, Massachusetts, 1999-2003

Lecturer in Political Theory, Department of Government, The University of Texas at Austin, 1998-1999

## **Previous Administrative Appointments**

Director of Undergraduate Studies, Department of Philosophy, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, 2014-2016

Deputy Director, Center for Social Media, School of Communication, American University, Washington, D.C., 2005-2006. Developed the Future of Public Media project funded by the Ford Foundation with the aim of exploring public media in a digital era. Conducted and published research on new directions in public media and convened leaders throughout the field to think through problems, challenges, and opportunities facing the field.

Director, Honors Program, The University of Massachusetts Lowell, Lowell, Massachusetts, 2004-2005. Oversaw a university-wide honors program that drew on resources throughout the university to prepare an exceptionally talented group of undergraduate students for graduate school and promising careers.

Director, Gender Studies, The University of Massachusetts Lowell, Lowell, Massachusetts, 2002-2004. Created a strong steering committee of interdisciplinary faculty in the college of arts and humanities to lead a renewed gender studies program. Helped create a faculty fellowship program and a new undergraduate curriculum. Coordinated the university's involvement in the annual women's week in the city of Lowell.

Assistant Director, The National Issues Convention, a deliberative public opinion poll conducted by the University of Texas at Austin and directed by political philosopher James Fishkin and broadcast by PBS, 1995-1996. Coordinated a complex project involving presidential candidates, the University infrastructure and staff, logistics, press relations, major opinion research organizations, and foundations, all the while tending to making the event a sound research opportunity for democratic theorists.

## **FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, HONORS, AND AWARDS**

The Robert A. Paul, PhD Scholarship Award, recognizing faculty members whose scholarly contributions and disciplinary publications have made an enduring impact on psychoanalysis, Emory University Psychoanalytic Institute, awarded August 31, 2022,.

Winner of the 2020 Courage to Dream Book Prize for *Fear of Breakdown: Politics and Psychoanalysis* (Columbia University Press, 2019), awarded by the American Psychoanalytic Association for the book that best promotes the integration of the academic and clinical worlds of psychoanalysis, New York, NY, February 13, 2020.

Emory Conference Center Subvention Fund for the 2019 meeting of the Julia Kristeva Circle, awarded Fall 2018, \$21,500.

Program to Enhance Research and Scholarship (PERS) award for research travel for “Psychoanalytic Roots of Nationalism,” awarded Fall 2018, \$5,000.

Senior Fellow, Fox Center for Humanistic Inquiry, Emory University, 2016-2017.

Research Travel Award for “Deliberation and the Work of Mourning,” 2016 Prague Colloquium on Philosophy and the Social Sciences, awarded by the Emory College of Arts and Sciences, 2016, \$1,000.

Laughlin Fellow, American College of Psychoanalysts, 2016.

Phi Beta Kappa Mentor, 2021 (Dayra Leal Sanchez), 2016 (Lamija Grbic), 2014 (Monica Yang).

Emory Conference Center Subvention Fund for the 2013 meeting of the Public Philosophy Network: \$25,000.

Member of Workshop on Youth, New Media, and Citizenship, funded by the MacArthur Foundation, School of Social Sciences, Institute for Advanced Study, 2011-2013.

Principal Investigator, Deliberative Democracy Research, Research Contract between Charles F. Kettering Foundation and George Mason University, 2006- 2010. Project included spearheading foundation’s research on media and democracy; participation in the foundation’s international working group and its US-China Dialogue on civil society; coordinating Fanning Fellows program (for international journalists); and editing the *Kettering Review*.

Joseph P. Healey Endowment Research Grant from the University of Massachusetts Lowell to trauma helps transform political communities, 2002, \$1,500.

Philosophy Department Teaching Award, University of Massachusetts Lowell, 2001.

Research Fellow, Center for Deliberative Polling, Department of Government, University of Texas at Austin, 1997-1998.

Graduate Fellow, Duke University, Institute of Policy Sciences and Public Affairs, Durham, North Carolina, 1985-1987.

## PUBLICATIONS

### Books (Authored)

5. *Feminism: A Quick Immersion*, Tibidabo Publishing, March 2021.

5a. *Feminismo: Una Inmersión Rápida* (Spanish translation) with Tibidabo Publishing, November 2021.

4. *Fear of Breakdown: Politics and Psychoanalysis*, Columbia University Press, May 2019.
3. *Democracy and the Political Unconscious*, Columbia University Press, March 2008.
2. *Julia Kristeva*, Routledge, 2003.
  - 2a. Persian translation with Nashr-e-Markaz, 2006.
  - 2b. Korean translation with Reading Books, 2007.
1. *Habermas, Kristeva, and Citizenship*, Cornell University Press, 2000.

### **Edited Books and Journal Issues**

3. *Democratizing Deliberation: A Political Theory Anthology*, with Derek Barker and David McIvor, Kettering Foundation Press, April 2012.
2. *Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy*, Volume 22, Number 4, Special Issue on Feminist Engagements in Democratic Theory, with R. Claire Snyder, Fall 2007.
1. *Standing With the Public: The Humanities and Democratic Practice*, edited with James Veninga, Kettering Foundation Press, 1997.

### **Refereed Journal Articles**

13. "Beyond 'Populism': The Psychodynamics of Antipolitical Popular Movements," *Populism* (4) September 2021, pp. 172-198.
12. "On Our Situated Standpoints," Symposium on Amy Allen's *The End of Progress*, *Contemporary Political Theory*, May 2017.
11. "Neoliberalism and Other Political Imaginaries," *Philosophy and Social Criticism*, Volume: 43 issue: 9, page(s): 911-931 Article first published online: June 29, 2017; Issue published: November 1, 2017.
10. "Trump and the Paranoid-Schizoid Politics of Ideality," *Contemporary French and Francophone Studies*, 21:5, 556-563, DOI: 10.1080/17409292.2017.1437705, March 2018.
9. "Humanity and the Refugee: Another Stab at Universal Human Rights," *Social Philosophy Today*, May 2017.
8. "Inner Experience and Worldly Revolt: Arendt's Bearings on Kristeva's Project," *Journal of French and Francophone Philosophy* 2014, Vol. 22(2): 26-35.
7. "Obama's Call for a More Perfect Union," *Contemporary Pragmatism*, December 2011, Vol. 8(2): 57-67.

6. "On Democracy's Epistemic Value" in *The Good Society*, Fall 2009, Vol. 18(2): 41-47.
5. "Democracy's Normativity" in *Journal of Speculative Philosophy*, 2008, Vol. 22(4): 257-265.
4. "Two Feminisms" in *Journal of Speculative Philosophy*, 2005, Vol. 19(2): 140-149.
  - 4a. Subject of the Fall 2007 Symposium on Gender, Race, and Philosophy edited by Robert Gooding-Williams, Sally Haslanger, Ishani Maitra, and Ronald Sundstrom.
3. "Three Models of Democratic Deliberation" in *Journal of Speculative Philosophy*, Special Issue on Pragmatism and Deliberative Democracy, 2004, Vol. 18(1): 44-59.
  - 3a. Chinese translation in *Theory of Deliberative Democracy: A Reader*, School of International Studies, Renmin University of China, 2005.
  - 3b. Reprinted in *Public Thought in Foreign Policy*, Kettering Foundation, 2005.
  - 3c. Reprinted in *Democratizing Deliberation*, Kettering Foundation Press, 2011.
2. "Public Knowledge" in *Philosophy and Social Criticism*, 2004, Vol. 30(2): 139-157.
1. "Resisting Essence: Julia Kristeva's Process Philosophy" in *Philosophy Today*, Vol. 26 of Selected Studies in Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Supplement 2000: 77-83.

### Refereed Book Chapters

13. "Public Philosophy and Deliberative Practices," *A Companion to Public Philosophy*, Blackwell, 2021.
12. "Our Paranoid Politics," *Feeling Democracy*, Rutgers University Press, forthcoming 2022.
11. "Kristeva's Latent Political Philosophy," *Library of Living Philosophers: Julia Kristeva*, Summer 2020.
10. "Refugees and the Right To Politics," *Refugees Now*, edited by Kelly Oliver, Lisa Madura, and Sabeen Ahmed, London: Rowman and Littlefield, 2019.
9. "Politics and the Fear of Breakdown," in *Transitional Subjects*, edited by Amy Allen and Brian O'Connor, New York: Columbia University Press, August 2019.

8. "Dewey and Public Philosophy," in the *Oxford Handbook on Dewey*, Cambridge: Oxford University Press, 2017.
7. "Home, Hospitality, and the Cosmopolitan Address," in *Cosmopolitanism and Place*, eds. John J. Stuhr, José M. Medina, and Jessica Wahman, Bloomington: Indiana University Press, August 2017.
6. "Feminist Engagements with Democratic Theory," in *Routledge Companion to Feminist Philosophy*, eds. Ann Garry and Serene Khader, New York: Routledge, May 2017.
5. "Freedom, Psychoanalysis, and the Radical Political Imaginary," in *Literature, Ethics, Morality: American Studies Perspective*, eds. Philipp Schweighauser and Ridvan Askin, the SPELL series, Gunter Narr Publishing House, 2015.
4. "Neoliberalism, the Street, and the Forum," in *Reclaiming Democracy*, eds. Albenaz Azmanova and Mihaela Mihai, New York: Routledge, 2015.
3. "Acting Politically in a Digital Age," in *From Voice to Influence: Understanding Citizenship in a Digital Age*, eds. Danielle S. Allen and Jennifer S. Light, University of Chicago Press, 2015.
2. "Bearing Witness in the Polis: Arendt, Kristeva, and the Space of Appearance" in *Revolt, Affectivity, Collectivity: The Unstable Boundaries of Kristeva's Polis*, Tina Chanter and Ewa Ziarek, eds., State University of New York Press, 2005.
1. "Abject Strangers: Towards an Ethics of Respect" in *Ethics, Politics, and Difference in Julia Kristeva's Writings*, Kelly Oliver, ed. New York, Routledge, 1993, pp. 116-134.

### Invited Articles

22. "Commentary on Claudia Leeb's 'Castration Anxiety, COVID-19, and the Extremist Right,'" *Global Discourse*, May 2021.
21. "The Public Sphere in Dark Times," *Los Angeles Review of Books*, August 11, 2019. URL = <https://lareviewofbooks.org/article/public-sphere-dark-times/>
20. "Reading Alfred Frankowski's *The Post-Racial Limits of Memorialization*," in *APA Newsletter on Philosophy and the Black Experience*, Fall 2018.
19. "Beyond the 'Informed' Citizenry: The Role of Public Judgment in a Deliberative Democracy," an interview with Noëlle McAfee, Derek Barker with David McIvor, *Higher Education Exchange*. 2017, pp. 29-38.
18. "Media and the Public Sphere" in *Kettering Review*, December 2014, pp. 47-54.

17. "The Affective Dimensions of Public Will" in *Kettering Review*, Winter 2013, pp. 47-53.
16. "Public Scholarship or How to Assist in the Autopoiesis of Political Communities" in the *Higher Education Exchange*, Spring 2009.
15. "Beyond Manipulation: Democracy and Media" in *Kettering Review*, Winter 2009, pp. 8-18.
14. "Feminism and the Political: A Reply to Allen, Bauer, Pratt, and Zerilli," Symposia on Gender, Race and Philosophy Vol. 3, No. 3, Fall 2007.
13. "The Makings of a Public and the Role of the Academy" in *Agent of Democracy*, Kettering Foundation Press, 2008.
12. "Democratic Theory" with R. Claire Snyder in *Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy*, Vol. 22, Number 4, Fall 2007, pp. vii-x.
11. "Background Paper: The Political Anthropology of Civil Practices," with Denis Gilbert, in *Collective Decision Making Around the World: Essays on Historical Deliberative Practices*, Ileana Marin, ed. Kettering Foundation Press, 2006.
10. "The Problem of Moral Disagreement and the Necessity of Democratic Politics" in *Connections*, Summer 2006.
9. "The Myth of Democracy and the Limits of Deliberation" in *Kettering Review*, Summer 2006.
8. "What makes pubcasting 'public' is engagement" with Pat Aufderheide in *Current*, September 19, 2005, pp. B1, B12, B16.
7. "...afterthoughts" in *Kettering Review*, Vol. 22, No.1, Spring 2004, pp. 65-68.
6. "Getting the Public's Intelligence" an interview by David Brown in *Higher Education Exchange*, 2004, pp. 44-54.
5. "Politics and the Public Sphere" in *Kettering Review*, Spring 1998, pp. 13-22.
4. "Ways of Knowing: The Humanities and the Public Sphere" in *Standing With the Public: The Humanities and Democratic Practice*, Kettering Foundation Press, 1997, pp. 29-50.
3. "A Deliberate Nation" in *Kettering Review*, Summer 1994, pp. 8-16.
2. "In a Public Voice" in *Kettering Review*, Summer 1994, pp. 56-66.
1. "Relationship and Power: An Interview with Ernesto Cortes, Jr." in *Kettering Review*, Summer 1993, pp. 26-36.

## Review Essays



5. "Interpreting the Fractal Nature of Social Experience," Special Issue: Critical Theory and Psychoanalysis: Discussions on Amy Allen's "Critique on the Couch. Why Critical Theory Needs Psychoanalysis" *Berlin Journal of Critical Theory*, Vol. 6(2), (May, 2022), 5-12.
4. "Feminine Law," *Psychoanalysis, Culture & Society* (2020).  
<https://doi.org/10.1057/s41282-020-00185-2>.
3. "Remembering as Reparation: Psychoanalysis and Historical Memory," *American Imago*, Fall 2019, 422-435.
2. "The Ends of Arendtian Politics" in *Hypatia*, Vol. 19(4) Fall 2004.
1. "A philosopher in process: Julia Kristeva and the speaking subject" in *Semiotica: Journal of the International Association for Semiotic Studies. Revue de l'Association Internationale de Sémiotique*, 132-1/2 (2000): 157-169.

### Encyclopedia and Lexicon Entries

6. "Raymond Williams" for the *Cambridge Habermas Lexicon*, May 2019.
5. "Psychoanalysis" for the *Cambridge Habermas Lexicon*, May 2019.
4. "Julia Kristeva," in the *Routledge Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, Fall 2018.
3. "Feminist Philosophy: Introduction to the Feminist Philosophy Section" in *The Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy*," June 2018.
2. "Feminist Political Philosophy" in *The Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, first published March 2009, major revision published April 1, 2014, second revision, fall 2018.
1. "Postmodernism" in *American Philosophy: An Encyclopedia*, eds. John Lachs and Robert Talisse. New York: Routledge, 2007.

### Book Reviews

12. *Democracy Without Shortcuts: A Participatory Conception of Deliberative Democracy* by Cristina Lafont. *Contemporary Political Theory*, September 2021.
11. *The Post-Racial Limits of Memorialization: Toward a Political Sense of Mourning* by Alfred Frankowski. *Journal of Aesthetics and Art Criticism* 77:1 February 2019.
10. *Dreaming in Dark Times: Six Exercises in Political Thought* by Sharon Sliwinski. *Contemporary Political Theory*, (2018).  
<https://doi.org/10.1057/s41296-018-0193-8>

9. *The Multivoiced Body: Society and Communication in the Age of Diversity* by Fred Evans. *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*. Summer 2011.  
<http://ndpr.nd.edu/news/24756-the-multivoiced-body-society-and-communication-in-the-age-of-diversity/>
8. *Multicultural Odysseys: Navigating the New International Politics of Diversity* by Will Kymlicka and *Secularism, Religion and Multicultural Citizenship* edited by Geoffrey Brahm Levey and Tariq Modood, *Perspectives on Politics*, 9(2) June 2011.
7. *Political Solidarity* by Sally J. Scholz; *Scales of Justice: Reimagining Political Space in a Globalizing World* by Nancy Fraser; and *Universal Human Rights in a World of Difference* by Brooke A. Ackerly, *Signs: Journal of Women in Culture and Society*, Fall 2010.
6. *Regulating Aversion: Tolerance in the Age of Identity and Empire* by Wendy Brown, *Constellations*, Volume 15 No. 3.
5. *The Continental Feminism Reader* edited by Ann J. Cahill and Jennifer Hansen, *Teaching Philosophy*, 27:4, December 2004, pp. 377-380.
4. *Love's Labor: Essays on Women, Equality, and Dependency* by Eva Feder Kittay, *Metaphilosophy*, Vol. 32, No.3, April 2001, pp. 344-350.
3. *Ecstatic Subjects, Utopia, and Recognition: Kristeva, Heidegger, Irigaray* by Patricia Huntington, *Hypatia*, Volume 16 No. 2 Spring 2001, pp. 100-102.
2. *The Orders of Discourse: Philosophy, Social Science, and Politics* by John G. Gunnell (Book Note), *Ethics: an international journal of social, political and legal philosophy*, Volume 110 No. 4 July 2000, p. 882.
1. *Julia Kristeva Interviews* edited by Ross Guberman, *South Central Review*, Winter 1998/99, pp. 89-91.

#### **Reports, Handbooks, Newspaper and Magazine Articles**

10. *A Nation of Debtors: How Can We Pay the Bills?* a briefing book on the national debt for the National Issues Forums, the Kettering Foundation, with Tony Wharton, September 2011.
9. *Insights for the Future of Public Media: A Report from the 2005 Global Voices Summit*, Center for Social Media, Washington, DC, 2006.
8. *Local Public Media Engagements*, Center for Social Media, Washington, DC, 2006.
7. "What's Public About Public Media?" with Pat Aufderheide, Center for Social Media, Washington, DC, 2005.
6. *Making Choices Together: The Power of Public Deliberation*, with David Mathews, Kettering Foundation, Dayton, Ohio, 1997.

5. *Hard Choices: An Introduction to the National Issues Forums for Adult Basic Education*, with Robert McKenzie, David Mathews, and Elizabeth Peterson, Kettering Foundation, Dayton, Ohio, 1991.
4. *Community Politics*, with David Mathews, Kettering Foundation, Dayton, *Alternatives to Community and Educational Development*, with David Mathews, Kettering Foundation, Dayton, Ohio, 1990.
3. “Movements, Media and the Public Sphere” in *Public Media Monitor*, Spring 1993.
2. “Deconstructo-Speak: Jacques Derrida Duels the Worldly Philosophers” in *City Paper*, Washington, D.C., Jan. 6-12, 1989.
1. “Bridging the Isthmus” in *South*, London, England, March 1989.

### Public Intellectual Works

9. Colorado State University, Department of Political Science, Democracy Initiative, webinar, “Dr. Noëlle McAfee (Emory) - Fear of Breakdown: Psychoanalysis and Politics.” April 28, 2022.  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xrk0Z0bMQqo&t=232s&ab\\_channel=CSUPoliticalScience](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xrk0Z0bMQqo&t=232s&ab_channel=CSUPoliticalScience)
8. Damn the Absolute podcast. “Fear of Breakdown in American Democracy w/ Noëlle McAfee.” Season 2, Episode 2, March 9, 2022.  
<https://erraticus.co/2022/03/09/fear-of-break-american-democracy-noelle-mcafee/>
7. New Books In Psychoanalysis live stream Q & A, July 3, 2020.  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PbPc5dN8\\_0E](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PbPc5dN8_0E)
6. New Books In Psychoanalysis, Interviewed for the podcast by Tracy Morgan, June 2020. <https://newbooksnetwork.com/noelle-mcafee-fear-of-breakdown-psychoanalysis-and-politics-columbia-up-2019>
5. Diet Soap Podcast: Diet Soap Podcast #201: Rick Roderick and the Political Unconscious, [http://dietsoap.podomatic.com/entry/2014-01-09T00\\_20\\_55-08\\_00](http://dietsoap.podomatic.com/entry/2014-01-09T00_20_55-08_00)
4. New Media and Civic Life: Interview with Noëlle McAfee, Brad Rourke’s Blog. <http://blog.bradrourke.com/2009/11/17/new-media-and-civic-life-interview-with-noelle-mcafee/>
3. Digital Dialog podcast on the Public Sphere with Christopher Long, August 2009,  
<http://www.personal.psu.edu/cpl2/blogs/digitaldialogue/2009/08/digital-dialogue-08-public-sphere.html>
2. Gonepublic: Philosophy, Politics, and Public Life, blog founded January 2007, <https://gonepublic.net/>

1. KLRU Public Television Interview with Richard Rorty, Austin at Issue, 1997  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Azeqs20Watw>

### EDITORIAL WORK

Editor, *Kettering Review*, a journal of political thought published by the Kettering Foundation, 2014- present (Associate Editor, 1991-2014)  
Editorial Board Member, *Public Philosophy Journal*, 2014-  
Board of Officers Member, Feminist Section, *Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, 2012-  
Advisory Board Member for Feminist Issues, *Pluralist's Guide to Philosophy*, 2010-2012  
Series Advisory Board Member, Indiana University Press *American Philosophy Series*, 2003-2018

### PEER-REVIEW ACTIVITIES

#### Organizations

External Review Committee, Department of Philosophy, The University of Oregon, May 2022.  
American Academy in Berlin, January 2022.  
External Review Committee, Department of Philosophy, The University of Colorado, Colorado Springs, March 2019  
Referee, American Council of Learned Societies, Central Fellowship Program, Fall 2017 and Fall 2018.  
Referee, Society for Existential and Phenomenological Theory and Culture / *Théorie et culture existentialistes et phénoménologiques* (EPTC/TCEP), Spring 2019

#### Article Referee for the journals:

*American Political Science Review*  
*Constellations*  
*Global Discourse*  
*Hypatia: the journal of feminist philosophy*  
*International Studies in Philosophy*  
*Journal of Civil Society*  
*Journal of Social Philosophy*  
*Journal of Speculative Philosophy*

*Philosophia*  
*Political Theory*  
*Society and Space*  
*Theory and Event*  
*Transactions of the C.S. Peirce Society*

**Book Manuscript Referee for the publishing houses:**

Blackwell  
Bloomsbury  
Columbia University Press  
Edinburgh University Press  
Indiana University Press  
Lexington Books  
MIT Press  
Routledge  
Rowman & Littlefield  
University of Minnesota Press

**PROFESSIONAL PARTICIPATION**

**(not including conferences organized)**

**American Association of University Professors**

President, Emory Chapter of the American Association of University Professors,  
June 2014-2019

At-Large Member, Executive Committee, Emory Chapter of the American  
Association of University Professors, 2012-2014, 2019-  
Member, 2011-

**American Philosophical Association**

Executive Committee Representative, Eastern Division APA, 2015-2018  
Eastern Division Representative, Committee on Public Sessions, 2014-  
Member, Committee on the Status and Future of the Profession, July 1, 2012,  
to June 30, 2015

Member, Committee on Public Philosophy, July 1, 2005, to June 30, 2008  
Member, 1994-

**American Philosophies Forum**

Advisory Board Member, 2007-2013

**American Psychoanalytic Association**

Academic Associate, 2020-  
Academic Candidate, 2015-2019

Member, Task Force on University-Institute Relations, 2017-

**Feminist Ethics and Social Theory (FEAST)**

Founding member

Diversity Committee Member, 1999-2001

**Kristeva Circle**

Founding member, 2013

***philo*SOPHIA**

Executive Committee, 2013-2015

Founding Member

**Public Philosophy Network**

Nominating Committee Member, 2019-

Board Member, 2018-2021

Co-Director, November 2010-2016

Member, Advisory Committee, 2010

**Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy**

Book Exhibit Coordinator, 2015

Member and Co-Facilitator, Ad Hoc Committee on SPEG Governance, 2011-2012

Panel Moderator 2001, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2011, 2022

Chair (beginning 2006) and Member, Advocacy Committee, 2005-2008

Book Selection Committee Member, 2002-2005

Respondent, 2002, 2008

Member, 1994-

**Society of Women in Philosophy, Eastern Division**

Member (and chair during the first year), Committee to select the Distinguished Woman Philosopher of the Year, 2004-2006

Program Committee Member, 2002

**Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy**

Member, intermittently since 1999

**CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS ORGANIZED**

19. Co-Chair, Black Psychoanalysts Speak, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, May 2022.

18. Chair, Workshop on Public Philosophy as Civic Practice, Public Philosophy Network, Michigan State University, October 18, 2019.

17. Chair, The Julia Kristeva Circle, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, October 3-5, 2019.

16. Co-Organizer, Thinking Through Crisis: Society, Psyche, and Politics, Rethymnon, Crete, Greece, June 12-14, 2019.
15. Chair, Workshop on Public Philosophy as Civic Practice, Public Philosophy Network, Boulder, CO, February 9, 2018.
14. Chair, Advancing Public Philosophy, Third Biennial Conference of the Public Philosophy Network, University of San Francisco, San Francisco, CA, June 11-13, 2015.
13. Co-chair, 2015 meeting of philoSOPHIA, Emory University, May 14-16, 2015.
12. Steering Committee Member, Imagining America Annual Conference, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, September 2014.
11. Chair, Advancing Public Philosophy, Second Conference of the Public Philosophy Network, Emory Conference Center, Atlanta, GA, March 14-16, 2013
10. Co-Chair, Advancing Publicly Engaged Philosophy, the Public Philosophy Network, Washington, DC, Oct. 6-8. 2011
9. Convener and Co-Moderator, Deliberative Theory Workshop, Kettering Foundation, Dayton, Ohio, November 16, 2010
8. Convener and Chair, Workshop on Media and Democracy, Kettering Foundation, Dayton, Ohio, November 10-11, 2008
7. Organizer and Co-Chair, Beyond the Academy: Engaging Public Life, Arlington, VA, June 10-11, 2008
6. Convener and Chair, Workshop on Media and Democracy, Kettering Foundation, Dayton, Ohio, October 23-24, 2007
5. Convener and Chair, Convening on Public Accountability in Public Media, Center for Social Media, American University, Washington, DC, February 16-17, 2006
4. Convener and Chair, Convening on Digital Media and the Public Sphere, Center for Social Media, American University and the Kettering Foundation, Washington, DC, January 12-13, 2006
3. Convener, Conference in honor of Louis Mackey, the University of Texas at Austin, September 2005
2. Convener and Chair, Workshop on Public Media, Kettering Foundation, Dayton, Ohio, October 25-26, 2005
1. Assistant Director, National Issues Convention, Austin, Texas, January 1996

## PRESENTATIONS

### Keynote Addresses

7. "The Trouble with Populism (Hint: It's Not the People)," International Society of Political Psychology, Annual Meeting, Athens, Greece, July 2021.
6. "Cherchez La Thing: The Melancholic Demands of Extremism," Conference on Politics and Emotions, Institute for Research on Women, Rutgers University, April 17, 2020.
5. "Cherchez La Thing: The Melancholic Demands of Extremism," Disenchanted (with) Democracy conference, Ohio State University, March 30-31, 2020. (EVENT CANCELLED due to Covid.)
4. "Humanity and the Refugee: Another Stab at Universal Human Rights," North American Society for Social Philosophy, Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada, July 21-23, 2016.
3. "Beyond the Freedom to Channel Surf: Freedom and Feminism in a Neoliberal Era," Swiss Association for North American Studies, University of Basel, Switzerland, November 21-22, 2014.
2. "The Interiorization of Mortality: the Unconscious and Kristeva's Death Drive," Kristeva Circle, Inaugural Meeting, Siena College, Loudonville, New York, October 12-13, 2012.
1. "Home, Hospitality, and the Cosmopolitan Address," Allegheny College Conference on Global Citizenship, March 11-12, 2011, Meadville, PA.

### Invited Presentations

80. "Conspiracies on the Couch: Psychoanalyzing the Narrative Structure of Right-Wing Populism," Department of Philosophy, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY, October 7, 2022.
79. The Metaphysics of Sex: How French Feminism Deconstructs the Fraternal Order, the University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, November 30, 2021.
78. Fear of Breakdown, Book Session, Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Rochester, NY, October 2021.
77. "A Participatory Political Imaginary," Author Meets Critic Session on Cristina Lafont's *Democracy Without Shortcuts*, Central Division Meeting of



- the American Philosophical Association, New Orleans by Zoom, February 2021.
76. Roundtable Panelist, Julia Kristeva: The Life—Biography, Autobiography, Fiction, Thinking With Julia Kristeva, A Webinar Hosted By La Maison Française, New York University (by Zoom), March 17, 2021.
  75. “A Participatory Political Imaginary,” Author Meets Critic Session on Cristina Lafont’s *Democracy Without Shortcuts*, American Psychoanalytic Association, Central Division Meeting, February 25, 2021.
  74. Fear of Breakdown, Book Session, American Psychoanalytic Association, New York, NY, February 2020.
  73. Fear of Breakdown, Book Session, American Philosophical Association Eastern Division Meeting, January 2020.
  72. “How Group Identities Become Pathological,” Populism and Affect Conference, University of Kentucky, November 8-9, 2019.
  71. “On Shannon Sullivan’s *The Physiology of Sexist and Racist Oppression*,” Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Pittsburgh, PA, October 31-November 2, 2019.
  70. “On Joel Whitebook’s *Freud*,” The New School for Social Research, October 31, 2019.
  69. “Political Talking Cures for Fear of Breakdown,” Emory University Women’s Club, The Houston Mill House, October 22, 2019.
  68. “Psychoanalyzing The Favourite,” Movie Mania, Emory University Psychoanalytic Institute, September 7, 2019.
  67. “Ghosts and their Avatars: What Haunts the Public Sphere in Dark Times?” Thinking Through Crisis: Society, Psyche, and Politics, Rethymnon, Crete, Greece, June 12-14, 2019.
  65. “Freud’s Conflicted Position: A Response to Amy Allen’s ‘Psychoanalysis and the Critique of Progress’,” at the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy session at the 2019 eastern division meeting of the American Philosophical Association, New York, NY, January 8, 2019.
  64. “Breakdown’s Temporality,” Symposium for Women in Philosophy, Athens, Greece, June 7-8, 2018.
  63. “Freud’s Foucault,” commentary on Amy Allen’s “Foucault and the Problem of Psychoanalysis,” at the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy session at the 2018 eastern division meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Savannah, GA, January 3-6, 2018. (canceled due to weather)
  62. “Politics and the Fear of Breakdown,” Atlanta Psychoanalytic Society, Atlanta, GA, April 14, 2018.

61. Author Meets Critics Session on Al Frankowski's *The Post-Racial Limits of Memorialization*, American Society for Aesthetics, New Orleans, LA, Nov. 16-18, 2017.
60. "Higher Education in the Age of Trump," German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD), German Studies Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, October 5, 2017.
59. "On Amy Allen's *The End of Progress*," Prague Colloquium on Philosophy and Social Sciences, May 2017.
58. "Politics and the Fear of Breakdown," Psychoanalytic Studies Program, Emory University, April 27, 2017.
57. Commentator on John McCumber's "McCarthyism and the Origins of 'Continental' Philosophy," Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Salt Lake City, October 20-22, 2016.
56. "Humanity and the Refugee: Another Stab at Universal Human Rights," University of Crete, Rethymnon, Greece, October 11, 2016.
55. "Deliberation and the Work of Mourning," Psychoanalytic Studies Program, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia, March 23, 2016.
54. "Sex Crimes and the Public Square: Violence as a Means of Political Silencing," 2015 Erikson Institute Fall Conference, Austen Riggs Center, Stockbridge, Massachusetts, October 17, 2015.
53. "Roundtable Discussion: Feminist Perspectives on the Subject of Universal Human Rights," with Mary Rawlinson, Cynthia Willett, and Namita Goswami, Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Atlanta, GA, October 9, 2015.
52. "Beyond the Freedom to Channel Surf: Freedom and Feminism (and other liberatory practices) in a Neoliberal Era," Philosophy and Society Lecture Series, November 10, 2014. Clayton State University.
51. "On Elaine Miller's *Head Cases: Julia Kristeva on Philosophy and Art in Depressed Times*," Book Session, Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, New Orleans, Louisiana, October 25, 2014.
50. "Acting Politically in a Digital Age," Colby College, April 4, 2014.
49. "Neoliberalism, the Street, and the Forum," guest speaker for monthly research meeting, Kettering Foundation, Dayton, Ohio, March 12, 2014.
48. "Neoliberalism, the Street, and the Forum," Spelman College, February 26, 2014.
47. Critic, Author Meets Critics' session on Enrique Dussel's (newly translated) book, *Ethics of Liberation* (Duke University Press, 2012), American Philosophic Association Eastern Division Meeting, Baltimore, MD, Dec. 28, 2013.

46. "The Affective Dimensions of Public Will-formation," Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA, Nov. 8, 2013.
45. Critic, Author Meets Critics: Colin Koopman's *Pragmatism as Transition and Genealogy as Critique*. Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy panel at the Pacific Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, San Francisco, CA, March 30, 2013.
44. "The Interiorization of Mortality: the Unconscious and Kristeva's Death Drive," joint session of the Society for the Philosophy of Creativity and the Kristeva Circle, American Philosophical Association's eastern division meeting, December 2012.
43. "The Cosmopolitan Address," University of Colorado Denver, March 12, 2012.
42. "Political Imaginaries: Dominant, Residual, and Emergent," Philosophy Colloquium, Department of Philosophy, Emory University, September 15, 2011.
41. "The Performative Ethics of the Multivoiced Body," Book Session on Fred Evans' *The Multivoiced Body: society and communication in the age of diversity*, 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Montreal, Canada, November 4-7, 2010.
40. Panelist for "Practicing Public Philosophy: Reflection and Dialogue, Parts I and II," Committee on Public Philosophy's session at the American Philosophy Association, Pacific Division, 2010.
39. Presenter at Author Meets Critic Session on Judith Green's *Philosophy and Social Hope*, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Group meeting with the American Philosophy Association, Pacific Division, 2010.
38. "Deliberation, Choice, and the Work of Mourning," Society for Philosophy and Public Affairs, Group meeting with the American Philosophical Association, Central Division, Chicago, IL, 2010.
37. "Obama's Pragmatism," Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, 2010.
36. Presenter at Author Meets Critic Session on Larry Hickman's *Pragmatism as Post-Postmodernism*, Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, 2010.
35. "Mobilizing versus Organizing in a Web 2.0 World: On Using the Internet to Create More Participatory Politics," Society for Philosophy and Public Affairs, Group meeting with the American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, New York, NY, December 29, 2009.
34. "Democracy and the Political Unconscious" (Book Session), 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Arlington, VA, October 29-31, 2009.

33. Roundtable Discussion on Habermas and Pragmatism, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Group meeting with the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Arlington, VA, October 29, 2009.
32. Public Lecture on Terror, Trauma, and Democracy and Seminar on the Political Work of Deliberation for the Working Group in Cultural Difference and Democracy, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, February 5-6, 2009.
31. "Terror, Trauma, and Democracy," Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution, George Mason University, Arlington, VA, October 28, 2008.
30. "The Political Work of Deliberation," Group Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, October 16, 2008.
29. "William James and the Project of Cultivating Sensitivity," Annual Meeting of the Central Division of the American Philosophical Association, Chicago, IL, April 17, 2008.
28. "The Limits of Liberalism: A Reading of Talisse's 'Farewell to Deweyan Democracy'," Annual Meeting of the Eastern Division of the American Philosophical Association, Baltimore, MD, December 29, 2007.
27. "The Political Unconscious, Sublimation, and the Public Sphere," Pennsylvania State University Philosophy Department Colloquium, State College, Penn., October 26, 2007.
26. "The Role of the Media in U.S. Civil Society," presentation to the U.S-China Sustained Dialogue Meeting, sponsored by the Kettering Foundation with the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Washington, DC, September 24-2, 2007.
25. "Notes from a Public Philosopher," Public Scholarship and Civic Engagement Across the Disciplines, Sponsored Session: APA Committee on Public Philosophy, Central Division of the American Philosophical Association, Chicago, April 18-21, 2007.
24. "The Repetition Compulsion or the Endless War on Terror," the Institute for Philosophy and Public Policy, School of Public Policy, the University of Maryland, College Park, March 8, 2007.
23. "Detaining Terrorists, Normalizing Torture, and the 'Calamity of the Rightless'," Conference On Truth, Lies, Politics, and Media—in Dialogue with Hannah Arendt, Goethe Institute, Washington, DC, November 29, 2006.
22. "Targeting the Public Sphere: Speech, Brutality, and the Civic / Psychoanalytic Dimensions of a Sociosymbolic World," Philosophy Department Colloquium, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA, November 16, 2006.

21. "Civil Society and Emerging Democratic Practices," U.S. -China Sustained Dialogue meeting with members of the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Washington, DC, November 14, 2006.
20. "Freedom and Deliberative Politics: Zerilli's *Feminism and the Abyss of Freedom*," 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Philadelphia, PA, October 12, 2006.
19. "Two Feminisms," Middle Tennessee State University, April 7, 2006.
18. "Ingram and Democracy, Reading David Ingram's *Rights, Democracy, and Fulfillment in the Era of Identity Politics*," 44th Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy Salt Lake City, Utah, October 20-22, 2005.
17. "Sublimation and the Semiotic Public Sphere," Seminar in the Human Sciences, George Washington University, Washington, D.C., September 16, 2005.
16. "Two Feminisms," the New York Pragmatism Forum, Fordham University, New York City, April 1, 2005.
15. "Terror and Talk: The Public Sphere as a Discursive Space," Colloquium of the Graduate Program in Painting, Boston University, October 19, 2004.
14. "Pluralism and Deliberation," Faculty Development Seminar on Absolutism, Relativism, and Pluralism: Contested International Values and Moral Reasoning, Carnegie Council for Ethics and International Affairs, Vanderbilt University, June 5-10, 2004.
13. "Three Models of Democratic Deliberation," Workshop on Deliberative Democracy: Principles and Cases, Institute for Philosophy and Public Policy, University of Maryland, May 13-14, 2003.
12. "What's Feminist about Democratic Theory?" Brandeis University, Department of Philosophy with the Program in Women's Studies, Waltham, Massachusetts, October 16, 2003.
11. "Educating for Public Knowledge," Perspective & Vision Consortium, Graduate School of Education, University of Massachusetts Lowell, November 20, 2002.
10. "Diversity in Religions: Blessing or Bane?" Respondent to a paper presented by Swami Tyagananda, Associate Minister of the Vedanta Society in Boston, University of Massachusetts Lowell, May 8, 2002.
9. "Dewey and the Public Sphere: Educating for Deliberative Democracy," Perspective & Vision Consortium, Graduate School of Education, University of Massachusetts Lowell, March 6, 2002.
8. "Bearing Witness in the Polis: Arendt, Kristeva, and the Space of Appearance," Women, Gender, and Philosophy Colloquium, convened by

the Massachusetts Institute of Technology Department of Philosophy and Linguistics, November 8, 2001.

7. "Documenting Difference," with Susan Gallagher, Seventh Diversity Symposium, Diversity as a Catalyst for Educational Change, University of Massachusetts Lowell, October 2, 2001.
6. "Kristeva's Subject in Process," Colloquium of the Philosophy Department, Stony Brook University, November 17, 1999.
5. "Deliberative Inclinations: Feminist Contributions to Democratic Theory," Philosophy Department, University of Florida, Gainesville, January 1999.
4. "Beyond Hegemony: Towards a New Feminist Political Imaginary," Philosophy Department, West Virginia University, February 9, 1998.
3. "Theorizing Feminist Politics," Philosophy Department, Loyola University, Chicago, February 2, 1998.
2. "Another False Exit: Habermas and the Wake of Metaphysics," Philosophy Department, DePaul University, Chicago, January 29, 1997.
1. "The Citizen and the City: Greek and Modern Conceptions of Subjectivity and Politics," Graduate Colloquia, University of Texas, October 1995.

### **Refereed Conference Papers**

36. "Fear of Breakdown," 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, State College, PA. October 18-20, 2018.
35. "Working Through Popular Sovereignty," Colloquium on Philosophy and the Social Sciences, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Prague, Czech Republic, May 2021. (Held online due to Covid.)
34. "Between Rights and State Sovereignty: Refugees and the Right to Politics," Colloquium on Philosophy and the Social Sciences, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Prague, Czech Republic, May 2018.
33. "Trump and the Paranoid-Schizoid Politics of Ideality," 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Memphis, TN, October 19-21, 2017.
32. "Politics and the Fear of Breakdown," Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Colloquium on Philosophy and the Social Sciences, Prague, Czech Republic, May 2017.
31. "Fusion and the Fear of Breakdown," Annual Meeting of philoSOPHIA, Boca Raton, Florida, April 1, 2017.

30. "‘Let’s Make America Great Again’: Trump’s Adolescent Syndrome of Ideality and his many Paranoid-Schizoid Positions," Kristeva Circle, Södertörn University, Stockholm, Sweden, October 13-15, 2016
29. "Deliberation and the Work of Mourning," Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Colloquium on Philosophy and the Social Sciences, Prague, Czech Republic, May 18-22, 2016.
28. "Freedom, Psychoanalysis, and the Radical Political Imaginary," American Comparative Literature Association, Seattle, Washington, March 27-29, 2015.
27. "Kristeva’s Feminism: Between Singularity and Reliance," Kristeva Circle, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN, March 28-30, 2014.
26. "Between the Couch and the Polis: Becoming a Who in Arendt and Kristeva," *philoSOPHIA* 2013, Alberta, Canada, May 2-5, 2013.
25. "To Be Free With a Vengeance: Thinking, Judgment, and Politics without Banisters," American Philosophies Forum, Emory University, April 3-6, 2013.
24. "Political Imaginaries: Dominant, Residual, and Emergent," 51<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Rochester, NY, November 2, 2012.
23. "Political Imaginaries and Social Change," meeting of the American Philosophies Forum, Penn State University, April 2012.
22. "Home, Hospitality, and the Cosmopolitan Address," meeting of the American Philosophies Forum, Madrid, Spain, June 2-4, 2011.
21. "Politics in the Performative: A New Direction in Feminist Political Philosophy," Annual Meeting of *philoSOPHIA*, John Jay/Fordham, New York, NY, May 27-29, 2009.
20. "Beyond Manipulation: Democracy and Media," American Philosophies Forum, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, April 3, 2009.
19. "Neither Agonism nor Liberalism: Pragmatism, Democracy, and Ressentiment," Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Organized session on Philosophy and *Ressentiment* with John Stuhr and Vincent Colapietro, Columbia, South Carolina, March 9, 2007.
18. "The Public Square as Discursive Space," Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, San Antonio, Texas, March 9, 2006.
17. "Thinking Pragmatically about Feminism and Politics," Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Bakersfield, California, Spring 2005.

16. "Becoming Subject: Kant and Levinas on the Moral Law," 43d Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Memphis, Tennessee, October 2004.
15. "From Solitude to Response: A Levinasian Encounter with Kant," Rock Center for Ethics, Pennsylvania State University, March 26-28, 2004.
14. "Otherwise than Agonism: Feminist Theory and Democratic Politics," Society for Women in Philosophy Spring Meeting, Eastern Division, Pennsylvania State University, March 25, 2004.
13. "The Humanities and Democracy in a Time of Positivism," Literature, Communication, and Democracy Symposium, The University of Massachusetts Lowell (hosted by Amherst and Lowell), April 2, 2003.
12. "Public Knowledge," 2003 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Denver, Colorado, March 27-29, 2003, and at the 2003 Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Denver, Colorado, March 13-15, 2003.
11. "Testimonies in the Public Sphere: On the Truth and Reconciliation Process," Sixth Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Law, Culture, and the Humanities, Cardoza Law School, New York, NY, March 7-9, 2003.
10. "Resisting Essence: Julia Kristeva's Process Philosophy," 39th Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, State College, Pennsylvania, October 2000.
9. "Heretical Discourse: Feminist Deliberative Theory," Gendering Ethics/The Ethics of Gender Conference, The University of Leeds, England, June 2000.
8. "Finitude and Community: Public Deliberation as Leaning Toward Others," 26th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Organized Session on Spirituality, Transcendence, and Community with John Lysaker, John Stuhr, and Michael Sullivan; Eugene, Oregon, February 1999.
7. "From the Agon to the Forum: Difference and Deliberative Politics," 37th Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Denver, Colorado, October 1998.
6. "Civil Society and the City," 36th Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Organized Session with Sharon Meagher and Ellen Feder; Lexington, Kentucky, October 1997.
5. "Community Contra Essence: Jean-Luc Nancy and the Inclinations of Deliberative Democracy," The International Association for Philosophy and Literature 21st Annual Conference, University of South Alabama, Mobile, Alabama, May 6-19, 1997.



4. "Modes of Subjectivity and Political Agency: An Encounter Between Kristeva and Fraser," Society for Women in Philosophy, Eastern Division, Spring Conference 1997, Trinity College, Washington, D.C., April 4-6, 1997.
3. "On Using Theory: Fraser's Reading of Post-Structuralist Theories of Subjectivity," Second Annual Gender Studies Conference, University of Texas, April 28, 1995.
2. "Sexual Difference and Ontological Difference: Reading Jacques Derrida and Luce Irigaray," Graduate Conference on Gender Studies, University of Texas, April 1-2, 1994.
1. "Re-Examining McLuhan: The Prospect of Technology for Social Transformation," with Craig Hanks, Popular Culture Association Conference, New Orleans, 1987.

## **TEACHING**

### **Graduate PhD Committees**

Molly Kelly, Emory University, in progress.

Betty Jean Stoneman, Emory University, in progress.

Jason Walsh, Philosophy, Emory University, in progress.

Rylie Johnson, Philosophy, Emory University, in progress.

Sarah Fayad, Philosophy, Emory University, Spring 2021.

Belen Pueyo Ibanez, Philosophy, Emory University, in progress.

Grace Goh, Philosophy, Emory University, in progress.

Sara Saba, Philosophy, Emory University, in progress.

Rebekah Spera, Philosophy, Emory University, Summer 2020.

Katherine Howard, Philosophy, Emory University, Summer 2019.

Adam Moeller, Philosophy, "John-Paul Sartre's Theory of Collective Action: Reconsidering Hegel and Marx," 2015. (reader)

Stephanie Rodgers, "Between the Virtual and the Real: A Study in Relations," Philosophy, Emory University, Committee Member, Spring 2018.

Maximillian Levenson, Philosophy, Emory University, in progress.

Mark Fagiano, Philosophy, Emory University, 2012.

Zachary VanderVeen, Philosophy, Vanderbilt University, External Reader, 2008.

### **Undergraduate Thesis Committees**

Director, Noah Garberg, 2020-2021.

Director, Katie Pleiss, 2020-2021.

Director, Lamja Grbic, 2016-2017.

Reader, Ishaan Jalan, "Cyberwarfare: Military Ethics and the Applicability of Just War Theory," Philosophy & Business, Emory University, Fall 2013.

Reader, Erin Collins, Philosophy, Emory University, 2012.

### **Undergraduate Directed Readings**

Jane Nam, "Feminist Philosophy," Emory University, Fall 2015.

Hannah Williams, "Racism and Human Rights," Emory University, Spring 2013.

### **Graduate Directed Readings**

Director, Paddy Pender, Fall 2022

Director, Allison Garippa, Spring 2021.

Director, Rylie Johnson, Spring 2019.

Director, Grace Goh, Spring 2018

Director, Sara Saba, Spring 2018

Director, Katherine Howard, "Hannah Arendt," Emory University, Fall 2015

Reader, Katherine Howard, Social & Political Comprehensive Exam, Emory University, Fall 2015.

Reader, Joseph Benavides, Social & Political Comprehensive Exam, Emory University, Fall 2015.

Reader, Mukasa Mubirumusoke, "Heidegger's Ontological Critique of Schmitt's Concept of the Political," Emory University, Spring 2015

Director, Osman Nemlii, Utopia and Critical Theory, Spring 2013, Emory University.

Director, Maximillian Levenson, Between Facts and Norms, Spring 2011, Emory University.

Director, Samuel Timme, Cosmopolitanism and 20<sup>th</sup> Century Philosophy, Spring 2011, Emory University.

Director, Katherine Schweitzer, Cosmopolitanism and 20<sup>th</sup> Century Philosophy, Fall 2010, Emory University.

## Courses Taught

Emory University, 2010-present:

Undergraduate: Hannah Arendt (Spring 2020, Spring 2021); History of Political Philosophy (Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Spring 2022); Politics and Psychoanalysis (Fall 2015, Spring 2018); Feminist Theory and Politics (Spring 2015); Nature, Environment, and Sustainability (Spring 2013); Philosophy and the City (Spring 2013); Introduction to Feminist Philosophy (Fall 2012, Spring 2019); Contemporary Moral Issues (Fall 2010); Social & Political Philosophy (Spring 2011, Spring 2012); Senior Seminar on Democratic Theory (Spring 2011); 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> Century Philosophy (Spring 2012, Fall 2013, Spring 2016, Spring 2018, Spring 2019); Freshman Seminar: Masters of Suspicion (Spring 2012); Freshman Seminar: Freud's Interpretation of Dreams (Spring 2016)

Graduate: Critical Theory (Fall 2022), Logics of 'the People' (Fall 2021), Structures of Desire (Spring 2020); Political Theory (Fall 2018, Fall 2019); Introduction to Psychoanalysis (Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Spring 2021); The Political Unconscious (Fall 2017); Irigaray and Kristeva (Fall 2015); Habermas and his Critics (Fall 2014); Professional Development for first year grad students (Fall 2013); Pedagogy for second year graduate students (Fall 2013); Hannah Arendt (Fall 2012); Contemporary Feminist Philosophy (Spring 2011); Philosophy & Psychoanalysis (Fall 2011)

Fox Center for Humanistic Inquiry: Great Works Seminar on The Interpretation of Dreams (Fall 2017)

George Mason University, 2006-2009:

Undergraduate: Contemporary Ethical Theory; Contemporary Western Political Theory; Gender & Moral Philosophy; Introduction to Philosophy, Ethics, Pragmatism

Graduate: Democratic Theory and Post-Conflict Democratization; History of Ethical Thought; Ethics in a Postmodern World;

University of Massachusetts Lowell, 1999-2005:

Justice, Trauma, and War; Honors Workshop; Gender & Moral Philosophy; Introduction to Ethics; Introduction to Philosophy; Theories of Justice; Introduction to Political Philosophy; Continental Ethics; Feminist Theory and Politics; Critical Theory of Society: What is Enlightenment?

Brandeis University, Spring 2004:

Gender and Moral Philosophy; Continental Philosophy: The Tradition and Feminist Engagements

University of Texas at Austin, 1998-1999:

Deliberative Democracy; Theories of Political Community

## UNIVERSITY SERVICE

(not including administrative appointments)

### Emory University

#### *University Wide*

Senator, University Senate, Emory University, 2022–2025.

Founding Member and Chair, The Faculty of Psychoanalysis at Emory University, 2020-

Member, Committee for the Prevention of Sexual Violence, University Senate, 2017-2018

Reviewer, Emory University Subvention Fund, 2014-2017

#### *Laney Graduate School*

Member, Woodruff Fellowship Selection Committee, 2022-2024

Member, Advisory Committee, Mellon-funded project, From Critique to Engagement: A Call for Productive Intervention in Humanities PhD Programs, 2017-2019

#### *College of Arts & Sciences*

Promotion Committee for Associate Professor Falguni Sheth, Summer 2021-Spring 2012

Member, Grievance Committee, Fall 2017-Spring 2019.

Member, Faculty Excellence Working Group for College Strategic Planning, Fall 2015-Spring 2016

Promotion Committee for Associate Professor Elizabeth Goodstein, Summer 2015-Spring 2016

Senator, Emory College of Arts and Sciences Faculty Senate, May 2015-May 2018

Dean's Achievement Scholars Selection Committee, June 2015

Rhetoric & Critical Theory Reading Group, member and organizer, Emory College, Spring 2012–2013

Admissions & Scholarships Committee, Emory College, Spring 2012

Humanities Faculty Liaison to the Office of Undergraduate Education, 2011-2012

#### *Philosophy Department*

Search Committee in Continental Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, 2019-2020

Programming Coordinator, Graduate Studies Committee, 2019-

Chair of Search Committee in African American Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, 2014-2015

Colloquia Coördinator, Department of Philosophy, 2013-2014

Acting Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Philosophy, Fall 2012

Undergraduate Studies Committee, Department of Philosophy, 2012-2013

Faculty Search Committee, Department of Philosophy, 2011-2012

Graduate Studies Committee, Department of Philosophy, 2011-2013; member and director of programming, 2019-

PACE Advisor and Faculty Liaison, Fall 2011-2013

Colloquium Committee, Department of Philosophy, 2010-2013 (Chair during 2012-2013)

### **George Mason University**

Critical Thinking Across the Curriculum team member, Department of Philosophy, 2007-2008.

Graduate Admissions Committee, Department of Philosophy, Fall 2006.

### **University of Massachusetts Lowell**

Faculty Search Committee, Department of Philosophy, 2004-2005

Advisory Committee Member, Initiative on Experimental Educational Designs, 2004-2005

Faculty Board Member, WJUL Sunrise Editorial Board, 2003-2005

Philosophy Department Liaison to the University of Massachusetts Libraries, 2001-2005

Faculty Search Committee, Department of Philosophy, 2000-2001

Undergraduate Studies Committee Member, 1999-2005

### **CONSULTING AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL WORK**

Consultant to the Kettering Foundation, serving as a writer, editor, and advisor to the Foundation with respect to its research in political philosophy, civil society, and deliberative democracy, 1988-

Research Team Member, Project on Deliberative Democracy for the Charles F. Kettering Foundation, 2005-2006

Research Team Member, National Issues Convention: We the People, Philadelphia, PA, January 10-12, 2003

Advisor, Online National Issues Convention, a deliberative public opinion poll conducted by the Stanford University Department of Communications, the Center for Deliberative Polling, and MacNeil-Lehrer Productions' Online Newshour, November 2002 to January 2003

Public Television Guest Host, Austin At Issue, KLRU-TV (PBS affiliate), 1997-1999. Interviews conducted with MacArthur "genius grant" recipient Ernesto Cortés, Jr; philosopher Richard Rorty; and LBJ School of Public Affairs dean, Edwin Dorn.

Board Member, Public Deliberation '96, an organization of journalists, educators, and foundation officials that met in Washington, D.C. during the Presidential campaign to work on making the electoral process public and deliberative, 1995-1996

Board Member, National Writers United Service Organization, 1995-1997

President, Council for Public Media, Austin, Texas, 1991-1995

Vice President At Large, National Executive Board of the National Writers Union, 1990-1991

Chairperson, National Writers Union, Washington, D.C. Local, 1988-1989

Field Organizer and Writer, Public Citizen's Congress Watch, Washington, D.C., 1987-1988

Intern, The Advocacy Institute, Washington, D.C., 1986