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EDUCATION

Northwestern University, M.A., Ph.D., philosophy
Identity and Differing: Husserl on Time and the Ego

Vanderbilt University, B.A., philosophy, *magna cum laude*
Phi Beta Kappa

RECENT HONORS AND AWARDS

Dean's Award for Excellence in Service as Graduate Program Director, 2021
Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Advanced Studies, University College London, 2018-19
Dean's Award for Excellence in Mentoring Graduate Students, 2016
Research Fellowship, CAVE (Center for Agency, Values, and Ethics), Macquarie University, Sydney, 2014
Visiting Fellowship in Ethics and Philosophy, LSHTM (London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine), 2013-14

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Co-Founder and Co-director (2007-2017), The Irigaray Circle (10th annual conference, Washington, D.C., June 2019) www.irigaray.org

Founding Editor (2007-2017), *IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics*, published semiannually since 2008. www.ijfab.org

Editorial Board, *Mean Streets: a journal of crime fiction*, Pace University Press

Editor, Section on Gender, *Encyclopedia of Food and Agricultural Ethics* (Springer, 2014) <http://refworks.springer.com/mrw/index.php?id=3788>

Affiliated Faculty, Department of Art and Art History, Department of Comparative Literature and Cultural Studies, and College of Business, Stony Brook University

PUBLICATIONS

- **Books**

The Betrayal of Substance: literature, death, and sexual difference in Hegel's Phenomenology of Spirit, New York: Columbia University Press, January 2021, 306 ms. pp.

Just Life: bioethics and the future of sexual difference, New York: Columbia University Press, 2016, 266 pp.

- **Edited Books**

The Ontology of Sexual Difference: Thinking with Irigaray, with James Sares, New York: Columbia University Press, under contract, 2022.

Routledge Handbook of Food Ethics, with Caleb Ward, London: Routledge, 2016, 452 pp.

Engaging the World: Thinking After Irigaray, Albany: SUNY Press, 2016, 300 pp.

Global Food, Global Justice: essays on eating under globalization, with Caleb Ward, Newcastle upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2015, 168 pp.

Labor and Justice: the ethics of labor practices in the age of globalization, with Wim Vandekerckhove, Ronald Commers, and Tim R. Johnston, Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 2014, 222 pp.

Thinking with Irigaray, with Sabrina Hom and Serene Khader, Albany: SUNY Press, 2011, 303 pp.

The Voice of Breast Cancer in Medicine and Bioethics, with Shannon Lundeen, Dordrecht, Netherlands: Springer Series in Philosophy and Medicine, vol. 88, 2006, 205 pp.

Derrida and Feminism: Recasting the Question of Woman, with Ellen Feder and Emily Zakin, New York: Routledge, 1997, 214 pp.

- **Edited Journal Special Issues**

10th Anniversary Issue, IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics, vol. 10, no. 1, 2017, 264 pp.

Just Food: bioethics, gender, and the ethics of eating, Special Issue of *IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics*, vol. 8.1, 2015, 279 pp.

Voice, Power, and Responsibility in Health Care, Special Issue of *IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics*, vol. 2, no. 2, 2009, 178 pp.

Doing Feminist Bioethics, Special Issue of *IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics*, vol. 1, no.1, 2008, 197 pp.

Feminist Bioethics, with Norah Martin, Special Issue of *Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*, vol. 26, no.4, 2001, 112 pp.

Philosophical Reflections on Reproductive Technologies, with Norah Martin, Special Issue of *Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*, vol. 21, no. 5, 1996, 113 pp.

Philosophical Problems in Psychiatric Nosology, Special Issue of *Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*, vol. 20, no. 2, 1994, 113 pp.

The Future of Psychiatry, with S. Youngner, Special Issue of *Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*, vol. 15, no.1, 1990, 112 pp.

The Contributions of Michel Foucault to the Philosophy of Medicine, Special Issue of *Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*, vol. 12, no. 3, 1987, 111 pp.

- **Peer Reviewed Articles and Book Chapters**

Justice in an Unjust World: the Politics of Narration in Luce Irigaray and Frank Miller's *Sin City*, in *Horizons of Difference: Rethinking Place, Space, and Identity with Irigaray*, Ruthanne C. Kim, Yvette Russell, and Brenda Sharp, eds., Albany: SUNY Press, forthcoming, 2021, 27 ms. pp.

Long Distances: Touration, Travel, and the Ethics of Tourism, in *Philosophy, Travel, and Place: Being in Transit*, Ron Scapp and Brian Seitz, eds., London: Palgrave Macmillan, 2018, pp. 7-50.

- **Peer Reviewed Articles and Book Chapters (cont'd.)**

The Climate of Food: Justice, Truth, and Structural Change, in *Food, Environment, and Climate Change: Justice at the Intersections*, Erinn Cuniff Gilson and Sarah Kenehan, eds., London: Rowman and Littlefield, 2018, pp. 91-118.

Women's Work: Ethics, Homecooking, and the Sexual Politics of Food, in *Routledge Handbook of Food Ethics*, Routledge, 2016, pp. 61-71.

Game Change: Philosophy After Irigaray, in *Engaging the World: Thinking After Irigaray*, Albany: SUNY Press, 2016, 65-75.

Biopolitics, Bioethics, and the Capitalization of Female Bodies, in *Poetic Biopolitics*, Peg Rawes, ed, London: I.B. Tauris, 2016, pp. 24-45.

Meaningful Work: labor, gender, and justice under globalization, in *Labor and Justice*, Lexington Books, 2014, pp. 23-42.

Beyond Antigone: Ismene, Gender, and the Right to Life, in *The Returns of Antigone*, Tina Chanter and Sean Kirkland, eds., Albany: SUNY Press, 2014, pp. 101-124.

Women's Rights, Human Rights: Rethinking Universalism in Bioethics, in *Feminist Bioethics: at the centre, on the margins*, Jackie Leach Scully, Laurel Baldwin-Ragaven, and Petya Fitzpatrick, eds., Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2010, pp. 107-130.

La búsqueda de la universalidad: Reflexiones sobre el anteproyecto de la Declaración Universal sobre Bioética y Derechos Humanos, translated by Silvia Woods, in *Revista Perspectivas Bioéticas*, 2009, pp. 124-132.

Toward an Ethics of Place: a philosophical analysis of cultural tourism, *International Studies in Philosophy*, XXXVIII/2, 2007, pp. 141-158.

Liminal Ethics: Literature as Moral Philosophy, in *Literature and Philosophy: A Guide to Contemporary Debates*, David Rudrum, ed., London: Palgrave Publishers, 2006, pp. 129-141.

Forgiveness: Beyond Virtue and the Law, in *Trauma and Truth*, Nancy Potter, ed., New York: Oxford University Press, 2006, pp. 137-171.

The Contingency of Goodness, in *Interrogating Ethics*, J. Hatley, ed., Pittsburgh: Duquesne University Press, 2006, pp. 65-90.

- **Peer Reviewed Articles and Book Chapters (cont'd.)**

Beauty and Politics, in *The Art Seminar: Aesthetics v. Art History*, James Elkins, ed., New York: Routledge, 2005, pp. 128-143.

The Quest for Universality: Reflections on UNESCO's Declaration of Universal Norms on Bioethics, with Anne Donchin, in *Developing World Bioethics*, Blackwell Publishers, vol. 5, no. 3, September, 2005, pp. 258-266.

The Concept of a Feminist Bioethics, in *Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*, vol.26, 2001, pp. 405-416.

Levers, Signatures, and Secrets: Derrida's Use of 'Woman', in *Derrida and Feminism*, Routledge, 1997, pp. 69-86.

Perspectives and Horizons: Husserl on Seeing the Truth, in *Discursive Vision: The Construction of Vision in the History of Philosophical Thought*, David Michael Levin, ed., Cambridge: MIT Press, 1996. 265-292.

Alterity and Judgment: Some Moral Implications of Hegel's Concept of Life, in *Die Begriffe 'Menschenwurde' und 'Sanctity of Life' und ihre Tragweite fur ethische Konfliktlagen in der modern Medizin*, K. Bayertz, et.al., eds., Reidel, 1995, pp. 161-177.

Foucault's Strategy: Knowledge, Power, and the Specificity of Truth, *Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*, vol. 12, no. 3, November, 1987, pp. 371-397.

Reprinted in *Michel Foucault: Critical Assessments*, Barry Smart, ed., New York, Routledge, 2007.

The Sense of Suffering, *Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*, vol.11, no.1, February, 1986, pp. 39-62.

Truth-telling in the Clinic, in *Placebo: Clinical Phenomena and New Insights*, B. Tursky and L. White, eds., Guilford Press, 1985, pp. 403-418.

Proust's Impressionism, *L'Esprit Créateur*, Summer, 1984, vol.XXXIV, no.2., pp. 80-91.

The Factitivity of Illness and the Appropriation of Health, in *Phenomenology in a Pluralistic Context*, W. McBride and C. Schrag, eds., SUNY Press, 1983.

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- **Peer Reviewed Articles and Book Chapters (cont'd.)**

Art and Truth: Reading Proust, in *Philosophy and Literature*, October, 1982, vol.6, nos.1 &2, pp. 1-16

Psychoanalytic discourse and the Feminine Voice, in *Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*, May, 1982, vol.7, no.2, pp. 153-178.

Medicine's Discourse and the Practice of Medicine, in *The Humanity of the Ill: Phenomenological Perspectives*, V. Kestenbaum, ed., The University of Tennessee Press, 1982. pp. 69-85.

Health, Justice, and Responsibility, in *The Uses of Medical Knowledge*, T. Engelhardt and S. Spicker, eds., D. Reidel, 1980, pp. 87-102.

On Embodiment, *Southwestern Journal of Philosophy*, 1979.

- **Selected Invited Articles**

The Time of Ethics, in *Filosofia: Festschrift for Nythmar d'Oliveira*, Porto Alegre: Editora Fundação Fênix, forthcoming, 24ms. pp.

Violent Justice: the Real Hero of C. S. Harris' St. Cyr Series, in *Mean Streets: a journal of crime fiction*, Pace University Press, 2020, pp. 217-224.

The Audacity of Love: Returning George Yancy's Gift, Special Issue on George Yancy's *Backlash: what happens when we talk honestly about racism in America*, in *Syndicate*, forthcoming, 2020.

Bioethics: a bridge to the future?, in *Global Bioethics, What For? 20 Years of Bioethics*, Paris: UNESCO, 2014, pp. 31-34.

Cross-Border Reproductive Travel, in *Encyclopedia of Bioethics*, 4th Edition, New York: Macmillan, 2014, 723-726.

Foucault, *Encyclopedia of Aesthetics*, New York: Oxford University Press, 2013.

Women and Vulnerability: UNESCO's Report on Respect for Vulnerability and Personal Integrity, *IJFAB*, vol. 5.1, Fall, 2012, 174-179.

- **Selected Short Articles, Introductions, Abstracts, Blogposts and Podcasts**

Immunity and Community, Talk Pieces Podcast #9: Life in the Time of Coronavirus, Institute for Advanced Studies, University College London, July, 2020, <https://www.ucl.ac.uk/institute-of-advanced-studies/publications/2020/jul/ias-talk-pieces-life-time-coronavirus-9-immunity-and-community>

Turner and Abstract Art, Westbeth Abstract Painters Group Exhibition Pamphlet, September, 2019.

A Note on Corine Pelluchon, *IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics*, vol. 12., no. 2, 2019.

Dress Codes, *IJFAB Blog*, March 31, 2019.

Phrenology, *IJFAB Blog*, March 25, 2019.

Food: a culture of possibilities, *Global Food, Global Justice: essays on eating under globalization*, Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2015, pp. 1-11.

Food, Health and Global Justice, *Just Food*, Special Issue of *IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics*, vol.8, no.2, Fall, 2015, pp. 1-9.

"The Theory of Essences in Husserl and Proust," *Journal of Philosophy*, vol. LXXVIII, no. 11.

GRANTS (PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR)

Quality Award, *International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics*, The Tides Foundation, \$4000, 2010.

Start-up Costs, *International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics*," CFFC Foundation, \$7500, 2007.

Learning Communities as a Model for General Education, William and Flora Hewlett Foundation, \$150,000, 1998-2000.

Writing in Math and Chemistry, Long Island Consortium for Interconnected Learning, \$20,000, 1998-99. Renewed, 1999-2001. Total funding: \$60,000

LECTURES AND SEMINARS SINCE 2011

Book Launch, *The Betrayal of Substance*, Pontifical Catholic University, Porto Alegre, Brazil, May 2021.

Pandemic Epistemologies, Institute for Advanced Studies, University College London, April, 2021.

Book Launch, *The Betrayal of Substance*, Institute for Advanced Studies, University College London, <https://www.ucl.ac.uk/institute-of-advanced-studies/events/2021/mar/virtual-ias-book-launch-betrayal-substance>. March, 2021.

The Mastery of Difference in Hegel's *Phenomenology of Spirit*. American Philosophical Association Eastern Division Meeting, January, 2021.

Justice in Literature and Philosophy, Fellows Seminar, Institute for Advanced Studies, University College London, November, 2019.

Nourishment: a phenomenology of the political body, a conversation between Corine Pelluchon and Mary C. Rawlinson, Institute for Advanced Studies, University College London, October, 2019.

Thinking at a Distance: Proust and Calvino on Travel as Method in Philosophy, Society of Italian Philosophy, March, 2019.

Truth and the Possibility of Politics: Reflections on Frank Miller's *Sin City*, SPEP: Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, October, 2018, Penn State University, State College, PA.

Hardheadedness and Hardheartedness: The Ethical Significance of Hegel's Antigone, Congresso Hegeliano, September 2018, Rome.

Critique of Whiteness: Memory, Race, and the Injustice of Vulnerable Bodies, 9th Irigaray Circle, Brock University, Canada, June, 2018.

Liminal Ethics: Justice in Detective Fiction, Fellows Seminar, Institute for Advanced Studies, University College London, March, 2018.

Intergenerational Generativity: Toward an Ethics of Life, Talking Points Lecture, IAS, University College London, February, 2018.

LECTURES AND SEMINARS SINCE 2010 (cont'd.)

SPEP Book Session, *Just Life: bioethics and the future of sexual difference* (Columbia University Press), two speakers and author's response, Memphis, October, 2017.

"The Truth Don't Matter Like it Ought To": the politics of narration in Luce Irigaray and Frank Miller's *Sin City*, 8th Irigaray Circle, University of Winchester, UK, June 2017

From Rights to Justice: Collaborating Toward a Livable Future, University of Reykjavik, March, 2017.

Interrogation Between Certainty and Truth in Hegel's *Phenomenology of Spirit*. SPEP: Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Salt Lake City, October, 2016.

The Betrayal of Substance in Hegel's *Phenomenology of Spirit*, University of Cork, May, 2016.

Critique of Rights, SPEP: Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Emory University, October, 2015.

Just Food: changing the culture of possibilities, European Society for Philosophy and Medicine, University of Ghent, August, 2015.

Eating at the Heart of Ethics, CAVE (Center for Ethics, Values, and Agency) Research Seminar, Macquarie University, Melbourne, December, 2014

The Time of Ethics, 7th Luce Irigaray Circle, RMIT University, Sydney, December, 2014

Organizer and Moderator, Panel on Global Food and Global Justice, European Consortium for Political Research, University of Glasgow, September, 2014

On the Necessity of Universals in Bioethics, International Association of Bioethics, Mexico City, June, 2014.

Feminist Bioethics: an international collaboration, Symposia on "Rationalités Contemporaines," Université de Paris-Sorbonne IV, May, 2014.

LECTURES AND SEMINARS SINCE 2010 (cont'd.)

The Future of Bioethics, Global Health Symposium, LSHTM: London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, November, 2013.

Food Justice, Seminar on Ethics, LSHTM: London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, October, 2013.

The Politics of Food, MANCEPT: Manchester Conference on Political Theory, University of Manchester, UK, September, 2013.

Eating Ethics, 6th Luce Irigaray Circle, University of Bergen, Norway, June 2013.

Refiguring Ethics: Demeter and Persephone, *unies sous le même manteau*, Plenary Address, *philoSOPHIA*, Banff Centre, Canada, May, 2013.

The Future and Food, International Association of Bioethics, Rotterdam, June, 2012.
Gender and Ethics, SKOK Lectures, University of Bergen, March, 2012.

Organizer and Moderator, "Women in Philosophy," for the 25th Anniversary Session of the Committee on the Status of Women, Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Philadelphia, November, 2011.

Organizer, Workshop on Feminist Bioethics, Advancing Public Philosophy Conference, Practical Philosophy Network, Washington, D.C., October, 2011.

Invisible and Overexposed: visual culture and the capitalization of the female body, Department of Visual Cultures, Goldsmith College, London, May, 2011.

SELECTED LECTURES AND SEMINARS PRIOR TO 2010

Irigaray and Bioethics: philosophy, moral imagination, and the material infrastructures of health, 5th Luce Irigaray Circle, University College London, December, 2010.

Justice Across Border: the Case of Medical Tourism, Conference on Labour and Global Justice, Center for Ethics and Value Inquiry, Ghent University, Belgium, November 2009.

Breaking Barriers? Women's Leadership Event, Global Initiatives Research Center, University of Central Florida, October, 2009

SELECTED LECTURES AND SEMINARS PRIOR TO 2010 (cont'd.)

Governmentality, Biopolitics, and Feminist Bioethics, Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) Seminar, University of Warwick, UK, May, 2009.

Time Wasted, Time Regained: Proust on Love and Art, Post Performance Scholar, Books on Stage: Proust Project, Classic Stage Company, New York City, March, 2009.

The Right to Life: Rethinking Universalism in Bioethics. Plenary Address, International Network on Feminist Bioethics, Rijeka, Croatia, September, 2008.

Justice Beyond the Law: the *ménage à trois* as moral agent in Wilke Collin's *Woman in White*, Newcastle University, UK, April, 2008.

Antigone, agent of fraternity: how feminism misreads Hegel's Antigone, *Year of Antigones*, DePaul University, March, 2008.

Sublime Excess: toward a politics of wonder, London School of Economics, October, 2005.

The Disposability of Place: the Ethics of Cultural Tourism, Center for Touristic Studies, University of Brighton, UK, June 2005

Impossible Agencies, Conference on the Detective Novel, Catholic University of Paris, Paris, France, May 2005.

Proust and Painting, Harvard University, Cambridge, May, 2004.

The Contingency of Goodness, Plenary Address, Merleau-Ponty Circle, Salisbury State University, September, 1998.

Disembodying Art: Kant's 3rd Critique, Conference on Art and the Environment, Adirondack Work Study Center, August, 1996.

Bloodshed: Irigaray on Hegel and 'Our Time', American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division Meetings, Los Angeles, March, 1994.

The Other or the Question of Ethics, Collegium Phenomenologicum, Perugia, Italy, July, 1987.

The Philosophy of Jacques Derrida, four two-hour lectures and a panel discussion, Mellon Regional Faculty Seminar on Post-modernism, Vanderbilt University, June, 1984.

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE AND PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT

Director of the Doctoral Program in Philosophy, 1987-90, 2017-

Chair, Department of Philosophy, 2015-17, Interim Chair, 2020

Director of the Doctoral Programs in Comparative Literature and Cultural Studies, 2010-2013

Chair, Programs in Women's Studies, 2000-2003

Associate Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, 1996-2000

Project Director, Learning Communities Project, 1997-2000; Co-director, 2000-2003

Director of Undergraduate Studies in Philosophy, 1982-86

Selected University and Departmental Service

- Steering Committee, Center for the Study of Inequalities, 2016-2019
- Graduate Council, 1986-90; 2010-2019
- Graduate Awards Committee, 2012-2016
- Graduate Fellowships Committee, 2010-2016
- President's Excellence in Teaching Selection Committee, 2013-2016, Chair, 2014-2016
- Philosophy Department Executive Committee, 2014-2017
- Advisory Board, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, 1998-2003
- Advisory Board, Humanities Institute, 2001-2004
- Advisory Board, Learning Communities Program, 2000-2003
- President's Commission on Teaching and Learning, 1993-1995
- Promotion and Tenure Committee, 1983-1984, 1986-1989
- Graduate Program Committee, Department of Philosophy, 1983-1985, 1986-1990, 1991-2003; 2005-2008; 2014-2017
- Vice-President of the University Senate for Arts and Sciences and member of the Senate Executive Committee, 1987-1988;
- Search Committees: Chair, Search Committee for Associate Dean, The Graduate School, 1997-1998; Chair, Search Committee for the Director, University Writing Program, 1996-1997; Search Committee for the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, 1996; Search Committee for the Provost, 1988; Chair of four departmental search committees and member of ten others.