Curriculum Vitae

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# Education

*BA*, Philosophy, Vassar College, 1995

*MA*, Philosophy, State University of New York at Stony Brook, 2001

Dissertation Fellow, Philosophy, University of Wuppertal (Germany), 2000-2002

*Ph.D.*, Philosophy, SUNY Stony Brook, 2003

# Areas of Research Specialization

Phenomenology, Husserl

# Areas of Research Competence

Philosophy of Mind

Philosophy of Perception

Modern Philosophy

**Areas of Teaching Competence**

Ethics

Critical Thinking

Epistemology

# Employment

Sept. 2018-present *Professor*, Dept. Philosophy, California State University, California State University, Los Angeles, California

Sept. 2013-June 2018 *Associate Professor*, Dept. Philosophy, California State University, Los Angeles, California

Sept. 2007-June 2013 *Assistant Professor*, Dept. Philosophy, California State University, Los Angeles, California

Sept. 2006-May 2007 *Visiting Assistant Professor*, Dept. Philosophy, Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania

Sept. 2004-May 2006 *Post-Doctoral Teaching Fellow*, Dept. Philosophy, Fordham University, Bronx, New York

Sept. 2003-July, 2004 *Visiting Assistant Professor*, Dept. Philosophy, John Carroll University, Cleveland, Ohio

Jan. 2003-May 2003 *Visiting Instructor*, Dept. Philosophy, Denison University, Granville, Ohio

Oct. 2000-Dec. 2002 *Dissertation Fellow*, Collegium philosophiae Transatlanticum: Subject and Person in the Modern Era, Fachbereich Philosophie, University of Wuppertal, Wuppertal, Germany

Sept. 1999-June 2000 *Research Fellow*, Dept. Philosophy, SUNY Stony Brook, Stony Brook, New York

Jan. 1998-June 1999 *Teaching Assistant*, Dept. Philosophy, SUNY Stony Brook, Stony Brook, New York

## Dissertation

*Leibniz’s Idealism and Husserl’s Monadology*

Directors: Donn Welton (Stony Brook), Manfred Baum (Wuppertal)

Readers: B. Jeffrey Edwards, Robert Crease

Available on: <http://www.scribd.com/doc/222957501/Leibniz-s-Idealism-and-Husserl-s-Monadology-Michael-Kook-Shim#scribd>

## Publications

*Articles and Book Chapters*

1. “Husserl’s Spatialization of Perceptual Consciousness,” *Experiential Reason: Perception, Affectivity, and Volition in Husserl’s Phenomenology*. *Phaenomenologica*, eds. R. Rubio, R. Walton, S. Taguchi (Springer, 2017)
2. “The Ego,” *Handbook of Phenomenology*, eds. B. Hopkins, C. Manjolino, D. de Santis (Routlege, forthcoming 2019)
3. “Monad and Consciousness in Husserl: A Quasi-representationalist Interpretation,” *Discipline Filosofiche* 23 (2) (2013), pp. 175-190
4. “Representationalism and Husserlian Phenomenology,” *Husserl Studies* 27 (3) (Oct. 2011), pp. 197-215
5. “Leibniz on Concept and Substance,” *International Philosophical Quarterly* 46 (3) (Sept. 2006), pp. 309-325
6. “Duality of Non-Conceptual Content in Husserl’s Phenomenology of Perception,” *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences* 4 (2) (June 2005), pp. 209-229
7. “What Kind of Idealist Was Leibniz?” *British Journal for the History of Philosophy* 13 (1) (Feb. 2005), pp. 91-110
8. “Presence and Origin: On the Possibility of Static-Genetic Distinction,” *Journal of the British Society for Phenomenology* 36 (2) (May 2005), pp. 129-147
9. “Leibniz and Modal Realism,” *Aufklärung durch Kritik*, eds. Dieter Hüning, Karin Michel, Andreas Thomas (Berlin: Dunker & Humlot, 2004), pp. 95-111
10. “Towards a Phenomenological Monadology. On Husserl and Mahnke,” *Subjektivität-Verantwortung-Wahrheit: Neue Aspekte der Husserlschen Phänomenologie*, eds. David Carr and Christian Lotz (Frankfurt: Peter Lang, 2002), pp. 243-259

### Book Reviews and Translations

1. *Reviewer*. “Walter Hopp, *Perception and Knowledge*,” *Mind* 121 (481) (2012), pp. 187-190
2. *Reviewer*. “Angelica Nuzzo. *Ideal Embodiment*,” *Journal of the History of Philosophy* 8 (2) (2010), pp. 248-249
3. *Reviewer*. “Zahavi, Dan. *Selfhood and Subjectivity*,” *Husserl Studies* 25 (2009), pp. 261-266
4. *Reviewer*. “Carr, David. *The Paradox of Subjectivity*,” *Husserl Studies* 21 (2005), pp. 139-144
5. *Reviewer*. “Cristin/Sakai. *Phänomenologie und Leibniz*,” *Husserl Studies* 20 (2004), pp. 161-166
6. *Reviewer*. “Marion, Jean-Luc. *Being Given: Toward a Phenomenology of Givenness*,” *Philosophy in Review*, vol. XXIII, no. 4 (August 2003), pp. 267-269
7. *Reviewer*. “MacDonald, P.S. *Descartes and Husserl*,” *Journal of the History of Philosophy*, vol. XXXVIII, no. 4 (October 2000), pp. 593-595
8. *Translator* (with J. Jansen). Frank, Manfred. “Style in Philosophy: Parts II and III,” *Metaphilosophy* (October 1999), pp. 263-407
9. *Translator* (with J. Jansen). Frank, Manfred. “Style in Philosophy: Part I,” *Metaphilosophy* (July 1999), pp. 145-262

*Works in Progress*

1. “Conceptualism and Husserlian phenomenology”
2. “Perception and Sensations”

## Presentations

1. “Husserlian Realism and the Epoché,” Workshop in Phenomenological Philosophy, University of San Diego, April 2016
2. “Perceptual Noema,” Workshop in Phenomenological Philosophy, Rice University, April 2014
3. “Genetic Phenomenology in the Early Husserl,” Society for Phenomenology and Analytic Philosophy, American Philosophical Association, Pacific, March 2013
4. “Concepts, Content and Perception in Husserl’s phenomenology,” Workshop in Phenomenological Philosophy, Boston University, May 2011
5. “Heidegger on Being-towards-Death,” *Powerful Visions Lecture Series*, Huntington Library, Pasadena, CA, Feb. 25th, 2011
6. “Representationalism and Husserlian Phenomenology,” Workshop in Phenomenological Philosophy, University of Seattle, Apr. 2010
7. “Representationalism and Husserlian Phenomenology,” California Phenomenology Circle, University of California, Riverside, Dec. 2009
8. Commentary on Michael Sigrist’s “Husserl’s Account of Ideal Content and Contemporary Philosophy of Mind,” Husserl Circle, Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wis., June 2008
9. “Husserl on Personal Individuation,” California Phenomenology Circle, Cal Poly San Luis-Obispo, Apr. 2008

1. “How does Husserl make *sense*? A new look at classical phenomenology,” Job Talk, Cal State-Los Angeles, Jan. 2007
2. “How does Husserl make *sense*?” Job Talk, James Madison University, Jan. 2007
3. “Language, Mind, and Classical Phenomenology,” Job Talk, Indiana University-South Bend, Feb. 2007
4. “How does Husserl make *sense*?” Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Philadelphia, Oct. 2006
5. Commentary on Mark Brown’s “The Place of Description in Phenomenology’s Naturalization,” Husserl Circle, Wellesley College, Mass., May 2006
6. “On Static Phenomenology and Genetic Phenomenology,” Graduate Seminar Lecture, Stony Brook University, Dec. 2005
7. “Hume on Utility and Sentiment,” Job Talk, U. Mass. Boston, Feb. 2005
8. “Leibniz’s Theory of Concepts,” Post-doctoral Lecture, Fordham University, Oct. 2004
9. “Husserl’s Monadological Reduction,” Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy*,* Oct. 2004
10. “Concept and Substance in Leibniz’s Metaphysics,” Atlantic Canada Seminar in Early Modern Philosophy, Dalhousie University, Halifax, July 2004
11. “Concept and Substance in Leibniz’s Metaphysics,” Job Talk, Emory University, January 2004
12. “Body and Unity: Leibniz on Corporeal Substances,” Job Talk, Grinnell College, Mar. 2004
13. “Body and Unity: Leibniz on Corporeal Substances,” Northeast Ohio Philosophy Conference, John Carroll University, Cleveland, October 2003
14. “Objectivity in Husserl’s Theory of Constitution,” Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Nov. 2003
15. “Duality of Non-conceptual Content in Husserl’s Theory of Perception,” Husserl Circle, Fordham University, New York, June 2003
16. “Ontological Simplicity of the Monad,” *Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft*, Bonn (Germany), September 2002
17. “Leibniz and Modal Realism,” Doctoral Review Lecture, University of Wuppertal, Nov. 2001
18. “Intersubjectivity and Genesis as Dimensions of First Order Semantics: On Lacan’s Psychoanalysis of Frege,” Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Pennsylvania State University, Oct. 2000
19. “Leibnizian Resources of Husserl’s Phenomenology,” Collegium philosophiae Transatlanticum, Stony Brook University, September 1999

## Courses

*Cal State-Los Angeles*

1. EEP Provie Philosophical Workshop (Honors College)
2. PHIL 151: Knowledge and Reality
3. PHIL 1510H: Introduction to Philosophy Hybrid (new, Sp 18)
4. PHIL 152: Human Values
5. PHIL 152H: Classical Ethics in the Contemporary World
6. PHIL 1520: Human Values Hybrid (new, F 17)
7. PHIL 160: Critical Thinking
8. PHIL 2200: Multiculturalism (Sp 17)
9. PHIL 230: Meaning of Human Life
10. PHIL 300: Philosophical Writing
11. PHIL 313: Modern Philosophy
12. PHIL 400 A/B: Advanced philosophical writing, journal editing and production
13. PHIL 446: Phenomenology
14. PHIL 445: Existentialism
15. PHIL 448: Postmodernism
16. PHIL 495/515: Intentionality and Consciousness (Graduate/Undergraduate)
17. PHIL 500 A/B: Advanced philosophical writing for graduate students
18. PHIL 531: Transcendental Philosophy: Kant and Husserl (Graduate)
19. PHIL 532: Epistemology and Phenomenology (Graduate)
20. PHIL 446/532: Phenomenology of Perception (Graduate/Undergraduate)
21. Independent Study: Paul Castellano on Van Til
22. Independent Study: Ben Easton on Kant
23. Independent Study: Arturo Gaytan on knowledge
24. MA-Thesis: Joshua Allen
25. MA-Thesis: Paul Castellano
26. MA-Thesis: Carlos Brocatto

*Bloomsburg University*

1. Introduction to Philosophy
2. Descartes to Kant
3. Critical Thinking
4. Personhood and Personal Identity

*Fordham University*

1. Philosophies of Human Nature
2. Philosophical Ethics
3. Immanuel Kant

*John Carroll University*

1. Introduction to Philosophy
2. Major Moral Philosophers
3. Modern Philosophy
4. Continental Philosophy

*Denison University*

1. First Year Studies
2. Modern Philosophy

## Service

# *Department*

1. Graduate Program Director, 2014-present
2. Comprehensive Examination Coordinator, 2011-2018
3. Fiscal Committee, 2007-2011
4. Undergraduate Advisor, 2007-2008
5. RTP Committee B, 2013-2014, 2015-present
6. Graduate Advisor, 2008-present
7. Assessment Committee, 2008-2011
8. Colloquium and Brown Bag Committee, 2007-
9. Student Organizations Advisor; Philosophy Club, 2007-2008
10. Social and Public Relations Committee, 2007-2011
11. Advisor, *Philosophy in Practice*, Student Journal, 2008-present
12. Acting Graduate Program Director, Summer, 2009
13. Instructional Affairs Committee, 2010-
14. Co-acting Graduate Program Director, Fall 2010
    1. In charge of Graduate Comprehensive Examinations

*College*

1. RTP Committee B, 2018-2019
2. Alternate, RTP Committee B, 2014-2015
3. ISAC, 2008-2011, 2014-2015
4. Faculty Affairs, Winter 2015, 2016-present
5. Chair, Graduate Council, Fall 2012, 2012-2013
6. IRA-RAAC Committee, 2012
7. Chair, Instructional Student Activities Committee, 2011
8. Vice Chair, Instructional Student Activities Committee, 2008-2009
9. Faculty Affairs Committee, Winter 2010
10. IRA-RAAC Committee, 2010
11. Graduate Council, 2010-2012

*University*

1. CFA Department Representative, 2013-present
2. General Education Subcommittee, Fall 2013
3. EEP Faculty Admission Committee, Summer 2012
4. Academic Senate Alternate, Spring 2012
5. Honors College Preview Day interviewer, Feb. 25th, 2012
6. Hooder, Master’s Convocation, Spring 2011
7. CFA representative for philosophy department, 2011-
8. WASC EER RSCA Presenter, Oct. 7, 2010
9. Pre-WASC Brown Bag Presenter, Teacher/Scholar-model, Summer 2010
10. Writing Proficiency Examination Evaluator, 2008-2016
11. Alternate, University Library Subcommittee, 2008
12. Alternate, Faculty Senate, Summer 2008
13. Marshal, Honors Convocation, Spring 2008
14. Hooder, Master’s Convocation, Spring 2008
15. New Faculty Orientation, Junior Faculty presentation, Sept. 8, 2008

*Extra-University*

1. Article referee. *The Southern Journal of Philosophy*, journal, 2018
2. Member, Advisory Board. *New Yearbook for Phenomenology*, 2013-
3. Article referee. *European Journal of Philosophy*, journal, 2016, 2017
4. Article referee. *Êtudes phenomenologique*, journal, 2015
5. Chair. Phenomenal Intentionality. American Philosophical Association, Pacific, Mar. 28th, 2013
6. Panel Moderator. Thirteenth Annual Southern California Philosophy Conference, Cal Poly Pomona, Nov. 6th, 2010
7. Book referee. Springer, publisher; for S. Geniusas’s “The Origins of Horizon in Husserl’s Phenomenology”
8. Book referee. Yale University Press, publisher; for J.N. Mohanty’s *The Philosophy of Edmund Husserl*, vol. II
9. Article referee. *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*, journal
10. Article referee. *Internet Encyclopedia of Philosophy*
11. Article referee. *Continental Philosophy Review,* journal
12. Session chair. Author Meets Critic: Dan Zahavi, American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division Meeting, Pasadena, March, 2008

## Service Prior to Cal State L.A.

1. Article referee. *Metaphilosophy*, journal
2. ACT1/EOP Mentor. Bloomsburg University, Sept. 2006-May 2007
3. Minority Student Mentor. John Carroll University, Oct. 2003-May 2004
4. Faculty participant. Philosophy Club, JCU, Sept. 2003-May 2004
5. Visiting Researcher. Husserl Archives, Katholieke-Universiteit Leuven (Belgium), June 2002
6. Moderator. “Self-Awareness and Consciousness” by Dan Zahavi, Fichte-Husserl Conference, Philips-Universität Marburg (Germany), May 2001
7. Field Coordinator. *History of the Laboratory* conference, Stony Brook and Brookhaven National Laboratory, June 1999
8. Field Coordinator. *Interpretation* conference, Stony Brook, Dec. 1998

## Awards and Fellowships

1. Creative Leave, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, California State University, Los Angeles, Spring 2009
2. Post-doctoral Teaching Fellowship, Fordham University, 2004-2006
3. Extension of Research Fellowship, Max Kade Foundation (New York), for continued research and residence at University of Wuppertal, 2001-2002
4. Abschlußstipendium, Nordrhein-Westfall Ministry of Education, University of Wuppertal, Summer 2001
5. Research Fellowship, Max Kade Foundation, for research and residence, Wuppertal, 2000-2001
6. State University of New York Research Foundation Fellowship, 1999-2000
7. State University of New York Teaching Assistantship, 1997-1999

Professional Affiliations

1. American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division
2. Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy
3. Husserl Circle
4. California Phenomenology Circle

Languages

German (speaking, reading), French (reading), Korean (conversational)