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Curriculum Vitae
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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Research Institute for Law, Politics and Justice; Keele University (UK); 2011

M.Litt. Departments of Philosophy and Politics; University of Stirling (UK); 2005

B.A. Department of Philosophy; University of Tennessee, Knoxville; 2004

A.A.S. Arts and Sciences; Wenatchee Valley College, Wenatchee; 1999

EMPLOYMENT

Since 2012 Lecturer; Department of Philosophy; University of Tennessee, Knoxville

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

AOS: Political Philosophy

AOC: Applied Ethics, Moral Philosophy

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Articles

2015 "Is There a Distinctively Associative Account of Political Obligation?" *Political Studies* 63/4: 903-918 (with John Horton).

2015 "Associative Political Obligations and the Distributive Objection." *Phenomenology and Mind* 9: 162-171 (with John Horton).

2012 "Law without Legitimacy or Justification? The Flawed Foundations of Philosophical Anarchism." *Res Publica* 18/2: 172-188.

Book Reviews

2015 "Defending Associative Duties." *Ethics and Social Welfare* 9/3: 322-324.

2010 "Political Obligation: A Critical Introduction." *In-Spire* 4/2: 114-115.

In Preparation

2018 "Gamification and Interdisciplinary Teaching." 38th SWPACA; Albuquerque, NM; Feb. 7-10.

2017 "Gamification and Higher Education." Teaching and Learning Center; University of Tennessee, Knoxville; TBD.

2017 "Gamification and Undergraduate Teaching." Philosophy Graduate Student Association; University of Tennessee, Knoxville; TBD.

AWARDS

2017 Experience Learning Faculty Development Grant; Experience Learning; University of Tennessee, Knoxville

2006-2010 Ph.D. Studentship; Research Institute for Law, Politics and Justice; Keele University (UK)

2004-2005 M.Litt. Bursary; Departments of Philosophy and Politics; University of Stirling (UK)

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

Panels Organized

2008 “The Calm before the Storm? Contemporary Challenges to the Concept of the Liberal State.” 2nd ECPR Grad Conference; Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (ES); Aug. 25-27.

Papers Presented

2017 “King Trumpkin Decrees a Ban on Elven Refugees! Philosophical Pedagogy, Tabletop Role-Playing Games, and the Ethics of Immigration.” 10th CPAC; Atlanta, GA; Sep. 1-4.

2017 “Would the Paladin Push the Fat Man? Exploring the Value of Tabletop Role-Playing Games for the Philosophy Classroom.” 38th SWPACA; Albuquerque, NM; Feb. 15-18. 9th CPAC; Atlanta, GA; Sep. 2-5, 2016.

2010 “Reconsidering the Analogy between the Family and the State.” 60th PSA Conference; Edinburgh (UK); Mar. 29-Apr. 1. 6th Workshops in Political Theory; Manchester Metropolitan University (UK); Sep. 2-4, 2009.

2008 “Associative Responsibilities, or Reconceptualizing Political Obligation.” Law and Philosophy Conference; University of Stirling (UK); Dec. 11-12.

2008 “Driving Through the Desert and Other Moral Dilemmas: The Depoliticization of Political Obligation.” 5th Workshops in Political Theory; Manchester Metropolitan University (UK); Sep. 10-12.

2008 “Natural and Nonnatural States.” 2nd ECPR Graduate Conference; Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (ES); Aug. 25-27.

2007 “Anarchism, Toothless and Otherwise.” 4th Workshops in Political Theory; Manchester Metropolitan University (UK); Sep. 3-5.

Campus Talks

2016 “Would the Paladin Push the Fat Man? Exploring the Value of Tabletop Role-Playing Games for the Philosophy Classroom.” UT Teaching and Learning Innovation Symposium; University of Tennessee, Knoxville; Nov. 2.

- 2015 “Associative Political Obligations and the Distributive Objection.” Work in Progress Research Group; University of Tennessee, Knoxville; Jun. 22.
- 2009 “Reconsidering the Analogy between the Family and the State.” Political Philosophy Research Seminar; Keele University (UK); Oct. 28.
- 2008 “Driving Through the Desert and Other Moral Dilemmas: The Depoliticization of Political Obligation.” 2nd ILPJ Postgraduate Conference; Keele University (UK); Sep. 4.
- 2008 “The Problem with the Problem of Political Obligation.” Political Philosophy Research Seminar; Keele University (UK); Feb. 27.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Department of Philosophy; University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Philosophical Foundations of Democracy (2017, 2016, 2015, 2014)

Professional Responsibility (2017, 2016, 2015, 2014)

Contemporary Moral Problems (2016, 2015)

Honors Introduction to Philosophy (2014)

Introduction to Philosophy (2014, 2013, 2012)

Foundation Year Centre; Keele University (UK)

Introduction to Ethics (2012)

Introduction to Philosophy (2011)

School of Politics, Philosophy, International Relations and Environment; Keele University (UK)

Critical Thinking (2010)

Justice and Social Values (2010, 2009, 2008, 2007)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Manuscript Review

American Journal of Political Science

European Journal of Political Theory

In-Spire

Journal of Politics

Journal of Social Philosophy

Political Studies

Res Publica

Social Theory and Practice

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE

University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Point of Contact; Simulations + Gaming + Role-Playing (SuGaR) Community of Scholars (CoS)

Faculty Advisor; Rohingya Awareness Organization

Ethics Bowl Judge; 8th THSEB; Feb. 4, 2017

Ethics Bowl Judge; 7th THSEB; Feb. 13, 2016

Ethics Bowl Organizer; 6th THSEB; 2014-2015

Philosophy Club "Meet the Faculty"; Sep. 10, 2014

Discussion Leader; 2014 Life of the Mind; Aug. 18, 2014

Ethics Bowl Organizer; 5th THSEB; 2013-2014

Rater for SACS General Education Assessment

Discussion Leader; 2013 Life of the Mind; Aug. 19, 2013

Ethics Bowl Judge; 4th THSEB; Feb. 13, 2013

Keele University (UK)

Staff-Student Liaison Committee Member

Student Projects Ethics Committee Member

Coordinator; *After Politics* Symposium; Mar. 26-27, 2008

Coordinator; ALSP Conference; Apr. 19-21, 2007

TRAINING

Experience Learning Summer Institute; University of Tennessee, Knoxville; May 23-Jun. 15, 2017

Level Up: Designing a Game-Based Learning Environment; Center for the Integration of Research, Teaching and Learning; Jun. 27, 2017.

How Games Can Be a Centerpiece for Student-Driven Learning; Common Sense Education; May 25, 2017.

Best Practices in Teaching Program; University of Tennessee, Knoxville; Sep. 12-Nov. 16, 2012

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Philosophical Association

American Political Science Association

British Philosophical Association (UK)

Political Studies Association (UK)

REFERENCES

Richard Aquila, Professor Emeritus and Interim Co-Head
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