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EDUCATION	Baylor University, Waco, TX	
	• Ph.D., Philosophy	<i>In progress</i>
	University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT	
	• M.A., Philosophy	August 2014
	Villanova University, Villanova, PA	
	• B.A., Philosophy	May 2010
	• B.S., Mathematics (with departmental honors)	May 2010

RESEARCH	<u>AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION</u>	<u>AREAS OF COMPETENCE</u>
	Metaphysics	Mediæval Philosophy
	Philosophy of Religion	Philosophy of Mind

PUBLICATIONS ARTICLES

1. "A Geachian Cure for Morally Paralyzed Skeptical Theists"  
*Proceedings of the American Catholic Philosophical Association*, forthcoming
2. "Access Denied: A Reply to Rickabaugh and McAllister"  
(with J. Rosenbaum)  
*International Journal for Philosophy of Religion*, forthcoming
3. "Intentionality as Partial Identity"  
*Southwest Philosophy Review* (2017) 33(1): 15–23 (WINNER OF THE 2016 SOUTHWEST PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY PRESIDENT'S PRIZE)
4. "Formal Proper Parts Through Strong Supplementation: A Reply to Bennett"  
*The Southern Journal of Philosophy* (2016) 54(4): 521–526
5. "The Principle of Sufficient Reason Defended: There Is No Conjunction of All Contingently True Propositions"  
*Philosophia* (2016) 44(1): 267–274

BOOK REVIEWS

1. Michael Huemer's *Approaching Infinity*  
*Review of Metaphysics*, forthcoming

IN PROGRESS

1. "The Supplemented Soul: Thomistic Corruptionism and Mereology"
2. "Collapsing the Modal Collapse Argument: On an Invalid Argument Against Divine Simplicity"
3. "On the Very Possibility of Thomistic Substance Dualism"
4. "Non-Resistance is Futile: Divine Hiddenness, Evil, and Human Nature"
5. "Christian Materialism and the *Imago Dei*"

## PRESENTATIONS

1. "The Supplemented Soul: Thomistic Corruptionism and Mereology" 21-24 February 2018  
2018 Central Division Meeting of the APA (Main Program), Chicago, IL
2. "A Geachian Cure for Morally Paralyzed Skeptical Theists" 16-19 November 2017  
2017 Meeting of the American Catholic Philosophical Association: *Philosophy, Faith, and Modernity* (Main Program), Dallas, TX
3. "The Supplemented Soul: Thomistic Corruptionism and Mereology" 16-19 November 2017  
2017 Meeting of the American Catholic Philosophical Association: *Philosophy, Faith, and Modernity* (Baylor Satellite Session), Dallas, TX
4. "The Simple Truth: Divine Simplicity and God as Truth Itself" 27 July-6 August 2017  
2017 Analytic Theology and the Nature of God Summer School: *Advancing and Challenging Classical Theism*, Weltenburg Abbey, Weltenburg, Germany
5. "The Supplemented Soul: Thomistic Corruptionism and Mereology" 12-15 July 2017  
2017 Dominican Colloquium: *Person, Soul, and Consciousness*, Saint Albert's Priory, Berkeley, CA (WINNER OF THE CONFERENCE'S OUTSTANDING GRADUATE STUDENT PAPER PRIZE)
6. "The Supplemented Soul: Thomistic Corruptionism and Mereology" 29 June-2 July 2017  
Seventh Annual Aquinas Workshop: *Aquinas on Metaphysics*, Mount Saint Mary's College, Newburgh, NY
7. "A Geachian Cure for Morally Paralyzed Skeptical Theists" 30 March-1 April 2017  
2017 Pacific Division Meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, Biola University, La Mirada, CA
8. "Divine Hiddenness: Why Mere Non-Resistance is Insufficient" 1-4 March 2017  
2017 Central Division Meeting of the APA (Main Program), Kansas City, MO
9. "Non-Resistance is Futile: Divine Hiddenness, Evil, and Human Nature" 22 February 2017  
Divine Hiddenness Workshop, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, OK (Title changed from "Divine Hiddenness: Why Mere Non-Resistance is Insufficient")
10. "Formal Proper Parts Through Strong Supplementation: A Reply to Bennett" 4-7 January 2017  
2017 Eastern Division Meeting of the APA (Main Program), Baltimore, MD
11. "Intentionality as Partial Identity" 11-13 November 2016  
78<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Philosophical Society, Corpus Christi, TX
12. "Intentionality as Partial Identity" 20-22 October 2016  
2016 Eastern Division Meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ
13. "Christian Materialism and the *Imago Dei*" 22-24 September 2016  
2016 Midwest Division Meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, Evangel University, Springfield, MO
14. "How Not to Construe Leibnizian Cosmological Arguments" 8-9 April 2016  
*The Continuing Relevance of Leibniz*, Franciscan University, Steubenville, OH
15. "Intentionality as Partial Identity" 25-26 March 2016  
67<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the New Mexico-Texas Philosophical Society, Texas State University, San Marcos (WINNER OF THE GLENN C. JOY AWARD FOR 2<sup>ND</sup> BEST PAPER AT THE MEETING)
16. "Divine Hiddenness: Why Mere Non-Resistance Is Insufficient" 17-19 March 2016  
2016 Pacific Division Meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, University of San Diego (WINNER OF THE MEETING'S BEST GRADUATE STUDENT PAPER PRIZE)

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17. “Moral Error Theory and the Law of Excluded Middle” 7-8 November 2015  
Third Annual Philosophers’ Cocoon Philosophy Conference, University of Tampa
18. “Aristotelian Substance and Univocally Functional Parts” 4-7 June 2015  
Fifth Annual Aquinas Workshop: *Aquinas and the Philosophy of Nature*, Mount Saint Mary’s College, Newburgh, NY
19. “Moral Error Theory and the Law of Excluded Middle” 18-21 February 2015  
2015 Central Division Meeting of the APA (Main Program), Saint Louis, MO
20. “The Principle of Sufficient Reason Defended: There Is No Conjunction of All Contingently True Propositions” 27-30 December 2014  
2014 Eastern Division Meeting of the APA (Main Program), Philadelphia, PA
21. “The Principle of Sufficient Reason Defended: There Is No Conjunction of All Contingently True Propositions” 15-16 November 2014  
IX Annual Mark L. Shapiro Graduate Philosophy Conference, Brown University, Providence, RI
22. “Moral Error Theory and the Law of Excluded Middle” 4 May 2014  
Fourth Annual Student Philosophy Conference, Dowling College, Oakdale, NY
23. “Moral Error Theory and the Law of Excluded Middle” 26 April 2014  
50<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Long Island Philosophical Society, Molloy College, Rockville Center, NY
24. “The Fundamental Moral Relevance of Persons: A Reply to Taurek” 26 April 2014  
Eighth Annual Conference of the Felician Institute for Ethics and Public Affairs, Felician University, Rutherford, NJ
25. “The Principle of Sufficient Reason Defended: There Is No Conjunction of All Contingently True Propositions” 21-22 February 2014  
2014 Meeting of the North Carolina Philosophical Society, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
26. “Persons as Substance-Relation Fusions in the Trinity” 24-26 October 2013  
2013 Eastern Division Meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
27. “Persons as Substance-Relation Fusions in the Trinity” 19-20 October 2013  
First Annual Philosophers’ Cocoon Philosophy Conference, University of Tampa
28. “Two New Objections to a Detachment-Free Language” 8-9 March 2013  
Sixth Annual Graduate Philosophy Conference, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge

## CONFERENCE COMMENTARIES

1. On Chavah Schwartz’ “Music and What It Is Like: What Theories of Mind Tell Us About the Experience of Music” 25-26 March 2016  
67<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the New Mexico-Texas Philosophical Society, Texas State University, San Marcos
2. On Blake McAllister’s and Trent Dougherty’s “Reforming Reformed Epistemology: A New Take on the *Sensus Divinitatis*” 17-19 March 2016  
2016 Pacific Division Meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, University of San Diego
3. On Ben Baker’s “The Persistent Puzzle of Weakness of Will in Desire-First Accounts of Rational Action” 7-8 November 2015  
Third Annual Philosophers’ Cocoon Philosophy Conference, University of Tampa
4. On Andrew Lee’s “Phenomenal Content is Coarse-Grained” 19-20 October 2013  
First Annual Philosophers’ Cocoon Philosophy Conference, University of Tampa

WORKSHOPS &  
SEMINARS

Analytic Theology and the Nature of God Summer School:  
Advancing and Challenging Classical Theism

27 July-6 August 2017

Weltenburg Abbey, Kelheim, Germany

- Awarded funding to attend

Lumen Christi Institute Graduate Seminar: *The Thought  
of John Henry Newman*

9-16 July 2016

Oxford University, Oxford, UK

- Awarded funding to attend

Annual Aquinas Workshop

Mount Saint Mary College, Newburgh, NY

- *Aquinas on Metaphysics*
  - Awarded scholarship to attend
- *Aquinas on Politics*
  - Awarded scholarship to attend
- *Aquinas and the Philosophy of Nature*
  - Awarded scholarship to attend
- *Aquinas on God*
  - Awarded scholarship to attend

29 June-2 July 2017

2-5 June 2016

4-7 June 2015

5-8 June 2014

HONORS &  
AWARDS

Graduate Student Travel Stipends

American Philosophical Association

- 2018 Central APA, 2017 Central APA, 2017 Eastern APA

2017 Dominican Colloquium Outstanding Graduate Student  
Paper Prize

July 2017

Berkeley, CA

- Awarded for the best paper by a graduate student at the  
2017 Dominican Colloquium in Berkeley

2016 Southwestern Philosophical Society President's Prize

November 2016

Corpus Christi, TX

- Awarded for the best paper by a scholar no more than three  
years beyond the PhD

Comprehensive Examination Commendations

Baylor University, Waco, TX

- Special commendations from the department for superlative  
performance on the comprehensive examinations covering:
  - Mediæval Philosophy: Augustine—High Scholasticism
  - Ancient Philosophy: Thales—Plotinus

August 2016

August 2016

2016 Glenn C. Joy Award

March 2016

Texas State University, San Marcos, TX

- Awarded for the 2<sup>d</sup> best paper at the meeting of the  
New Mexico-Texas Philosophical Society

2016 Society of Christian Philosophers Pacific Division  
Best Graduate Paper

March 2016

University of San Diego, San Diego, CA

- Awarded for the best paper by a graduate student at the  
SCP Pacific Division meeting

HONORS &  
AWARDS

Baylor Presidential Scholarship

Fall 2015—Spring 2020

Baylor University, Waco, TX

- University-wide scholarship awarded on the strength of admissions application

Outstanding Scholars Fellowship

Fall 2012—Summer 2014

University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT

- University-wide scholarship awarded on the strength of admissions application

Departmental Honors in Mathematics

May 2010

Villanova University, Villanova, PA

- Senior paper on multi-colour Ramsey theory

GRADUATE  
COURSEWORK

BAYLOR UNIVERSITY

Topics in Phil. Mind

John Haldane

Logic for Philosophers

Alexander Pruss

Thomas Aquinas' *Treatise on Virtue*

Robert Miner

Moral Philosophy

John Haldane

Aristotelian Metaphysics

A. Pruss & R. Koons

Ancient and Mediæval Philosophy

Alexander Pruss

Thomas Aquinas' *Treatise on Law*

Francis Beckwith

History of Analytic Philosophy

Jonathan Kvanvig

Fallibilism and Evidence

Charity Anderson

Persons, Objects, Time and Abstracta

Alexander Pruss

Divine Hiddenness

Trent Dougherty

Materialism and Dualism in Phil. Mind

C. Stephen Evans

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT

Locke's *Human Understanding*

Lionel Shapiro

Kant's *Critique of Pure Reason*

Crawford Elder

Philosophy of Mathematics

Marcus Rossberg

Mathematical Logic

David Solomon

Meta-ethics

Paul Bloomfield

Four Topics in Normative Ethics

Hallie Liberto

Wilfrid Sellars

A. Clark & L. Shapiro

Theories of Truth

Michael Lynch

Composition as Identity

Donald L.M. Baxter

Graduate Introduction to Formal Logic

Jc Beall

Free of Detachment

Jc Beall

20<sup>th</sup> Century Analytic Philosophy

Samuel Wheeler

ASSISTANTSHIPS	Teaching Assistantships		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Baylor Philosophy 3339 — Law and Religion Fall 2017</li> </ul>	Francis Beckwith	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Baylor Philosophy 1306 — Honors Logic Spring 2017</li> </ul>	Todd Buras	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Baylor Philosophy 4311 — Epistemology Spring 2016</li> </ul>	Jon Kvanvig	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UConn Philosophy 1102 — Philosophy and Logic Fall 2012, Spring 2013, Fall 2013</li> </ul>	Austen Clark	
	Research Assistantships		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Research Assistant to Professor John Haldane</li> </ul>	Fall 2016	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Research Assistant to Professor Trent Dougherty</li> </ul>	Fall 2015	
	ACADEMIC SERVICE	Baylor University Graduate Student Association	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Philosophy Department Representative</li> </ul>	Fall 2017—Present
University of Connecticut Graduate Student Senate			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member of the Finance Committee</li> <li>Senator from the Department of Philosophy</li> </ul>		Spring 2014 Fall 2013—Spring 2014	
University of Connecticut Scholastic Standards Senate Committee			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Voting Graduate Member</li> </ul>	Spring 2014		
PROFESSIONAL SERVICE	Journal Referee		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Organon F</i> (2014)</li> </ul>		
PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS	American Philosophical Association		