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### **Education**

PhD in Philosophy, Michigan State University, May 2009  
MA in Philosophy, Michigan State University, May 2000  
BA in Philosophy, Kalamazoo College, December 1994  
Associate of Arts, Macomb Community College, December 1991

### **Area of Specialization**

Social-Political Philosophy, Continental Philosophy, Ethics

### **Areas of Competence**

Medical Ethics, History of Philosophy, Ecological Philosophy, Informal Logic

### **Dissertation**

*Mutual Recognition and Social Conflict*

Committee: Richard Peterson (Chair), Steve Esquith, Winston Wilkinson, Lisa Schwartzman

### **Publication**

Review of *Naturalism and the Human Condition: Against Scientism* by Frederick A. Olafson, in *Teaching Philosophy* 26:1 (March) 2003, 97-100

### **Presentations**

“Fraser’s Reifications: Rethinking ‘Rethinking Recognition,’” 21<sup>st</sup> International Social Philosophy Conference, July 2004

Commentary on “Proventing Terrorism,” Michelle Maiese, Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, Michigan State University, February 2004

Commentary on “Post-Archaeological Revolutions,” David Gray, Graduate Student Philosophy Conference, Michigan State University, November 2000

## **Teaching Experience**

### **Courses for which I had sole responsibility:**

Department of Philosophy, Kalamazoo College

Introduction to Ethics – Fall 2009, 2007, Spring 2008  
19<sup>th</sup> Century Philosophy – Fall 2009  
Introduction to Logic – Spring 2009  
Ecological Philosophy – Spring 2009  
Political Philosophy: The Just Society – Fall 2008

Department of Humanities and Performing Arts, Lansing Community College

Ethical Issues in Health Care – Fall 2009, 2008, 2007, 2006, 2005, 2004  
Introduction to Ethics – Fall 2006, Spring 2006, 2005, 2004  
Introduction to Logic – Fall 2008, 2007, 2006, 2003, Spring 2008, 2007  
Summer 2008, 2007, 2003  
World Philosophies I – Spring 2009, 2008  
World Philosophies II – Fall 2009, Spring 2007  
World Philosophies II, Online Course – Spring 2009

Department of Philosophy, Michigan State University

Ethical Issues in Health Care – Summer 2005, 2004  
Introduction to Social and Political Philosophy – Spring 2007, Summer 2002  
Introduction to Logic – Fall 2001

Integrative Studies in the Arts and Humanities, Michigan State University

Self, Society, and Technology – Summer 2006, Spring 2004, Fall 2004, 2003  
The U.S. and the World – Fall 2005, 2000, Spring 2001, Summer 2001

Department of Humanities, Mott Community College

Introduction to Ethics – Spring 2004, Summer 2003

Department of Philosophy, Jackson Community College

Introduction to Philosophy – Summer 2003

### **Teaching Assistant:**

Department of Philosophy, Michigan State University

Violence, Reason, and Politics – Spring 2003  
Philosophy and American Slavery – Fall 2002  
Conceptions of the Self – Spring 2002, 2000

Introduction to Logic – Fall 1999, 1998  
Philosophy of Law – Spring 1998

Integrative Studies in the Arts and Humanities, Michigan State University

Self, Society, and Technology – Spring 2005

Department of Philosophy, Kalamazoo College

Problems in Social-Political Philosophy – Summer, 1994

### **Courses Taken**

#### **Seminars:**

Continental Philosophy: History and the Formation of Individuals  
Richard Peterson, Fall 2002  
Social and Political Philosophy: Feminism, Equality and Impartiality  
Lisa Schwartzman, Spring 2002  
History of Philosophy: Kant's Social and Political Philosophy  
Frederick Rauscher, Fall 2001  
Value Theory: Identity, Recognition and Rights  
Richard Peterson, Fall 1999  
Social and Political Philosophy: Feminism and Theories of Power  
Cressida Heyes, Fall 1998  
History of Philosophy: Rationalist Ontologies  
Debra Nails, Spring 2001  
History of Philosophy: Wittgenstein  
Martin Benjamin, Spring 1999  
Philosophy of Science: Representation  
Richard Hall, Spring 2002  
Epistemology: Social Epistemology  
Winston Wilkinson, Fall 2000  
Philosophy of Language: Proseminar  
Richard Hall, Fall 1999  
Philosophy of Science  
Joe Hanna, Spring 1999  
Teaching Philosophy  
Martin Benjamin, Spring 2002

#### **Upper Level:**

Contemporary Continental Philosophy: Conceptions of the Other  
Dana Hollander, Fall 2001  
Hegel  
Richard Peterson, Spring 2000  
Contemporary Continental Philosophy: Subjects, Others, and Rationality  
Richard Peterson, Fall 1998  
Social and Political Philosophy: The Concept of Equality

Stephen Esquith, Spring 2001  
British Empiricism  
Frederick Rauscher, Fall 2000  
Independent Study in Metaphysics: Bergson  
Herbert Garelick, Spring 2000  
19<sup>th</sup> Century Philosophy: Kierkegaard, Schopenhauer, Nietzsche, and James  
Herbert Garelick, Fall 1999  
Formal Reasoning  
Paul Rusnock, Spring 1999

### **Honors**

Nominated for the 2002-2003 *Somer's Teaching Excellence Award* in the Integrative Studies in the Arts and Humanities Department, Michigan State University

### **Affiliations**

American Philosophical Association

### **University Service**

GEU (Graduate Employees Union): member, and department steward 2002-2003.

### **References**

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