

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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Contract Academic Staff

Brandon University

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## RESEARCH AND TEACHING AREAS

### *Areas of Specialization*

Phenomenology (particularly Maurice Merleau-Ponty)

Critical phenomenology

Marxist feminism

Marxism

### *Areas of Competence*

19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> century continental philosophy

Feminist philosophy

Existentialism

Critical social and political theory

History of Western philosophy

## EDUCATION

### Ph.D. Philosophy

Queen's University

2018 – 2025

Supervisor: Prof. Lisa Guenther

Dissertation Title: "A Critical Phenomenology of Social Reproduction"

### M.A. Philosophy

Concordia University

2012 – 2015

Supervisor: Prof. Matthias Fritsch

Thesis Title: "Who I Say I Am: Narrative Identity, Originary Difference, and the Promise in

Ricoeur and Derrida

### B.A. 4-Year Hons. Philosophy and English Literature (Minor in History)

Brandon University

2007 – 2012

## ACADEMIC WORK EXPERIENCE

### Teaching

Contract Academic Staff, Brandon University

70:163 Critical Thinking

Winter 2026

70:240 Logic

Fall 2025

70:160 Introduction to Philosophy

Fall 2025

30:147 Literary Traditions

Fall 2025

30:145 Contemporary Literature

Spring 2025

70:240 Logic

Fall 2024

30:147 Literary Traditions

Fall 2024

70:160 Introduction to Philosophy

Spring 2024

30:145 Contemporary Literature (PENT)

Spring 2024

|   |  |             |
|---|--|-------------|
| Course Instructor, Bishop's University<br>Teaching Fellow, Queen's University   | PHI 202 Modern Philosophy                  | Winter 2024 |
|   | PHIL 303 Markets and Morality              | Winter 2024 |
| Contract Academic Staff, Brandon University<br>Teaching Fellow, Queen's University<br>Contract Academic Staff, Brandon University | PHIL 271 Philosophy and Literature         | Winter 2024 |
|   | 70:152 The Meaning of Life                 | Fall 2023   |
|   | PHIL 303 Markets and Morality              | Winter 2023 |
|   | 70:240 Logic                               | Winter 2023 |
|   | 70:374 Philosophy of Mind                  | Fall 2022   |
|   | 70:240 Logic                               | Fall 2022   |
|   | 30:147 English Literary Traditions (PENT)  | Summer 2022 |
|   | 70:160 Introduction to Philosophy          | Spring 2022 |
|   | 30:145 Contemporary Literature (PENT)      | Spring 2022 |
|   | 70:160 Introduction to Philosophy          | Spring 2021 |
|   | 30:145 Contemporary Literature             | Fall 2020   |
|   | 30:090 Composition (PENT)                  | Summer 2018 |
|   | 30:151 University Writing                  | Spring 2018 |
|   | 30:151 University Writing                  | Winter 2018 |
|   | 70:362 Advanced Ethics                     | Fall 2017   |
|   | 30:151 University Writing                  | Fall 2017   |
|   | 30:151 University Writing (PENT)           | Summer 2017 |
|   | 70:160 Introduction to Philosophy          | Spring 2017 |
|   | 30:151 University Writing                  | Winter 2017 |
|   | 30:162 Intro to Canadian Literature (PENT) | Summer 2014 |
|   | 30:162 Intro to Canadian Literature (PENT) | Summer 2013 |

#### Teaching Assistantships

|  |                                      |             |
|--|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| Teaching Assistant, Queen's University   | PHIL 316 Philosophy of Art           | Winter 2025 |
|  | PHIL 204 Life, Death, and Meaning    | Winter 2025 |
|  | PHIL 157 Moral Issues                | Winter 2025 |
|  | PHIL 153 The State and the Citizen   | Fall 2022   |
|  | PHIL 203 Science & Society           | Winter 2022 |
|  | PHIL 303 Ethics and Business         | Fall 2021   |
|  | PHIL 111 What Is Philosophy?         | 2020-2021   |
|  | PHIL 115 Fundamental Questions       | 2019-2020   |
|  | PHIL 153 The State and the Citizen   | Winter 2019 |
|  | PHIL 256 Existentialism              | Fall 2018   |
| Teaching Assistant, Concordia University | PHIL 275 Modernism to Postmodernism  | Winter 2014 |
|  | PHIL 241 Philosophy of Human Rights  | Fall 2013   |
|  | PHIL 265 Introduction to Metaphysics | Winter 2013 |
|  | PHIL 214 Deductive Logic             | Fall 2012   |

#### Research Assistantships

|   |  |           |
|---|--|-----------|
| Dr. Deanna Smid<br>(Brandon University)       | Manuscript copyediting for John Day's <i>The Parliament of Bees: A New Edition of a Misgendered Poem</i> , Palgrave MacMillan                            | May 2025  |
| Dr. Jonathan A. Allan<br>(Brandon University) | Book research and manuscript proofreading, copyediting for <i>Uncut: A Cultural Analysis of the Foreskin</i> , University of Regina Press, 2024          | 2016-2018 |
| Dr. Derek Brown<br>(University of Glasgow)    | Manuscript editing and copyediting for <i>Analysis and Interpretation in the Exact Sciences: Essays in Honour of William Demopoulos</i> , Springer, 2011 | 2009-2010 |

#### PUBLICATIONS

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|--|------|
| "The Pleasure of Reading: Playing Games with Time in Tristram Shandy,"<br><i>Evental Aesthetics</i> 3, No. 3, pp. 18-27. | 2015 |
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| PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS  |            |
|---|------------|
| “Critical Phenomenology and Historical Materialism: On Merleau-Ponty’s Eidetic Method and the Existential Interpretation of Marxism”<br>Critical Phenomenology Reading Group, 2023 Online Workshop  | July 2023  |
| “Arendt, Beauvoir, and Marxist Feminism: a Critical Phenomenology of Social Reproduction”<br><i>Phenomenology and Critique</i> , Loyola-Marquette Phenomenology Conference, Chicago IL  | Nov. 2022  |
| “The Depths of Need and the Politics of Care”<br>Boston College Graduate Philosophy Conference, Boston MA   | March 2021 |
| “Temporality and the Politics of Care Work: Phenomenology Meets Social Reproduction Theory”<br><i>Embodied Voices: Phenomenological, Hermeneutical, and Psychoanalytic Approaches to Health</i> , Duquesne Graduate Students in Philosophy, Pittsburgh PA | Feb. 2021  |
| “Nomad Phenomenology: Critical Perception and Faciality”<br>Panel: “Resisting Oppression Through Deleuze and Guattari,” with Dallas Jokic and Sofie Vlaad, Concordia Graduate Philosophy Student Association Conference, Montreal QC                      | March 2019 |
| “Waste and Its Afterlives”<br><i>Derrida Today</i> Conference, Montreal QC  | May 2018   |
| “Arendt in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century: Power and the New Illiberalism”<br>Concerned Philosophers for Peace 30 <sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Raleigh, NC  | Nov. 2017  |

| GUEST LECTURES   |            |
|--|------------|
| “Simone de Beauvoir’s <i>The Second Sex</i> ”<br>PHIL 256 Existentialism, Queen’s University                   | Nov. 2023  |
| “Who (or What, or When, or How) Is the God of Levinas?”<br>PHIL 223 Philosophy of Religion, Queen’s University | Nov. 2019  |
| “Simone de Beauvoir’s <i>Ethics of Ambiguity</i> ”<br>PHIL 256 Existentialism, Queen’s University              | Nov. 2018  |
| “Sartre’s <i>Existentialism Is a Humanism</i> ”<br>PHIL 387 Existentialism, Concordia University               | Sept. 2013 |

| DEPARTMENTAL TALKS  |            |
|---|------------|
| “Arendt, Beauvoir, and the Temporality of Social Reproduction”<br>Queen’s University Philosophy Graduate Colloquium Series                | Nov. 2022  |
| “Lived Depth and the Phenomenology of Needs and Care”<br>Queen’s University Philosophy Graduate Colloquium Series                         | March 2021 |
| “Arendt and Beauvoir on Social Reproduction, Oppression, and Political Action”<br>Queen’s University Political Philosophy Reading Group   | March 2021 |
| “ <i>Final Fantasy VII</i> and Philosophy” (Co-Presentation with Sofie Vlaad)<br>Queen’s University Philosophy Graduate Colloquium Series | March 202  |
| “Spinoza’s Eternalist Conception of Time”<br>Queen’s University Philosophy Graduate Colloquium Series                                     | Nov. 2019  |

| <b>SCHOLARSHIPS AND FELLOWSHIPS</b>                                |             |
|--|-------------|
| <b>Queen's University</b>  |             |
| Ontario Graduate Scholarship (\$15,000)                            | 2020 – 2021 |
| School of Graduate Studies Doctoral Award (\$18,000 per annum)     | 2018 – 2022 |
| <b>Concordia University</b>  |             |
| Joseph-Armand Bombardier Graduate Scholarship, SSHRC (\$17,500)    | 2013 – 2014 |
| Arts and Science Graduate Fellowship (\$7000)                      | 2012 – 2013 |
| Campaign for a New Millennium Student Scholarship (\$1000)         | 2012 – 2013 |
| <b>Brandon University</b>  |             |
| Marion E. Bowen Scholarship in English Literature (\$4971)         | 2011 – 2012 |
| Harold Vidal Memorial Humanities Scholarship (\$1500)              | 2011 – 2012 |
| Marion E. Bowen Scholarship in English Literature (\$4978)         | 2010 – 2011 |
| Harold Vidal Memorial Humanities Scholarship (\$3000)              | 2010 – 2011 |
| Brandon University Faculty Association Scholarship (\$720)         | 2010 – 2011 |
| Marion E. Bowen Scholarship in English Literature (\$3349)         | 2009 – 2010 |
| John Odin Scholarship (\$1300)                                     | 2009 – 2010 |
| Helen A. Christie Memorial Scholarship (\$200)                     | 2009 – 2010 |
| E.C. Whitehead Memorial Scholarship in Philosophy (\$1250)         | 2008 – 2009 |
| E.C. Whitehead Memorial Scholarship in Philosophy (\$1250)         | 2007 – 2008 |
| Brandon University Board of Governors Entrance Scholarship (\$500) | 2007 – 2008 |

| <b>AWARDS AND HONOURS</b>                       |             |
|---|-------------|
| <b>Brandon University</b>                       |             |
| Inducted into Brandon University Honour Society | June 2012   |
| Graduated with Great Distinction                | May 2012    |
| Silver Medal in Philosophy                      | May 2012    |
| Silver Medal in English Literature              | May 2012    |
| Inducted into President's Honour Society        | May 2011    |
| Placed on Honours List                          | 2007 – 2012 |

| <b>PROFESSIONAL SERVICE</b>  |             |
|--|-------------|
| <b><i>Puncta: Journal for Critical Phenomenology</i></b>               |             |
| Assistant to the Editors   | 2022 – 2023 |
| <b>Critical Phenomenology Reading Group</b>                            |             |
| Co-Organizer and Co-Host (with Alisha Sharma)                          | 2021 –      |
| <b>Brandon University</b>  |             |
| Second Reader<br>Terry McMaster, Creative Writing B.F.A. Thesis        | May 2021    |
| <b>Queen's University</b>  |             |
| Volunteer Technical Assistant  | April 2021  |
| Arendt & Weil Conference 2021, Philosophy Graduate Student Association |             |
| Social Committee Representative  | 2020 – 2021 |
| Philosophy Graduate Student Association                                |             |
| Graduate Teaching Assistant Mentor                                     | 2019 – 2021 |
| Philosophy Graduate Student Association                                |             |
| Departmental Union Steward   | 2019 – 2024 |
| Public Service Alliance Canada Local 901                               |             |

| Concordia University  |             |
|---|-------------|
| Conference Coordinator, Graduate Philosophy Student Association |             |
| “Philosophy <i>dans la rue!</i> ”                               | 2014        |
| “Public / Private”  | 2013        |
| Reader, <i>Gnosis</i> Graduate Philosophy Journal               | 2013 – 2017 |