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RECENT ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 01/2019- Postdoctoral Research Fellow in Practical Philosophy, Stockholm University, Sweden
- 02/2017-12/2018 Postdoctoral Research Fellow in Practical Philosophy, Lund-Gothenburg Responsibility Project, University of Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2012-2016 Instructor, Saint Louis University, USA

AREAS OF INTEREST

AOS Normative Ethics and Metaphysics
AOC Philosophy of Religion, Moral Psychology, Bioethics, Epistemology, Logic

EDUCATION

- 2016 Ph.D. Philosophy, St. Louis University
2012 Coursework at University of Notre Dame
Dissertation: A Defense of Moral Luck
Committee: Eleonore Stump (director), John Greco, Daniel Haybron
- 2009-10 Year of Teaching
- 2009 M.A. Philosophy of Religion, Trinity International University *magna cum laude*
- 2008 M.A. Christian Studies, Trinity International University *magna cum laude*
- 2006 B.A. Philosophy and Religious Studies, University of Wisconsin Eau Claire *magna cum laude*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2012-16 St. Louis University: Ethics (6x), Philosophy of Religion (upper-division)
- 2008-10 Trinity International University: Ethics, Logic (2x)
- Spr2010 College of DuPage: Ethics, Introduction to Philosophy (2x)
- 2009-10 Trinity Christian College: Christian Worldview, Philosophy and Theology in C.S. Lewis's Narnia Series (interim course)

MONOGRAPHS

1. *In Defense of Moral Luck: Why Luck Often Affects Praiseworthiness and Blameworthiness*. Routledge Studies in Ethics and Moral Theory (Routledge, 2017; paperback 2019)
Reviewed in *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*

EDITED BOOKS

1. *The Routledge Handbook of the Philosophy and Psychology of Luck*. Edited with Ian M. Church (Routledge, 2019)

JOURNAL ARTICLES

11. "Against the Character Solution to the Problem of Moral Luck," *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* (forthcoming)
10. "Moral Luck and the Unfairness of Morality," *Philosophical Studies* (forthcoming)

9. "Kant Does Not Deny Resultant Moral Luck," *Midwest Studies in Philosophy* (forthcoming)
8. "Indirectly Free Actions, Libertarianism, and Resultant Moral Luck," *Erkenntnis* (forthcoming)
7. "Constitutive Moral Luck and Strawson's Argument for the Impossibility of Moral Responsibility," *Journal of the American Philosophical Association* 4 (2018): 165-183
6. "Counterfactuals of Freedom and the Luck Objection to Libertarianism," *Journal of Philosophical Research* 42 (2017): 301-312
5. "Armstrong on Probabilistic Laws of Nature," (with Jonathan D. Jacobs) *Philosophical Papers* 46 (2017): 373-387
4. "Against Luck-Free Moral Responsibility," *Philosophical Studies* 173 (2016): 2845-2865
3. "Utilitarian Moral Virtue, Admiration, and Luck," *Philosophia* 43 (2015): 77-95
2. "How to Apply Molinism to the Theological Problem of Moral Luck," *Faith and Philosophy* 31 (2014): 68-90
1. "Involuntary Belief and the Command to Have Faith," *International Journal for Philosophy of Religion* 69 (2011): 181-192

BOOK CHAPTERS

3. "Consequentialism and Virtue," (with Joshua W. Bronson) in Christoph Halbig and Felix Timmermann (eds.) *The Handbook of Virtue and Virtue Ethics* (Springer, forthcoming)
2. "Accepting Moral Luck," in Ian M. Church and Robert J. Hartman (eds.) *The Routledge Handbook of the Philosophy and Psychology of Luck* (Routledge, 2019): 227-238
1. "Luck: An Introduction," (with Ian M. Church) in Ian M. Church and Robert J. Hartman (eds.) *The Routledge Handbook of the Philosophy and Psychology of Luck* (Routledge, 2019): 1-10

BOOK REVIEWS

4. "Manipulated Agents: A Window into Moral Responsibility, by Alfred R. Mele," *Journal of Moral Philosophy* (forthcoming)
3. "Aspiration: The Agency of Becoming, by Agnes Callard," *The Philosophical Quarterly* 69 (2019): 427-429
2. "Responsible Belief: A Theory in Ethics and Epistemology, by Rik Peels," *Ethics* 128 (2018): 646-651
1. "A Fine-Tuned Universe: The Quest for God in Science and Theology, by Alister E. McGrath," *Scottish Bulletin of Evangelical Theology* 29 (2011): 280-281

PUBLIC PHILOSOPHY

1. "Moral Luck," *Aeon* (2017)
URL: <https://aeon.co/essays/how-to-tell-a-bad-person-from-a-person-who-did-a-bad-thing>

UNDER REVIEW OR IN PROGRESS

5. *Moral Responsibility and Character*
In Progress Monograph: 30,000 words
4. "Moral Luck, Humility, and Benevolence"
In Progress: 10,000 words
3. "Concomitant Ignorance Does Not Ground Moral Responsibility"
In Progress: 4,000 words
2. "Circumstantial and Constitutive Moral Luck in Kant's Moral Philosophy"
In Progress: 8,000 words
1. "Acting Out of Character and Moral Responsibility" with Benjamin Matheson
Under Review: 7,000 words

PRESENTATIONS (*invited talks)

41. "Fundamental Moral Responsibility and Character," *Stockholm University*. Stockholm, Sweden (upcoming)*
40. "Moral Luck, Humility, and Benevolence," *University of Zürich, Lecture Series on Moral Responsibility*. Zürich, Switzerland (upcoming)*
39. "Moral Luck and Kantian Benevolence," *Conference on Agency, Fate, and Luck: Themes from Bernard Williams*. Lund University, Sweden (June 2019)
38. "Moral Luck and Kantian Benevolence," *Morality and Modality: Summer Workshop in Philosophy*. Stockholm, Sweden (June 2019)*
37. "Consequentialism and Virtue," *Uppsala University*. Uppsala, Sweden (April 2019)*
36. "Consequentialism and Virtue," *Stockholm University*. Stockholm, Sweden (March 2019)*
35. "Consequentialism and Virtue," *University of Gothenburg*. Gothenburg, Sweden (March 2019)*
34. "Acting Out of Character and Moral Responsibility," *Lund University*. Lund, Sweden (December 2018)*
33. "Against the Character Solution to the Problem of Moral Luck," *Linköping University*. Linköping, Sweden (November 2018)*
32. "Against the Character Solution to the Problem of Moral Luck," *Workshop on Free Will and Moral Luck*. University of Gothenburg, Sweden (October 2018)*
31. "Moral Luck in Kant's Moral Philosophy," *Workshop on Free Will and Moral Luck*. University of Gothenburg, Sweden (October 2018)*
30. "Moral Luck in Kant's Moral Philosophy," *University of Gothenburg*. Gothenburg, Sweden (September 2018)*
29. "Acting Out of Character and Moral Responsibility," *Wake Forest University Beacon Project Discussion Group*. Winston-Salem, North Carolina (June 2018)*
28. "Constitutive Moral Luck and Strawson's Argument for the Impossibility of Moral Responsibility," *American Philosophical Association Central Division, Main Program*. Chicago, Illinois (February 2018)
27. "Against the Character Solution to the Problem of Moral Luck," *University of Gothenburg*. Gothenburg, Sweden (February 2018)*
26. "Acting Out of Character and Moral Responsibility," *University of Gothenburg*. Gothenburg, Sweden (January 2018)*
25. "Constitutive Moral Luck and Strawson's Argument for the Impossibility of Moral Responsibility," *Münich School of Philosophy*. München, Germany (November 2017)*
24. "Constitutive Moral Luck and Strawson's Argument for the Impossibility of Moral Responsibility," *University of Zürich*. Zürich, Switzerland (October 2017)*
23. "Moral Luck and the Unfairness of Morality," *University of Gothenburg*. Gothenburg, Sweden (October 2017)*
22. "Indirectly Free Actions, Libertarianism, and Moral Luck," *University of Gothenburg*. Gothenburg, Sweden (September 2017)*
21. "Indirectly Free Actions, Libertarianism, and Moral Luck," *Gothenburg Responsibility Project Discussion Group*. University of Gothenburg, Sweden (June 2017)*
20. "Accepting Moral Luck," *Summer Workshop on Moral Responsibility*. University of Gothenburg, Sweden (June 2017)*
19. "Accepting Moral Luck," *Linköping University*. Linköping, Sweden (May 2017)*
18. "Constitutive Moral Luck and Strawson's Argument for the Impossibility of Moral Responsibility," *University of Gothenburg*. Gothenburg, Sweden (April 2017)*
17. "From Circumstantial to Resultant Moral Luck," *Illinois Philosophical Association*. Illinois Central College, Illinois (November 2016)

16. "On Behalf of Moral Luck," *Indiana Philosophical Association*. Wabash College, Indiana (April 2016)
15. "From Epistemic Luck to Moral Luck," *Kentucky Philosophical Association*. Bellarmine University, Kentucky (April 2016)
14. "A Solution to the Paradox of Moral Luck," *Northwest Philosophy Conference*. North Idaho College, Idaho (October 2015)
13. "Against Luck-Free Moral Responsibility," *Felician Ethics Conference*. Felician University, New Jersey (April 2015)
12. "Compatibilism and the Luck Objection," *Indiana and Kentucky Philosophical Associations*. Owensboro Community and Technical College, Kentucky (April 2015)
11. "Compatibilism and the Luck Objection," *Iowa Philosophical Society*. Iowa State University, Iowa (November 2014)
10. "Free Acts and Counterfactuals of Freedom: Why the Rollback Argument Conditionally Fails," *American Philosophical Association Central Division, Main Program*. Chicago, Illinois (February 2014)
9. "Four Arguments Against Driver's Utilitarian Account of Moral Virtue," *American Philosophical Association Eastern Division, Main Program*. Baltimore, Maryland (December 2013)
8. "Four Arguments Against Driver's Utilitarian Account of Moral Virtue," *Illinois Philosophical Association, Symposium on Julia Driver's Work*. Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, Illinois (November 2013)
7. "Free Acts and Counterfactuals of Freedom: Why the Rollback Argument Conditionally Fails," *Society of Christian Philosophers, Midwest Regional Meeting*. Georgetown College, Kentucky (April 2013)
6. "Four Arguments Against Driver's Utilitarian Account of Moral Virtue," *Indiana Philosophical Association*. Indiana University Southeast, Indiana (March 2013)
5. "Rollbacks, Chance, and Counterfactuals of Freedom," *Midsouth Philosophy Conference*. Rhodes College, Tennessee (February 2013)
4. "Applying Molinism to the Theological Problem of Moral Luck," *University of Notre Dame Center for Philosophy of Religion Discussion Group*. University of Notre Dame, Indiana (October 2012)*
3. "Humean Miracles in David Lewis's Metaphysics," *Evangelical Philosophical Society, Southwest Regional Meeting*. Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Texas (March 2012)*
2. "Humean Miracles in D. M. Armstrong's Metaphysics," *Midsouth Philosophy Conference*. Rhodes College, Tennessee (February 2012)
1. "A New Molinist Solution to the Problem of Moral Luck and Divine Judgment," *Divine Foreknowledge and Human Freedom Master Class*. München, Germany (February 2012)

COMMENTARIES

10. "TBA, by Holly Smith," *Stockholm University* (upcoming)
9. "Toward a Social Theory of Moral Responsibility, by Fernando Rudy Hiller," *American Philosophical Association Central Division, Main Program*. Denver, Colorado (February 2019)
8. "Taking Responsibility, by Elinor Mason," *Workshop on Mason's Ways to Be Blameworthy*. University of Gothenburg, Sweden (March 2018)
7. "Deterministic Chance and Agents' Abilities, by Ferenc Huoranszki," *Workshop on Huoranszki's Rationality, Freedom, and Determinism*. University of Gothenburg (October 2017)
6. "Manipulation and Agent-Based Reasons-Responsiveness: Lessons from Nudges, by Philip Robichaud," *Workshop on Responsibility, Conversation, and Communication*. University of Gothenburg, Sweden (May 2017)
5. "Responsible Belief is Compatible with Doxastic Luck, by Rik Peels," *Gothenburg Responsibility Project Discussion Group*. University of Gothenburg, Sweden (May 2017)

4. "A Theory of Moral Accountability, by Christopher Franklin," *Workshop on Franklin's A Minimal Libertarianism: Free Will and the Promise of Reduction*. University of Gothenburg, Sweden (February 2017)
3. "Atoning in Purgatory, by Joshua Thurow," *Interim State between Death and Resurrection Workshop*. McCall, Idaho (July 2015)
2. "What is it like to be a Separated Soul?, by Mark Spencer," *Interim State between Death and Resurrection Workshop*. McCall, Idaho (July 2015)
1. "Counterfactuals, Acts, and Moral Worth, by Mark Anderson," *Midsouth Philosophy Conference*. Rhodes College, Tennessee (February 2013)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TALKS

2. "Generating Classroom Discussion," *Stockholm University*. Stockholm, Sweden (upcoming)
1. "Advice on Publishing," *University of Zürich*. Zürich, Switzerland (upcoming)

AWARDS & HONORS

- 2016 Passed with Distinction, Dissertation Defense
- 2016 Three Publication Incentive Awards from the University of St. Thomas Summer Seminar on Philosophy of Religion for (i) "Against Luck-Free Moral Responsibility," (ii) "Counterfactuals of Freedom and the Luck Objection to Libertarianism," and (iii) "Error Theory for the Luck-Free Intuition" from *In Defense of Moral Luck*
- 2015 Presentation Incentive Award from the University of St. Thomas Summer Seminar on Philosophy of Religion for "Comments on 'Atoning in Purgatory'"
- 2014 Passed with Distinction, Oral Exam
- 2014 The Collins Award granted by the St. Louis University philosophy faculty for graduate student academic achievement
- 2014 Graduate Student Prize from the APA Central Division
- 2013 Graduate Student Prize from the APA Eastern Division
- 2013 Best Graduate Student Paper Award from Indiana Philosophical Association for "Four Arguments Against Driver's Utilitarian Account of Moral Virtue"
- 2012-15 Seven Presentation Travel Awards from St. Louis University

PROFESSIONAL SEMINARS & FELLOWSHIPS

- 2018 Selected Participant, Interdisciplinary Seminar on Character Traits and the Morally Exceptional Wake Forest University, North Carolina (one of fifteen junior scholars chosen)
- 2015 Selected Participant, Seminar on Aquinas and Contemporary Ethics Princeton Theological Seminary, New Jersey (one of fifteen graduate students chosen)
- 2015 Selected Participant, Seminar on Philosophy of Religion and Philosophical Theology University of St. Thomas, Minnesota (one of twenty junior scholars chosen)
- 2015 Selected Participant, Workshop on the Interim State between Death and Resurrection McCall, Idaho (one of five graduate students chosen)
- 2012 Selected Participant, Master Class on Divine Foreknowledge and Human Freedom Munich, Germany (one of eleven junior scholars chosen)
- 2013-14 Research Fellowship from St. Louis University
- 2012 Fellowship to study at the University of Notre Dame

SERVICE

Referee: *American Philosophical Quarterly* (3x), *Analysis*, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *Criminal Law and Philosophy*, *Diametros*, *Erkenntnis* (3x), *Inquiry*, *Journal of Philosophy*, *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly*, *Philosophia*, *Philosophical Explorations*, *Philosophical Papers*, *Philosophical Quarterly*, *Philosophical Studies* (2x), *Ratio* (2x), *Res Philosophica*, *Social Theory and Practice*, *Thought*

Referee: *Routledge*

2017-18 Director, Lund-Gothenburg Responsibility Project Discussion Group

2018 Co-organizer, Workshop on Free Will and Moral Luck. University of Gothenburg.
Speakers: David Enoch, Robert Hartman, Kristin Mickelson, Derk Pereboom, Patrick Todd, Ben Vilhauer

2017 Organizer, Workshop on Ferenc Huoranszki's Rationality, Freedom, and Determinism. University of Gothenburg

2013 Co-organizer, St. Louis University Graduate Student Conference on the Problem of Evil.
Keynote Addresses: Alvin Plantinga and Paul Draper

2011-12 Vice President, Philosophy Student Government Association

GRADUATE SEMINARS*Ethics*

Contemporary Virtue Ethics (Foreman)

Contemporary Ethical Theory (Mitchell)

Kant's Moral Philosophy (Charron)

Aquinas on the Seven Capital Vices (McCluskey)

Plato's Republic (Terzis)

Self, Agency, and Autonomy* (Haybron)

Dante's Inferno** (Stump)

Metaphysics & Logic

Metaphysics (van Inwagen)

Metaphysics (Yandell)

Causal Powers (Jacobs)

Mind and Agency (Greco)

The Metaphysics of Free Will* (Jacobs)

Advanced Logic (Jacobs)

Epistemology

Virtue Epistemology (Greco)

Philosophy of Science (Chakravartty)

Knowledge and Action* (Hawthorne)

Hume and Reid (Greco)

Plato's Epistemology (Berman)

Philosophy of Religion

Contemporary Phil. of Religion (Stump)

Theism (McCall)

Religious Epistemology (Yandell)

Religious Pluralism (Netland)

Augustine's City of God (Marler)

Boethius and Aquinas on the Trinity and Incarnation (Stump)

(audit = *) (reading group = **)

REFERENCES*Eleonore Stump*

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