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## **Employment:**

Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Santa Clara University

## **Education:**

Ph.D., Philosophy, University of California, Santa Barbara

## **Research Area:**

Metaphysics, Philosophy of Mind, Philosophy of Religion

## **Publications:**

- [1] “Kenoticism and essential divine properties”, *Religious Studies* (forthcoming).
- [2] “Marriage, Reproduction, and the Incarnation”, (co-authored with Stephen T. Davis) in K. Timpe and B. Hereth (eds) *Philosophy of Religion for All* (Routledge, forthcoming).
- [3] “Filial piety and ritual: a Confucian approach to well-being”, *Science, Religion, and Culture* 6 (2019), 96-102.
- [4] “Defending constituent ontology”, *Philosophical Studies* 175 (2018), 179-187.
- [5] “Against an updated ontological argument”, *Res Philosophica* 95 (2018), 179-187.
- [6] “Does death restriction-harm us?”, *Journal of Value Inquiry* 52 (2018), 429-436.
- [7] “Persons, simplicity, and substance”, *Philosophical Papers* 47 (2018), 299-311.
- [8] “Spiritual experience and imagination”, in R. Nicholls and H. Salazar (eds) *The Philosophy of Spirituality*. (Brill, 2018).
- [9] “Heaven and the problem of eternal separation”, in S. Cushing (ed.) *Heaven and Philosophy* (Lexington, 2018).
- [10] “Wisdom, risk-taking, and understanding”, *Philosophy and Theology* 29 (2017), 419-428.
- [11] “Social trinitarianism unscathed”, (co-authored with Stephen T. Davis), *Journal of Analytic Theology* 5 (2017).
- [12] “Composition and the will of God”, (co-authored with Stephen T. Davis) in R. Byerly and E. Silverman (eds) *Paradise Understood* (Oxford University Press, 2017).
- [13] “The compatibility of property dualism and substance materialism”, *Philosophical Studies* 172 (2015), 3211-3219.
- [14] “Unrestricted animalism and the too many candidates problem”, *Philosophical Studies* 172 (2015), 635-652.
- [15] “Atonement and the wrath of God”, (co-authored with Stephen T. Davis) in Oliver Crisp and Fred Sanders (eds) *Locating Atonement* (Zondervan, 2015), 154-167.
- [16] “Against piecemeal skepticism”, *International Journal for the Study of Skepticism* 5 (2015), 253-256.
- [17] “Choosing eternal separation: reply to Gwiazda” (co-authored with Stephen T. Davis), *Sophia* 54 (2015), 217-219.
- [18] “Thinking animals, disagreement, and skepticism”, *Philosophical Studies* 166 (2013), 109-121.
- [19] “Eliminativism, interventionism, and the Overdetermination Argument”, *Philosophical Studies* 164 (2013), 321-340.
- [20] “Defending direct source incompatibilism”, *Acta Analytica* 27 (2012), 325-333.
- [21] “Conservation, discontinuous time, and causal continuity”, *Religious Studies* 45 (2009), 85-93.

**Reviews:**

- [22] Review of *Blackwell Companion to Substance Dualism* (ed. Jonathan Loose, Angus Menuge, and J.P. Moreland), *Philosophia Christi* (forthcoming).
- [23] Review of *Christian Philosophy of Religion*, (ed. Colin Ruloff), *Journal of Analytic Theology* 5, 2017.

**Teaching Awards:**

- Recipient of the *Paul Wienpahl Award for Excellence in Teaching* (UCSB), 2012
- Career award to the best graduate instructor in the philosophy department.

**Teaching Experience:****Santa Clara University**

- Philosophy Through Science Fiction
- Knowledge & Reality
- Formal Logic
- Skepticism
- Metaphysics of Persons
- Aquinas on Divine and Human Nature
- Cultures & Ideas: Death, Afterlife, and Meaning
- Modern Philosophy
- Informal Logic
- Ethics in Society

**Claremont McKenna College**

- Epistemology
- Ethics
- Metaphysics of Persons
- Ancient Philosophy
- Modern Philosophy
- Philosophical Questions [Introduction to Philosophy]

**University of California Santa Barbara**

- Medieval to Early Modern Philosophy
- Introduction to Philosophy
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**Fellowships and Grants:**

- Award grant for the Worship and Divine workshop at Hebrew University, 2019, \$4000
- Stipend for the Hamilton Philosophy Summer program, 2019, \$4000
- Stipend for Moscow Center for Consciousness Studies, 2018, \$3000
- Prize grant for the New York Wisdom seminar at Fordham University, 2017, \$2000
- Prize grant for the St. Thomas Summer Seminar, 2015, \$2000
- Essay prize for the Paradise Project at Christopher Newport University, 2015, \$1500
- Prize grant for the Younger Scholars Workshop at UC Riverside, 2015, \$1100
- Philip and Aida Siff Educational Foundation Fellowship (UCSB)
- Ralph W. Church Fellowship (UCSB)
- Salmon Fellowship (UCSB)

**Professional Services:**

Journal Referee: *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *Philosophical Studies*, *Philosophical Quarterly*, *Erkenntnis*, *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly*, *Res Philosophica*, *Acta Analytica*, *International Journal for the Study of Skepticism*, *Philosophical Papers*, *Religious Studies*, *Ratio*, *Dialectica*, *Southern Journal of Philosophy*, *Axiomathes*, *Bioethics*

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