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ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

Dean, College of Arts & Letters, Michigan State University   2015-

- Oversee the recruitment, development, evaluation and retention of outstanding students, faculty and staff, including department chairs and school and station directors;
- Prepare and manage the College's annual budget;
- Actively cultivate individuals and foundations and solicitation of philanthropy to support fulfillment of the College's mission;
- Represent the College to the University, its administration and other academic and administrative units as well as to relevant external audiences.

Associate Dean for Graduate and Undergraduate Education, College of the Liberal Arts, The Pennsylvania State University   2013-2015

- Administer 24 graduate and undergraduate programs with 777 graduate and 6,000 undergraduate students;
- Manage $14M graduate budget, $4.2M Summer Program, and $2M in Undergraduate Scholarship and Enrichment funds;
- Set priorities and make direct asks in the college's $113M development campaign;
- Lead faculty, head, and senior staff searches;
- Advise the Dean on hiring, tenure, and strategic planning decisions;
- Develop innovative curricula for World Campus and In-Residence Graduate and Undergraduate programs;
- Serve in leadership role on University-level committees: Elected Chair of The Administrative Council for Undergraduate Education (University Associate Deans); Middle States review Steering Committee; Chair, Middle States Subcommittee on Educational Offerings; General Education Reform Task Force; Chair, General Education Subcommittee on Budget; Serve on University Assessment Committee; Serve on Advisory Committee for Graduate Education.

Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies   2010-2013

- Established the Career Enrichment Network;
- Founded the Office of Digital Media, Pedagogy and Scholarship;
- Helped raise over $5M for the Paterno Fellows Program;
- Supervised more than 30 staff, including professional advisors, student records personnel, and administrative staff.

Acting Head, Department of Philosophy   Spring 2013

- Supervised over 20 faculty/lecturers and 8 staff;
- Increased Department's summer revenue from $152K to $227K.

Director of Graduate Studies ▪ Department of Philosophy   2005-2010

- Oversaw graduate recruitment, academic, and placement activities;
- Created Cultivating Under-represented Students in Philosophy (CUSP).

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Professor of Philosophy ▪ Department of Philosophy ▪ Michigan State University — 2015-

Professor of Philosophy and Classics ▪ Department of Philosophy ▪ Department of Classics and Mediterranean Studies ▪ The Pennsylvania State University — 2012-2015

Associate Professor of Philosophy and Classics ▪ Department of Philosophy ▪ Department of Classics and Mediterranean Studies ▪ The Pennsylvania State University — 2004-2012

Associate Professor of Philosophy ▪ Department of Philosophy ▪ Richard Stockton College of New Jersey — 2003-2004

Assistant Professor of Philosophy ▪ Department of Philosophy ▪ Richard Stockton College of New Jersey — 1999-2003

Teaching Fellow ▪ Universität Bremen ▪ Bremen, Germany — 1996

EDUCATION

Ph.D. **New School for Social Research** ▪ New York, New York — 1998

M.A. **New School for Social Research** ▪ New York, New York — 1995

B.A. **Wittenberg University** ▪ Springfield, Ohio — 1991

BOOKS

4. *Reiner Schürmann and the Poetics of Politics*, Punctum Books, forthcoming.
3. *Socratic and Platonic Political Philosophy: Practicing a Politics of Reading*, Cambridge University Press, 2014. (Traditional monograph and enhanced digital book: http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/CBO9781139628891.)
2. *Aristotle On the Nature of Truth*, Cambridge University Press, 2011.
1. *The Ethics of Ontology: Rethinking an Aristotelian Legacy*, Suny Series in Ancient Greek Philosophy. Albany: State University of New York Press, 2004.

BOOK CHAPTERS & JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

31. "Care of Death: On the Teaching of Reiner Schürmann." *Philosophy Today*, January 31, 2017. doi:10.5840/philtoday201713141.
30. "Pragmatism and the Cultivation of Digital Democracies." In *Richard J. Bernstein and the Expansion of American Philosophy: Thinking the Plural*, edited by Marcia Morgan and Megan Craig, 37–59. Lanham: Lexington Books, 2016.

29. "Dissemination as Cultivation: Scholarly Communications in a Digital Age." In *Doing Digital Humanities: Practice, Training, Research*, co-authored with "O'Sullivan, James and Mark A. Mattson; edited by Constance Crompton, Richard J. Lane, and Ray Siemens, Reprint edition. New York, NY: Routledge, 2016.

28. "Public Philosophy and Philosophical Publics: Performative Publishing and the Cultivation of Community." *The Good Society* 24, no. 2 (2015): 118–45; co-authored with André Rosenbaum de Avillez, Mark Fisher, Kris Klotz.

27. "On Touch and Life in the *De Anima*." In *Phenomenology and the Metaphysics of Sight*, edited by Antonio Cimino and Pavlos Kontos, (Leiden: Brill Academic Publisher, 2015, 69-94).

26. "Who Let the Dogs Out? Tracking the Philosophical Life Among the Wolves and Dogs of Plato's *Republic*." In *Plato's Animals: Gadflies, Snakes, Stingrays, Swans, and Other Philosophical Beasts*, edited by Jeremy Bell and Michael Naas, (Bloomington, IN: Indiana University Press, 2015). Available in Open Access Format: http://hdl.handle.net/2022/19576

25. "The Peripatetic Method: Walking with Woodbridge, Thinking with Aristotle." In *The Bloomsbury Companion to Aristotle*, edited by Claudia Baracchi, (London: Bloomsbury Publishing, 2014).

24. "Socrates: Platonic Political Ideal." *Valores y Ideas*, 61, 149 (2012): 11-49.

23. "Attempting the Political Art: Socrates, Plato and the Politics of Truth." *Proceedings for the Boston Area Colloquium in Ancient Philosophy*, 27 (2012): 153-74.

22. "Crisis of Community: The Topology of Socratic Politics in the *Protagoras*." *Epoché*, 15, 2 (2011): 361-377.

21. "Cultivating Communities of Learning with Digital Media: Cooperative Education Through Blogging and Podcasting." *Teaching Philosophy*, 33, 4 (2010): 347-361.

20. "The Voice of Singularity and a Philosophy to Come: Schürmann, Kant and the Pathology of Being." *Philosophy Today*, 53 Supplement (2009): 138-150.

19. "The Duplicity of Beginning: Schürmann, Aristotle and the Origins of Metaphysics." *The Graduate Faculty Philosophy Journal*, 29, 2 (2008): 145-159.

18. "*Nous* and *Logos* in Aristotle." *Freiburger Zeitschrift für Philosophie und Theologie* 54, 3 (2007): 348-367; co-authored with Richard A. Lee, Jr.

17. "The Daughters of Metis: Patriarchal Dominion and the Politics of the Between." *The Graduate Faculty Philosophy Journal*, 28, 2 (2007): 67-86.

16. "Is there Method in this Madness? Context, Play and Laughter in Plato's *Symposium* and *Republic*." In *Philosophy in Dialogue: Plato's Many Devices*, edited by Gary Alan Scott (Evanston, IL: Northwestern University Press, 2007), 172-192.

15. "Socrates and the Politics of Music: Preludes of the Republic." *Polis* 24, no. 1 (2007): 70-90.

14. "Aristotle's Phenomenology of Form: The Shape of Beings that Become." *Epoché* 11, no. 2 (2007): 435-48.

13. "Saving *Ta Legomena*: Aristotle and the History of Philosophy." *The Review of Metaphysics* 60 (2006): 247-67.

12. "The Ethical Culmination of Aristotle's Metaphysics," *Epoché* 8, 1 (2003): 121-140.

11. "Dancing Naked with Socrates: Pericles, Aspasia and Socrates at Play with Politics, Rhetoric and Philosophy." *Ancient Philosophy* 23, (2003): 49-69.

10. "Totalizing Identities: The Ambiguous Legacy of Aristotle and Hegel after Auschwitz." *Philosophy and Social Criticism* 29, no. 2 (2003): 213-44.

9. "Between the Universal and the Singular in Aristotle." *Telos* 126, (2003): 25-40.

8. "The Ontological Reappropriation of *Phronesis*." *Continental Philosophy Review* 35, no. 1 (2002): 35-60.

7. "Between Reification and Mystification: Rethinking the Economy of Principles." *Telos* 120, (2001): 92-112; co-authored with Richard Lee.

6. "The Rhetoric of the Geometrical Method: Spinoza's Double Strategy." *Philosophy and Rhetoric* 34, no. 4 (2001): 292-307.

5. "Art's Fateful Hour: Benjamin, Heidegger, Art and Politics." *New German Critique* no. 83 (2001): 89-115.

4. "The Hegemony of Form and the Resistance of Matter." *Graduate Faculty Philosophy Journal* 21, no. 2 (1999): 21-46.

3. "Two Powers, One Ability: The Understanding and Imagination in Kant's Critical Philosophy." *The Southern Journal of Philosophy* XXXVI, no. 2 (1998): 233-53.

2. "A Fissure in the Distinction: Hannah Arendt, the Family and the Public/Private Dichotomy." *The Journal of Philosophy and Social Criticism* 24, no. 5 (1998): 85-104.

1. "Reluctant Transcendence: The Face to Face in Levinas's *Totality and Infinity*." *Conference* 5, no. 1 (1994): 19-34.

REVIEWS, TRANSLATIONS, POPULAR PRESS & OTHER PUBLICATIONS

"Philosophy at Home." *Inside Higher Education*, May 12, 2016, co-authored with Michael O'Rourke. https://www.insidehighered.com/views/2016/05/12/land-grant-universities-can-reinvigorate-philosophys-focus-societal-challenges

"Restructure the Humanities PhD." *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, June 23, 2014. http://chronicle.com/article/Restructure-the-Humanities/147203/.

"Where They Are Now." *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, February 10, 2014, co-authored with Susan Welch. http://chronicle.com/article/Where-They-Are-Now/144627/.

Review of *Plato and the Limits of Human Life*, by Sara Brill (Indiana University Press, 2013). In *Bryn Mawr Classical Reviews*, forthcoming.

Review of *Plato's Philosophers: The Coherence of the Dialogues*, by Catherine Zuckert (Chicago University Press, 2009). In *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, February 2012. http://ndpr.nd.edu/news/28648-plato-s-philosophers-the-coherence-of-the-dialogues/

Review of *The Descent of Socrates: Self-knowledge and Cryptic Nature in the Platonic Dialogues*, by Peter A. Warnek (Indianapolis, IN: Indiana University Press, 2006). In *The Continental Philosophy Review*, 45, 2 (2012).

Review of *Does Socrates Have a Method? Rethinking the Elenchus in Plato's Dialogues and Beyond*, edited by Gary Alan Scott (University Park, PA: Penn State University Press). In *The Review of Metaphysics*, 57 (2004): 650-2.

Review of *Contemporary Portrayals of Auschwitz: Philosophical Challenges*, edited by Rosenberg, Alan, James Watson and Detlef Linke (Amherst, New York: Humanity Books, 2000). In *Journal of Speculative Philosophy*, 15, 1 (2001): 62-65.

"Imagination/Einbildungskraft." In *Enzyklopädie Philosophie*, edited by Hans Jörg Sandkühler, 615-18. Hamburg: Felix Meiner Verlag, 1999.

Diner, Dan. "Nation, Migration and Memory – On Historical Concepts of Citizenship," *Constellations*, trans. by Christopher Long in conjunction with the author, 4, 3 (1998): 293-306.

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

Big Ten Academic Alliance Less Commonly Taught Languages Partnership ▪ *The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, Higher Education Program* ▪ Principal Investigator ▪ $1,200,000 grant to foster collaboration across the CIC in the teaching and learning of less commonly taught languages.
2016-18

The Public Philosophy Journal ▪ *The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, Scholarly Communications and Information Technology Program* ▪ Principal Investigator ▪ $549,000 grant to develop the open access, open peer review *Public Philosophy Journal*: http://www.publicphilosophyjournal.org
2015-16

The Public Philosophy Journal ▪ *The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, Scholarly Communications and Information Technology Program* ▪ Principal Investigator ▪ $236,000 grant to create the open access, open peer review *Public Philosophy Journal*: http://www.publicphilosophyjournal.org
2013-14

Education Technology Services Summer Faculty Fellowship ▪ *The Pennsylvania State University*
2009

Research and Professional Development Grant ▪ *Stockton College*
2002

Open Hearts, Open Minds ▪ *National Endowment for the Humanities* ▪ Associate Project Director, $145,000 grant to foster Holocaust Education in local middle schools
2001

Research and Professional Development Mini Grant ▪ *Stockton College*
2001

Distinguished Faculty Fellowship ▪ *Stockton College*
2001

Research and Professional Development Grant ▪ *Stockton College*
2000

Alfred Schutz Memorial Dissertation Award ▪ *New School for Social Research*
1998

Short Term Travel Grant ▪ *Deutsche Akademische Austauschdienst (DAAD)*
1997

Sugihara Dissertation Fellowship ▪ *New School for Social Research*
1996

Dean's Teaching Fellowship ▪ *Eugene Lang College, New School University*
1996

Summer Language Fellowship ▪ *Carl Schurz Gesellschaft, Bremen, Germany*   1994

Dean's Tuition Fellowship ▪ *New School for Social Research*   1991-94

Summer Language Fellowship ▪ *Deutsche Akademische Austauschdienst (DAAD)*   1992
    Herder Institute, Leipzig, Germany

Robert D. Remsberg Award for Excellence in Philosophy ▪ *Wittenberg University*   1991

PAPERS, PRESENTATIONS, CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

- [Tweeting the Liberal Arts @Muhlenberg #MCLA16](#), **Keynote Address and Workshop: Muhlenberg College, Allentown, PA**, February 1, 2016.

- [Is Reading Writing?](#), **Un-Keynote Address: The Writing in Digital Environments/Eastern Michigan Un-Conference**, October 12, 2015.

- *Performing Collaborative Scholarship*, **Keynote Address: Bucknell Digital Scholarship Conference: Engaging Students in Faculty Research**, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, PA November 13, 2014.

- *Philosophy and the Networked Public*, **Society for Phenomenology and Existentialist Philosophy**, New Orleans, LA, October 23rd, 2014.

- *The Ethics of Philosophy in a Digital Age*, **Thinking the Plural Conference**, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY, September 26, 2014.

- *The Engaged PhD*, **Center for American Literary Studies, Symposium of #Alt-Ac**, Penn State, September 15, 2014.

- *Socratic and Platonic Politics*, **Miami University**, Miami, OH, September 5th, 2014.

- *The Public Philosophy Journal*, **Digital Humanities 2014**, Lausanne, Switzerland, July 10th, 2014.

- *Cultivating an Online Scholarly Presence*, **Michigan State University**, East Lansing, MI, March 27, 2014.

- *Public Digital Scholarship*, **American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division**, Baltimore, MD, December 29, 2013.

- *Socrates, Plato and Digital Scholarship*, **Emory Center for Digital Scholarship**, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, September 25th, 2013.

- *Reading the Death of Socrates*, **Wittenberg University**, Springfield, OH, September 19, 2013.

- *eBook as Ecosystem of Scholarly Communication*, **Digital Humanities 2013**, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE, July 19, 2013.

- *Liberal Arts and the Ethical Imagination*, Keynote Address at **Newman University**, Wichita, KS, March 26, 2013.

- *The Public Philosophy Journal*, **Public Philosophy Conference**, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, March 16, 2013.

- *Public Philosophy in Digital Dialogue*, **Public Philosophy Conference**, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, March 15, 2013.

- *Liberal Arts and Politics*, Keynote address to 600 First Year Students at the **Catholic**

University of America, Washington, DC, November 28, 2012.

- *Plato and the Politics of Reading* at the **University of San Francisco**, San Francisco, CA, October 21, 2012.

- *Digital Scholarship and the Institutional Culture* at the **Humanities, Arts, Science, Technology Advanced Collaboratory (HASTAC)**, hosted by the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, December 2, 2011.

- *Philosophy and the Digital Public* at the **Advancing Public Philosophy Conference**, hosted by the Public Philosophy Network, Washington, D.C., October 7, 2011.

- *The Politics of Finitude in Plato's* Phaedo at the **Freiburger Hermeneutisches Kolloquium**, Freiburg Instituted of Advanced Studies, July 2, 2011, Freiburg, Germany.

- *The Politics of Truth* at **Kansas University**, April 25, 2011, Lawrence, KS.

- Author response, Book Panel on *Aristotle on the Nature of Truth* at the **Ancient Philosophy Society**, April 14, 2011, Utah Valley University, Sundance, UT.

- *Curating your Digital Vita* at the **Academy for Teaching and Learning**, March 29, 2011, Baylor University, Waco, TX.

- *Cultivating Communities of Education* at the **Teaching and Learning with Technology Symposium**, March 26, 2011, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA.

- *Attempting the Political Art* at the **Boston Area Colloquium for Ancient Philosophy**, March 17, 2011, Boston College, Boston, MA.

- *Aristotle's Phenomenology of Truth* at the **Universidad de los Andes**, February 24, 2011, Bogotá, Colombia.

- *New Media Literacies*, Keynote Address at the Teaching and Learning with Technology Tailgate Workshop, November 13, 2010, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA.

- *Crisis of Community: The Topology of Socratic Politics in the* Protagoras at the **Ancient Philosophy Society**, April 22-25, 2010, Michigan State, East Lansing, MI.

- *Teaching and Learning in Digital Dialogue* at the **Teaching and Learning with Technology Symposium**, March 27th, 2010, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA.

- *Blogging the Philosophical Life*, presented on the panel for Teaching Philosophy dedicated to "Engaging with New Technologies" at the Central Division of the **American Philosophical Association**, February 19th, 2010, Chicago, IL.

- *A Father's Touch, A Daughter's Voice: Antigone, Oedipus and Ismene at Colonus*, presented at Utah Valley University, **Honors Program Symposium** on *Women in Sophocles*, November 16, 2009, Orem, UT.

- *On Saying the Beautiful in Light of the Good*, Keynote Address at the **West Virginia Philosophical Society**, October 9, 2009, held at Penn State Altoona, Altoona, PA.

- *The Metaphysics of Truth* at the **Metaphysical Society of America** session at the American Philosophical Association Eastern Division meeting, December 30, 2008, Philadelphia, PA.

- *Between Natality and Mortality, Reiner Schürmann, Kant and the Pathology of Being* at the **Society for Phenomenology and Existentialist Philosophy**, October 2008, Dusquesne University, Pittsburgh, PA.

- *Ontological Response-ability and the Ethics of Truth* at the Albert-Ludwigs-Universität

Freiburg, June 19-20, 2008, Freiburg, Germany.

- *The Duplicity of Beginning: Schürmann, Aristotle and the Origins of Metaphysics* at the **Ancient Philosophy Society**, April 10-13, 2008, The New School for Social Research, New York, NY.

- *The Peripatetic Methodology: Walking with Woodbridge, Thinking with Aristotle* at the **Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy**, March 13-15, 2008, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.

- *The Saying of Things: Toward a Phenomenological Naturalism* at the **Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy**, March 8-10, 2007, University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina.

- Author response, Book Panel on *The Ethics of Ontology* at the **Ancient Philosophy Society**, April 19-21, 2006, DePaul University, Chicago, IL.

- Taught a Seminar on Plato's *Second and Seventh Letters* and the *Pheadrus*, **Collegium Phänomenologicum**, July 11-29, 2005, Città di Castello, Umbria, Italy.

- *Aristotle's Phenomenology of Form: The Shape of Beings that Become*, at the **Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy**, October 28-30, 2004, Memphis, Tenn.

- *From Truth to Justice: Phronesis, the Practical Syllogism and the Contingency of Episteme* at **Aristotle Conference**, March, 2004, Lewis University, Romeoville, IL.

- *Socrates and the Politics of Art* at the **International Association of Philosophy and Literature**, May 26-31, 2003, University of Leeds, England.

- Taught a Seminar on Plato's *Sophist*, **Collegium Phänomenologicum**, July 15 to August 2, 2002, Città di Castello, Umbria, Italy.

- *Dancing Naked with Socrates: Pericles, Aspasia and Socrates at Play with Politics, Rhetoric and Philosophy* at the **Ancient Philosophy Society**, April 19-21, 2002, University of Colorado at Denver, Denver, CO.

- *The Ethical Culmination of Aristotle's* Metaphysics at the **Ancient Philosophy Society**, April 6-8, 2001, Villanova University, Villanova, PA.

- *The Ontological Reappropriation of* Phronesis at the **SSIPS/SAGP 2000**, October 27-29, 2000, Binghamton University, Binghamton, NY.

- *Towards a Dynamic Conception of* ousia*: Rethinking an Aristotelian Legacy* at the **20th World Congress in Philosophy**, August 1998, Boston, MA; published on the Web at: www.bu.edu/wcp/Papers/Anci/AnciLong.htm.

- *Die energetische Einheit von Herkunft und Zukunft. Aristoteles und Hegel über den Sinn von Seiendem als Erbe* at the Universität Bremen, Bremen, Germany, published in *Bremer Philosophica*, 1996/7.

AFFILIATIONS, MEMBERSHIPS & JOURNAL EDITORSHIPS

- Editor and Co-Founder ▪ Public Philosophy Journal
- Editor ▪ Journal of General Education: A Curricular Commons of the Humanities and Sciences
- Board of Trustees ▪ Open Access Network
- Journal of Speculative Philosophy ▪ Editorial Board Member

- Ancient Philosophy Society ▪ Executive Board Member (2004-present) ▪ Co-Director (2005-2009) ▪ Treasurer (2009-present) ▪ Webmaster (2004-present)
- Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy ▪ Webmaster (2008-present)

LANGUAGES

German ▪ fluent in reading, speaking and writing; **French** ▪ proficiency in reading; **Ancient Greek** ▪ reading knowledge; **Latin** ▪ proficiency in reading.

OTHER EXPERIENCE

- **Programmer/Analyst** ▪ *New School for Social Research*   1998-1999
- **Assistant to the Registrar** ▪ *New School for Social Research*   1996-1998

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