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### ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Loyola Marymount University, 2018-present  
Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Houston, 2017-2018

### EDUCATION

Ph.D., Philosophy, Rice University  
M.A., Philosophy, Simon Fraser University  
B.A. (Honors), Philosophy, Point Loma Nazarene University, *Magna cum Laude*

### AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Ethics, Moral Psychology, Ancient Philosophy

### AREAS OF COMPETENCE

Feminist Philosophy, Biomedical Ethics, Social & Political Philosophy

### PUBLICATIONS

#### Peer-Reviewed Articles:

- “Moral Development, Ethical Transformation, and Practice,” *American Association of Philosophy Teachers Studies in Pedagogy* 6 (2023): 161-177.
- “Empathy and Loving Attention,” *Royal Institute of Philosophy Supplement* 92 (2022): 209-227.
- “Why Aristotle’s Virtuous Agent Won’t Forgive: Aristotle on *Sungnōmē*, *Praotēs*, and *Megalopsychia*,” in *Conflict and Resolution: The Ethics of Forgiveness, Revenge, and Punishment* (eds. Paula Satne and Krisanna M. Scheiter), Springer (2022): 189-205.
- “Completeness, Self-Sufficiency, and Intimacy in Seneca’s Account of Friendship,” *Ancient Philosophy Today: Dialogoi* 3, 2 (2021): 200-221.
- “*Sungnōmē* in Aristotle,” *Apeiron* 50, 3 (2017): 311-333.

#### Reviews:

Review of Sara Protasi’s *The Philosophy of Emy*, *Journal of Moral Philosophy* 21 (2024): 203–247.

### PRESENTATIONS (SELECTED)

#### Refereed Conference Presentations:

2023 “Moral Failure and Models of Moral Development.” Irish Philosophical Society Annual Conference, October 20-21, Mary Immaculate College of Limerick.

- 2023 “Contempt, Self-Respect, and Humanity.” Mentoring Workshop for Early Career Women Faculty in Philosophy, June 11-13, University of Missouri, Columbia.
- 2022 “Contempt, Self-Respect, and Humanity.” 4<sup>th</sup> CNY Moral Psychology Workshop, December 2, LeMoyne College.
- 2022 “Oral Exams and Philosophical Conversational Skills.” American Association of Philosophy Teachers Conference, July 27-31, Otterbein University.
- 2021 “Contempt, Self-Respect, and Dehumanization.” Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress 2021, August 12-16, University of Colorado, Boulder.
- 2021 “The Character Project: Ethical Identity Formation in Practice.” American Association of Philosophy Teachers, July 14, virtual. [*originally scheduled for July 2020*]
- 2021 “Judgment and Sanction in Aristotle’s Account of Blame.” 2021 New Mexico-Texas Philosophical Society Conference, May 21-22, virtual.
- 2020 “Contempt, Self-Respect, and Dehumanization.” 37th International Social Philosophy Conference, July 16-18, Neumann University. [*cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic*]
- 2020 “Virtue, Continence, and Flourishing.” Jubilee Centre 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference: Virtues and the Flourishing Life, January 3-5, University of Oxford.
- 2019 “Socratic Intellectualism in the *Protagoras*.” West Coast Plato Workshop, May 24-26, San Diego State University.
- 2019 “Honor as a Virtue.” American Philosophical Association Pacific Division Meeting, April 17-20, Vancouver, BC.
- 2018 “Honor and Virtue.” Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress 2018, August 9-12, University of Colorado, Boulder.
- 2018 “Defending Honor as a Virtue.” 2018 Australian Association of Philosophy-New Zealand Association of Philosophy Conference, July 8-12, Victoria University of Wellington.
- 2018 “The Good of Moral Shaping in Friendship.” 2018 New Mexico-Texas Philosophical Society Conference, April 6-7, Houston, TX.
- 2017 “Judgment and Sanction in Aristotle’s Account of Blame.” Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy Annual Meeting, October 21-22, Fordham University.
- 2016 “Aristotle on Blame and Moral Responsibility: Voluntariness, Vice, and Non-Rational Agents.” Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy Annual Meeting, October 28-30, Fordham University.
- 2016 “Aristotle on *Sungnōmē*, Equity, and Blame.” Aristotle World Congress 2016: 2,400 Years, May 23-28, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.
- 2016 “Friendship and the Nature of the Stoic Good.” American Philosophical Association Eastern Division Meeting (Symposium), January 6-9, Washington, D.C.
- 2015 “Aristotle on Blame, Sympathy, and Equity.” Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy Annual Meeting, October 23-25, Fordham University.
- 2015 “The Case for Honor as a Virtue.” Neglected Virtues Conference, August 13-15, University of Auckland.
- 2015 “Friendship and the Nature of the Stoic Good.” British Society for the History of Philosophy Annual Conference, April 9-11, University of York.

- 2015 “Friendship and the Nature of the Stoic Good.” 2015 New Mexico-Texas Philosophical Society Conference, March 27-29, University of Houston.
- 2014 “Socratic Intellectualism in the *Protagoras*.” Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy Annual Meeting, October 24-26, Fordham University.
- 2014 “Friendship and the Nature of the Stoic Good.” American Philosophical Association Pacific Division Meeting (Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy Session), April 16-19, San Diego, CA.
- 2013 “Reconciling Theoretical Virtue as the Final Good in *NE X.6-8*.” Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy Annual Meeting, October 11-13, Fordham University.
- 2013 “The Good of Moral Shaping in Friendship.” 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Felician Ethics Conference, April 20, Felician College.

**Invited Presentations:**

- 2022 “Completeness, Self-Sufficiency, and Intimacy in Seneca’s Account of Friendship.” Georgia State University, Stoicism Seminar, March 24.
- 2022 “The Ethics of Class Participation.” American Association of Philosophy Teachers, Talking Teaching Session, February 14.
- 2022 “Attending to the Other.” Ball State University, Philosophy Colloquium, February 9.
- 2021 “Empathy, Loving Attention, and Justice.” Royal Institute of Philosophy Workshop: Values and Virtues in a Changing World, September 15-16.
- 2020 “Contempt, Self-Respect, and Dehumanization: Why Self-Respecting Agents Should Reject Contempt.” American Philosophical Association Central Division Meeting (North American Society for Social Philosophy Session), Chicago, IL, February 26-29.
- 2019 “Defending Honor as a Virtue.” Pepperdine University, Department Colloquium, January 30.
- 2017 “Agency and Flourishing in Forgiveness.” Northwestern University, Women in Philosophy Philosophy Colloquium (Chicagoland), Northwestern University, June 16.
- 2016 “Aristotle on *Sungnōmē* and Equity.” University of St. Thomas, Department Colloquium, April 29.

**Commentaries:**

- 2021 Reuben Sass, “Defending a Connection between Anger and Judgments of Blameworthiness.” New Mexico-Texas Philosophical Society, May 21-22.
- 2018 Jerry Green, “*Phronesis* in the Undisputed Books of the *Nicomachean* and *Eudemean Ethics*.” New Mexico-Texas Philosophical Society Conference, Houston, TX, April 6-7.
- 2016 Allison Piñeros Glasscock, “Meno’s Memory and Learning as Recollecting.” Athena in Action Workshop, Princeton University, August 16-19.
- 2016 Dioné Harley, “The Goal of Habituation in Aristotle: Against a Robust Account.” 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Workshop in Ancient Philosophy, Rice University, February 19-20.
- 2015 Mayra Valadez, “Non-Ideal Virtue Theory and a Scalar Conception of Character.” New Mexico-Texas Philosophical Society Conference, University of Houston, March 27-29.

**Internal Presentations:**

- 2023 “Ethical Questions about Reproductive Rights.” Psychology Capstone Seminar: Gender and Diversity, April 3, Loyola Marymount University.
- 2023 “Evil.” Philosophy-Psychology Panel Discussion, Psychology Department Colloquium, March 24, Loyola Marymount University.
- 2023 “Humility as a Contested Virtue.” Faculty Panel on Humility, Philosophy Department Colloquium, March 17, Loyola Marymount University.
- 2023 “Empathy and Loving Attention.” Honors Research Colloquium, February 17, Loyola Marymount University.
- 2021 “Contempt, Self-Respect, and Dehumanization.” Philosophy Department Colloquium, April 23, Loyola Marymount University.
- 2019 “A Feminist Defense of Forgiveness.” Faculty Research Symposium, November 1, Loyola Marymount University.
- 2019 “Completeness, Self-Sufficiency, and Intimacy in Seneca’s Account of Friendship.” Philosophy Department Colloquium, April 26, Loyola Marymount University.
- 2016 “Honor as Integrity.” Philosophy Work in Progress Series, November 10, Rice University.
- 2015 “Blame and Forgiveness.” Philosophy Work in Progress Series, March 27, Rice University.
- 2014 “Friendship and the Nature of the Stoic Good.” Philosophy Work in Progress Series, April 4, Rice University.

TEACHING

**Courses:**

- Ethical Theory, Loyola Marymount University (Spring 2021, Spring 2023, Spring 2024)
- Ethics, Loyola Marymount University (Fall 2018, Spring 2018 x2, Fall 2019, Spring 2020 x2, Spring 2022)
- Feminist Philosophy Seminar, Loyola Marymount University (Fall 2020, Fall 2022, Fall 2024)
- First Year Seminar: The Ethics of Citizenship, Patriotism, & Globalization, Loyola Marymount University (Fall 2019, Fall 2020)
- First Year Seminar: Philosophy of Love & Friendship (Fall 2024)
- Honors Beyond Good and Evil, Loyola Marymount University (Fall 2023 x2)
- Moral Psychology Graduate Seminar, Loyola Marymount University (Spring 2023)
- Philosophical Inquiry, Loyola Marymount University (Summer 2020, Summer 2021, Spring 2022 x2, Fall 2022)
- raceSEXgender, Loyola Marymount University (Summer 2023)
- Virtue Ethics Graduate Seminar, Loyola Marymount University (Fall 2018, Spring 2021)
- Honors Human Situation Seminar: Antiquity, University of Houston (Fall 2017 x2)
- Honors Human Situation Seminar: Modernity, University of Houston (Spring 2018 x2)
- Honors Medical Ethics, University of Houston (Fall 2017, Spring 2018)
- Contemporary Moral Issues, Rice University (Spring 2015)
- Introduction to Feminist Philosophy, Rice University (Spring 2016)

**Directed Studies:**

*Undergraduate:* Feminist Philosophy; Forgiveness & Virtue; Sexual Ethics; Ancient Philosophy

*Graduate:* Contemporary Ethics; Feminist Philosophy (x2)

**Student Research Mentorship:**

Annika Chen, Rains Fellowship (2023-2024)

Marisa Torre, Summer Undergraduate Research Program (Summer 2022)

Robyn Wilkinson, University Honors Program Research (Spring 2021)

**AWARDS AND HONORS (SELECTED)**

*Bellarmino College of Liberal Arts Summer Research and Writing Grant*, Loyola Marymount University, 2019

*John W. Gardner Award for Best Dissertation in the Humanities*, Rice University, 2018

*Athena in Action Funding Award*, Princeton University, 2016

*High Level of Excellence Graduate Funding*, Aristotle World Congress, 2016

*Dean's Summer Research Funding*, Dean of Humanities, Rice University (2015 & 2016)

*Research Project Funding*, Humanities Research Center, Rice University (2014, 2015, & 2016)

**SERVICE (SELECTED)**

**Professional Service:**

- Organizer, AAPT-APA Teaching Hub for the Pacific APA (2023-present)
- American Association for Philosophy Teachers (AAPT) Conference Program Committee (2023-present)
- Convenor, AAPT Keynote Speaker Sub-Committee (2023-present)
- AAPT Teaching & Learning Committee (2021-2022)
- Job Candidate Mentoring Program for Women in Philosophy (2018-2019)

**University Service at Loyola Marymount University:**

- Honors Program Core Advisor (2023-present)
- Ethics Task Force (2023-present)
- Honors Advisory Council (2023-present)
- Faculty Handbook & Academic Life Committee (2022-2023)
- University Core Curriculum Committee: Foundations & Quantitative Literacy (2020-2021)

**Department Service at Loyola Marymount University:**

- Graduate Admissions Committee (2022-present)
- 4+1 Task Force (2022-2023)
- Lecturer Promotion Committee (2021, 2022)

- Academic Advisor for Philosophy Majors (2019-present)
- LMU/Pepperdine Undergraduate Conference Co-Organizer (2019-present)
- Graduate Assessment Committee (2019-present)
- M.A. Oral Examiner (2019, 2020, 2021, 2023)
- Faculty Library Representative (2018-2020)