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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME 2018-
Assistant Professor of Political Science, Program of Liberal Studies
Concurrent Appointment: Department of Political Science
Faculty Fellow, Kellogg Institute for International Studies 2019-
Faculty Fellow, Nanovic Institute 2021-

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO 2017-2018
Collegiate Assistant Professor and Harper-Schmidt Fellow
Classics of Social and Political Thought

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO, Ph.D., Political Science (Political Theory) 2017

MCGILL UNIVERSITY, M.A., Political Science (Political Theory) 2011

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO, Honors B.A., Philosophy and Literary Studies 2009

PUBLICATIONS AND WORKS IN PROGRESS

BOOKS

Regenerative Politics (monograph in progress)

REFEREED ARTICLES

(forthcoming) "The Figurative Foundations of Rousseau's Politics," ***Modern Intellectual History***

"Homo Duplex: The Two Origins of Man in Rousseau's *Second Discourse*," ***History of European Ideas*** 47.1 (2020): 71-90.

"Regenerating Humanism," ***History of European Ideas*** 46.3 (2020): 242-256. Online Dec 1 2019.

"Catching Up With Wells: The Political Theory of H.G. Wells's Science Fiction," ***Political Theory*** 45.5 (2017): 637-658.

"Madness and Political Philosophy," in Feature Symposium on Ronald Beiner's *Political Philosophy*, ***The Review of Politics*** 78.2 (2016): 303-305.

"Democracy, Despots and Wolves: On the Dangers of *Zoopolis'* Animal- Citizen," ***Canadian Journal of Political Science*** 47.1 (2014): 1-21.
-Published with response article from Will Kymlicka and Sue Donaldson-

BOOK CHAPTERS

(forthcoming) "Persuasion without Convincing: The Case of Rousseau," in *Persuasion After Rhetoric*, ed. Yasmin Solomonescu and Stefan Uhlrig (Oxford: Oxford University Press)

"Regeneration on the Right," *Contemporary Far Right Thinkers and the Future of Liberal Democracy,* ed. Jim McAdams and Alejandro Castrillon (New York: Routledge, 2021).

"The Creation of Man: Linguistic Reformation and the Necessity of the State in the Work of Thomas Hobbes," in *Polis, Nation, Global Community: The Philosophical Foundations of Citizenship*, ed. Ann Ward (New York: Routledge, 2021).

"Beyond Nature and Necessity," in *Classical Rationalism and the Politics of Europe*, ed. Ann Ward (Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2018): 268-286.

ENCYCLOPEDIAS

(forthcoming) "Rousseau," *Research Handbook on the History of Political Thought*, ed. Cary J. Nederman (Edward Elgar)

IN PROGRESS

"H.G. Wells on Human Rights," for collection ed. Duncan Bell and Sarah Cole (Oxford University Press), *chapter in progress*

"The Indigenous Critique in Rousseau: Why Lahontan?" (with Linus Recht) *Article in progress*

"Regeneración and Rousseau in Latin America" (with Alejandro Castrillon) *Article in progress*

"Right Against Rights: HG Wells on the Promise and Perils of Political Rebirth" *Article in progress*

BOOK REVIEWS

Review Essay, *Herodotus and the Anthropocene* (Joel Schlosser) and *Interspecies Politics* (Rafi Youatt), *Perspectives on Politics* 19.2 (2021): 599-601.

Review of *Mastery of Nature*, ed. Svetizar Y. Minkov and Bernhardt L. Trout, *Perspectives on Politics* 17.1 (2019): 235-237.

Review of Laura Ephraim *Who Speaks for Nature*, *Review of Politics* 80.4 (2018): 726-8

Review of *Sojourns in the Western Twilight*, ed. Janice Freamo and Tom Sibley, *Voegelin View* (2018)

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Harper-Schmidt Fellowship, University of Chicago	2017-2021 (held 2017-2018)
SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellowship	2017-2019 (held 2017-2018)
Ontario Graduate Scholarship	2016-2017
Northrop Frye Centre Fellowship	2015-2016
Ontario Graduate Scholarship	2015-2016
SSHRC CGS Doctoral Fellowship (3 years)	2012-2015

Nominee: Westview Press Award, MPSA 2012
For the best paper presented by a graduate student in any field
Ontario Graduate Scholarship [declined] 2012
Cambridge Commonwealth Scholarship [declined] 2011
McGill Arts Undergraduate Society (AUS) Teaching Award 2011
Voted best Teaching Assistant across all Arts and Science courses
SSHRC Joseph-Armand Bombardier Master's Scholarship (1 year) 2009-2010
Ontario Graduate Scholarship [declined] 2009

MEDIA

"Could a Form of Liberal Fascism Help Solve the World's Problems?" *Public Seminar*
Dec 14 2020

"Learning must not stay online," *Medium* May 1 2020

Radio appearance: CBC *Ideas* "Public Morality in the Ages of Caesar and Trump"
May 31 2019

PRESENTATIONS

INVITED

Stanford University, History of Political Thought Workshop 2021
"The Hieroglyphic Man," March 11

"Revolutionary Regenerative Politics" 2021
Liberal Democracy and the Age of Revolution Conference
George Washington Forum, OH

Liberty Fund Symposium on Diderot and Catherine
November, La Jolla CA 2019

Liberty Fund Symposium on Pierre Bayle
February, Annapolis, MD 2019

"In Pursuit of Public Morality"
Roundtable, Stratford Shakespeare Festival Forum 2018
Recorded for CBC Ideas Radio Broadcast, airing May 31 2019

"Rousseau's 'Man of the Woods'"
University of Chicago Political Theory Workshop 2018

"Anthromythology: Orangutan, Man, and Myth in the Work of Rousseau" 2017
King's College, Halifax

"Palingenesis and the Democratic Spirit" 2017
Pomona College, CA

"The Ethics of Literature" 2017
Roundtable with Mark Kingwell
Centre for Ethics, University of Toronto

"Between Facts and Myths: Anthropology and Anthropological Doubt" 2016
Northrop Frye Centre, University of Toronto

"The Palingenetic World" 2016
Institute for the History and Philosophy of Science and Technology
University of Toronto

INVITED, NOTRE DAME

"Right Against Rights: HG Wells on the Promise and Perils of Political Rebirth" 2021
Kellogg Institute Working Paper Series, Notre Dame

"Regenerative Politics and the New Right"
The New Right, Kellogg Institute Symposium, Notre Dame 2020

"To Persuade Without Convincing"
Paper Presentation, *Persuasion After Rhetoric* Conference, Notre Dame 2019
Notre Dame Political Theory Colloquium 2019

CONFERENCE PAPERS

"Liberal Fascism: Contemporary Critique and H.G. Wells's Failed Vision of the Future"
European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) 2021
"Right Against Rights: HG Wells on the Promise and Perils of Political Rebirth" 2020
Association for Political Theory (APT), UMass Amherst
"Rousseau as the Legislator of Nature"
American Political Science Association (APSA), Washington DC 2019
International Conference of ISSEI, Zaragoza, Spain 2019
"Anthromythology: Orangutan, Man, and Myth in the Work of Rousseau" 2017
American Political Science Association (APSA), San Francisco, CA
"Human, Mammal, Material: Regenerative Politics and What it Means 2017
to be Human"
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), Toronto ON
"Regenerating Rousseau's Perfectible Animals"
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), Calgary, AB 2016
Northeastern Political Science Association (NPSA), Philadelphia, PA 2015
"The Political Theory of H.G. Wells" 2015
American Political Science Association (APSA), San Francisco, CA
"Beyond Nature and Necessity: *The Ennobling of Democracy* in 2015" 2015
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), Ottawa, ON
"Regenerating Political Animals: Natural Science and the Human/Animal Divide 2015
in 18th Century France"
Western Political Science Association (WPSA), Las Vegas
"Political Ménageries: Theriophilia and Theriophobia in 18th Century France" 2014
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), St. Catharines, ON
"The Freedom of Equals or Unequals Alike?" 2013
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), Victoria BC
"Political Ménageries" 2013
Political Theory Research Workshop, University of Toronto
"Community Narcissism in Urban Life" 2012
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), Edmonton, AB

"Uncertainty in Thomas Hobbes's Leviathan" 2012
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, IL
- nominated: Westview Press Award, for best paper by a graduate student
"The Tragedy of Critical Theory" 2010
Poetics of Pain Conference, CUNY, New York, NY
"The Third of City Space" 2008
Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Pittsburgh, PA

ROUNDTABLE PARTICIPATION

On Mauro Caraccioli's *Writing the New World*
American Political Science Association 2021
"The New Right" 2019
Commentator, Kellogg Institute, Notre Dame
"Frankenstein at 200"
American Political Science Association, Boston 2018
"Roundtable on Ronald Beiner's *Political Philosophy*" 2015
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), Ottawa, ON
"Roundtable with Jonathan Israel: Intellectual History and the Enlightenment" 2014
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), St. Catharines, ON
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PANELS ORGANIZED

"Humanisms, Old and New" 2017
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), Toronto ON
"Roundtable with Jonathan Israel: Intellectual History and the Enlightenment" 2014
Organized with accompanying guest lecture by Jonathan Israel
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), St. Catharines, ON
"The foundations of the *Zoopolis*" 2013
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), Victoria, BC

DISCUSSANT

"Reading Feminine Exclusions Back into the Canon"
American Political Science Association 2021
"Philosophic Perspectives on Political Moderation"
Midwest Political Science Association 2020
"Kant"
American Political Science Association 2018
"Modern Political Thought" 2016
Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), Calgary, AB
"Dysevolution: Rousseau's History of the Human" 2014
Political Theory Research Workshop, University of Toronto

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

GRADUATE: INSTRUCTOR OF RECORD

University of Notre Dame
"Sourcing the Self: Starting with Rousseau's *Second Discourse*" 2021

UNDERGRADUATE: INSTRUCTOR OF RECORD

University of Notre Dame
- Political and Social Theory — 2019, 2020, 2021
- Great Books Seminar V — 2020, 2021
- Great Books Seminar IV — 2018, 2019

University of Chicago
- Classics of Social and Political Thought — 2017-2018
  College Core Sequence, 3 quarters

University of Toronto
- Introduction to Political Theory: Visions of the Just/Good Society — 2016

SUMMER SYMPOSIA (PROGRAM OF LIBERAL STUDIES, NOTRE DAME)

London Summer Symposium (cancelled/delayed to 2021) — 2020
- "Queenmakers" in London

Summer Symposium, Notre Dame — 2019
- Power in Rousseau's *Second Discourse*

SENIOR THESIS SUPERVISION (NOTRE DAME)

- Madeline Foley — 2020-2021
  **winner of the Otto Bird Award for best thesis in PLS*
- Madeline Schierl — 2020-2021
- Thomas Murphy — 2020-2021
- Zachary Pearson — 2020-2021
- Helen (Holly) McGrath — 2019-2020
- Ciara Hopkinson — 2019-2020
- Olivia Lyons — 2019-2020
- Hibram Sanchez — 2019-2020

TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIPS

University of Toronto
- Introduction to Political Theory — 2015-2017
- Religion and Politics — 2015-2017
- Introduction to Political Theory, Head Teaching Assistant — 2014-2015
- Modern Political Theory — 2013-2014
- Ancient Political Thought — 2012
- Modern Political Thought — 2011-2012
- Introduction to Western Philosophy (as Undergraduate TA) — 2008-2009

McGill University
- The Moral Basis of Politics, Head Teaching Assistant — Fall 2010
- The Moral Basis of Politics — Winter 2010

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND SERVICE

SERVICE

Discipline

MPSA Section Head, Foundations of Political Theory 2021-2022

Peer Reviewer: *American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Political Theory, Political Research Quarterly, The Review of Politics, Journal of Politics, British Journal of the History Philosophy, Polity, Political Studies, Canadian Journal of Political Science*

Notre Dame

Intellectual Life Committee (PLS)	2021
Clements Award Committee (PLS)	2020
Rogers Award Committee (PLS)	2020
Interviewer, Notre Dame Scholars Program	2019
Committee Member, Otto A. Bird Award (PLS)	2019
Faculty Senate Delegate (PLS)	2018-2019

University of Toronto

Area Representative: Political Theory	2013-2015
Departmental Hiring Committee in Political Theory	2012

AFFILIATIONS

Fellow: Nanovic Institute	2021-
Fellow: Kellogg Institute for International Studies	2019-
Fellow: Northrop Frye Centre	2015-2016
Graduate Associate, Centre for Ethics, University of Toronto	2013-2016
Co-coordinator, Political Theory Research Workshop, University of Toronto	2014-2015
Member: Working Group on Animals in the Law and Humanities Jackman Humanities Institute, University of Toronto	2013-2015
Organizer: "New Frontiers in Ethics: Graduate Conference at the Centre for Ethics," University of Toronto	2014
Coordinator of the Graduate Associates at the Centre for Ethics University of Toronto	2013-2014
Fellow: RGCS (Research Group on Constitutional Studies) McGill University	2011

Professional Memberships: APSA, APT, MPSA

LANGUAGES

Read: English and French // Spoken: English (fluent) and French (moderate)