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AOS: Ethics (Normative Ethics, Metaethics, Moral Psychology, Feminist Ethics). **AOC:** Social and Political Philosophy.

Education University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA. Ph.D. in Philosophy, 1996; MA in Philosophy, 1992.

> Carleton College, Northfield, MN. B.A. in Philosophy, 1988. Summa cum laude; Phi Beta Kappa.

Academic Positions

Binghamton University (State University of New York).
Professor of Philosophy, 2015 – present.
Associate Professor of Philosophy, 2005 – 2015.
Assistant Professor of Philosophy, 1999 – 2005.

University of Oslo, Institute of Health and Society, Centre for Medical Ethics Senior Researcher, 2022 – present (expected through 2027).

University of New Hampshire, Durham. Assistant Professor of Philosophy, 1998 – 1999.

Mt. Holyoke College, Massachusetts. Visiting Assistant Professor of Philosophy, 1995 – 1998.

North Adams State College, Massachusetts. Instructor of Philosophy, 1994 – 1995.

Honors, Grants, and Awards

"Moral Residue—Epistemological Ramifications, Ethical Implications, and Didactic Opportunities." Principal Investigator: Jan Helge Solbakk, University of Oslo. Senior researcher on "Advanced Grant" project funded by the European Research Council. Funding awarded: 2.455 million Euros. 2022-2027.

President of the American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, July 2023present. (Vice President and President-Elect July 2022-June 2023). State University of New York Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Scholarship and Creative Activities, 2017-2018.

Sabbatical Award, Fall 2019, Spring 2013, Fall 2006.

Faculty Fellowship, Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities, Binghamton University, Spring 2020, Fall 2011.

Harpur College Grant in Support of Research, Scholarship and Creative Work, Binghamton University, 2009.

Outstanding Graduate Director Award, Binghamton University, 2007-2008.

Individual Development Awards, Fall 2009, Fall 2006, Spring 2002.

Publications

Monographs

2017. When Doing the Right Thing Is Impossible. Oxford University Press. Reviewed in:

The Journal of Moral Philosophy (2020) 17: 99-109. *The Journal of Philosophy* (May 2018) 115 (5): 271-275. *Kennedy Institute of Ethics Journal* (March 2018) 28 (1): E15-E20. *Public Administration Review* (2018) 78 (6): 929-931. *Choice Reviews* (Dec 2017). *Library Journal* (April 2017).

2015. *Moral Failure: On the Impossible Demands of Morality*. Oxford University Press. Reviewed in:

Ethics (July 2016) 126 (4): 1124-1129. <u>Mind: A Quarterly Review of Philosophy</u> (2016) 125 (500): 1227-1236. <u>The Philosophical Quarterly</u> (April 2016) 66 (263): 400-402. <u>American Philosophical Association Newsletter on Feminism and Philosophy</u> (2016) 16 (1): 16-18. <u>Metapsychology</u>, 2016. <u>Dialectica</u>, 2016. <u>Hypatia Reviews Online</u>, 2015. <u>Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews</u>, 2015. <u>Areté: Revista de Filosofía</u>, 2015.

2005. Burdened Virtues: Virtue Ethics for Liberatory Struggles. Oxford University Press.

Edited Volumes

- 2009. *Feminist Ethics and Social and Political Philosophy: Theorizing the Non-Ideal.* Springer. Edited and with an introduction by Lisa Tessman.
- 2001. *Jewish Locations: Traversing Racialized Landscapes*. Rowman and Littlefield. Coedited and with an introduction by Lisa Tessman and Bat-Ami Bar On.

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

- 2023. <u>"When the Heavens Fall: The Unintelligible and the Unthinkable."</u> Journal of *Ethics* Special Issue on the 50th Anniversary of the Publication of Michael Walzer's "Political Action: The Problem of Dirty Hands". doi.org/10.1007/s10892-023-09444-7
- 2021. "The Virtues of Reactive Attitudes" The Journal of Value Inquiry 55: 437-456.
- 2020. <u>"Moral Distress in Health Care: When Is It Fitting?</u>" *Medicine, Health Care, and Philosophy*, 23(2): 165-177.
- 2018. <u>"Sacrificing Value."</u> International Journal of Philosophical Studies 26 (3): 376-398. Reprinted in: Sacrifice and Moral Philosophy, edited by Marcel van Ackeren and Alfred Archer, Routledge, 2020: 76-98.
- 2013. "Value Pluralism, Intuitions, and Reflective Equilibrium." *Philosophical Topics* 41(2): 175-201.
- 2010. "Idealizing Morality." Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy. 25 (4): 797-824.
- 2009. "Expecting Bad Luck." Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy. 24 (1): 9-28.
- 2003. "On (Not) Living the Good Life: Reflections on Oppression, Virtue, and Flourishing." *Canadian Journal of Philosophy* Supplementary Volume 28: 3-32.
- 2000. "Moral Luck in the Politics of Personal Transformation." *Social Theory and Practice*. 26 (3): 1-21.
- 1999. "The Racial Politics of Mixed-Race." Journal of Social Philosophy. 30 (2): 276-294.
- 1998. "Dangerous Loyalties and Liberatory Politics." *Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy.* 13 (4): 18-39.
- 1995. "Beyond Communitarian Unity in the Politics of Identity." *Socialist Review* 94 (1-2): 54-83.
- 1995. "Who Are My People? Communitarianism and the Interlocking of Oppressions." International Studies in Philosophy, XXVII/1: 105-117.

Peer Reviewed Book Chapters

2023. "Moral Injury and Moral Failure." In *How to End a War: Essays on Justice, Peace, and Repair,* edited by Graham Parsons and Mark Wilson. Cambridge University Press: 31-58.

- 2014. "Making More Space for Moral Failure." In *Virtue and the Moral Life: Theological and Philosophical Perspectives*, ed. William Werpehowski and Kathryn Getek-Soltis. Lexington Books: 133-152.
- 2013. "Virtue Ethics and Moral Failure: Lessons from Neuroscientific Moral Psychology." *Virtues in Action: New Essays in Applied Virtue Ethics*, ed. Michael Austin. Palgrave Macmillan: 171-189.
- 2010. "Against the Whiteness of Ethics: Dilemmatizing as a Critical Approach." In *The Center Must Not Hold: White Women Philosophers on the Whiteness of Philosophy*, ed. George Yancy. Lexington Books: 193-209.
- 2005. "The Burdened Virtues of Political Resistance." In *Feminist Interventions in Ethics and Politics*, eds. Barbara S. Andrew, Jean Keller and Lisa H. Schwartzman. Rowman and Littlefield: 77-96.
- 2001. "Critical Virtue Ethics: Understanding Oppression as Morally Damaging." In *Feminists Doing Ethics*, eds. Peggy DesAutels and Joanne Waugh. Rowman and Littlefield. Volume selected as a *Choice* Outstanding Academic Book, 2003.
- 1999. "The Other Colors of Whiteness" with Bat-Ami Bar On. In *Whiteness: Feminist Philosophical Reflections*, eds. Chris Cuomo and Kim Hall. Rowman and Littlefield. Reprinted in *Oppression, Privilege, and Resistance*, eds. Lisa Heldke and Peg O'Connor. McGraw Hill, 2004.

Invited or Non Peer Reviewed Book Chapters, Articles, and Response Papers 2016. "<u>Moral Failure—Response to Critics</u>." *Feminist Philosophical Quarterly* 2 (1) article 6.

- 2009. "Feminist Eudaimonism: Eudaimonism as Non-Ideal Theory." In *Feminist Ethics and Social and Political Philosophy: Theorizing the Non-Ideal*, ed. Lisa Tessman. Springer: 47-58.
- 2008. "Reply to Critics. Tessman Symposium on Burdened Virtues" Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy. 23 (3): 205-216.
- 2002. "Do the Wicked Flourish? Virtue Ethics and Unjust Social Privilege." *American Philosophical Association Newsletter on Feminism and Philosophy* 01 (2) (Spring 2002): 59-63.
- 2001. "Jewish Racializations: Revealing the Contingency of Whiteness." In *Jewish Locations: Traversing Racialized Landscapes*, eds. Lisa Tessman and Bat-Ami Bar On. Rowman and Littlefield.

Forthcoming Work

"An Apology for Inapt Emotions." Forthcoming Oct 2023. Philosophical Topics 50 (2).

Book Reviews and Review Essays

- 2021. <u>"On the Transformations and Degradations of Moral Subjectivity,"</u> Symposium on Joseph Wiinikka-Lydon's *Moral Injury and the Promise of Virtue. Syndicate.*
- 2020. Review of Eva Feder Kittay's *Learning from My Daughter: The Value and Care of Disabled Minds. American Philosophical Association Newsletter on Feminism and Philosophy* 19 (2): 33-35.
- 2017. Review of Cheshire Calhoun's Moral Aims: Essays on the Importance of Getting It Right and Practicing Morality with Others. American Philosophical Association Newsletter on Feminism and Philosophy 17 (1): 9-12.
- 2014. <u>Review of Macalester Bell's Hard Feelings</u>: The Moral Psychology of Contempt. Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy. Hypatia Reviews Online.
- 2011. Review of Anita Superson's *The Moral Skeptic. Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy.* 26 (4): 883-887.
- 2005. Review of Christine Swanton's Virtue Ethics: A Pluralistic View. Philosophical Review. 114 (3).

Public Philosophy

2023: Interviewed for <u>"The Case for Outsourcing Morality to AI"</u> by John Danaher in *Wired*. Feb. 2, 2023.

2019: Dilemma: A Philosophy Podcast. Episode 9: <u>A Hospital in a Hurricane</u>. Oct. 22, 2019.

2018: Interview on "Tapestry," CBC Radio show, Nov. 30, 2018.

2018: "Solace for Unwitting and Unwilling Wrongdoers." *The Philosophers' Magazine* Issue 83 (Nov. 2018).

2017-2018: "I'm Only Human: Ethics for Real People." Blog for Psychology Today.

2018. <u>Interview on *When Doing the Right Thing is Impossible* on Radical Philosophy Radio Show.</u>

2017. Interview on When Doing the Right Thing is Impossible in The Reporter Group.

2017. <u>"Sometimes Giving a Person a Choice Is an Act of Terrible Cruelty.</u>" *Aeon.* Aug. 9. Translated and reprinted in *Letras Libres* as <u>"La crueldad de elegir.</u>"

2017. Interview on *When Doing the Right Thing is Impossible* on Tell Me Everything with John Fuglesang (Sirius XM radio). Aug. 7, 2017.

2017. <u>Interview on *When Doing the Right Thing is Impossible*</u> on Think (National Public Radio program), July 25, 2017.

2017. <u>"Rocks and Hard Places."</u> *The Forum: Thinking in Public*. The London School of Economics and Political Science. July 24, 2017.

2017. Interview on *When Doing the Right Thing is Impossible* on Consider This (radio program), July 21, 2017.

2017. Interview on the American Philosophical Association blog.

2016. <u>"The Questions of Plural and Conflicting Demands."</u> Philosop-Her "Featured Philosopher" post.

2016. Interview on Moral Failure in The Reporter Group.

2015. <u>Interview on *Moral Failure*</u> on New Books in Philosophy (New Books Network), Nov. 1, 2015.

Presentations

Invited Lectures

"Moral Injury and Moral Failure."

Duke University, November 2021.

Sullivan Lecture, Fordham University, April 2021.

Jackson Family Center for Ethics and Values, Coastal Carolina University, February 2021.

Ethics of War and Peace Conference, United States Military Academy, West Point, October 2019.

"Setting Ourselves Up for Moral Failure." Steinkraus Lecture, State University of New York at Oswego, October 2019.

"Moral Distress at the Edge of Culpability."

Keynote lecture, 33rd European Conference on Philosophy of Medicine and Health Care, University of Oslo, Norway, August 2019.

"Failure Without Fault."

Groupe de Recherche Interuniversitaire sur la Normativité (GRIN), Montréal, Canada, April 2019.

"Solace for Unwitting and Unwilling Wrongdoers," Vanderbilt University, Nov. 2018. Cornell University, Nov. 2018.

- "In Defense of Failure." The Frederick Mahan Lecture, Gettysburg College, April 2018.
- "Moral Failure." University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, December 2017.
- "Sacrificing Value." Georgetown University, November 2017.
- "The Problem of What We Care About."
 - Plenary talk, joint meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics, the Society of Jewish Ethics, and the Society for the Study of Muslim Ethics, New Orleans, January 2017.
- "Transforming the Question of Moral Demandingness." Union College, October 2016.
- "One Thought Too Many and One Thought Too Few: On Constructing Morality." Davidson College, March 2015.
- "Thinking the Unthinkable: On the Risks of Constructing Morality." Bard College, April 2014. Dalhousie University, May 2014.
- "Intuitions and Reflective Equilibrium in Feminist Ethics." Bryn Mawr College, Feb. 2014.
- "Making More Space for Moral Failure." The Intersection of Virtue and Ethics Lecture Series, Villanova University, Feb. 2011.
- "On Moral Dilemmas." Tel Aviv University, Israel. December 2008.
- "Moral Luck in the Politics of Personal Transformation." University of Göteborg, Göteborg, Sweden, May 1998.
- "Feminist Ethics: What's Luck Got To Do With It?" Keynote: Seven College Conference on Ethics, Mount Holyoke College, March 1998.

Invited Author Meets Critics Sessions, Panels, Workshops, and Commentaries

"An Apology for Inapt Emotions." Affective Injustice Philosophy Workshop, Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, NC, May 2022. "The Virtues of Reactive Attitudes."

Virtue Ethics and Politics Workshop, Concordia University, Montréal, Canada, March 2020.

Comments on Eva Kittay's *Learning from My Daughter*, Author Meets Critics session, APA Eastern Division meetings, January 2020.

"Suffering from Our Own Wrongdoings."

"On Suffering: Pain, Precarity, and the Disintegration of the Self" Conference at New York University, April 2019.

- "Reply to Critics" In Author Meets Critics session on *Moral Failure: On the Impossible Demands of Morality* (critics: Nomy Arpaly, Nicolas Cornell, and Eric Wiland), American Philosophical Association Central Division Meetings (main program), Kansas City, March 2017.
- "Response to Critics" in Author Meets Critics session on *Moral Failure: On the Impossible Demands of Morality* (critics: Eva Feder Kittay, Lisa Schwartzman, and Lisa Rivera), Feminist Ethics and Social Theory Conference, Clearwater, FL, October 2015.
- "Morality on the Open Seas: Seeking a Naturalized Ethics that Authorizes Feminist Critique," Feminist Philosophy at U. Mass.: Celebrating the Career and Legacy of Ann Ferguson, Amherst, May 2007.
- "Response to My Critics" in Author Meets Critics session on *Burdened Virtues: Virtue Ethics for Liberatory Struggles*, American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division Meetings (main program), San Francisco, April 2007.
- "Moral Luck and the Unattainable Good Life," Cardfest—a Conference in Honor of Claudia Card, University of Wisconsin, Madison, April 2006.
- Workshop on *Burdened Virtues: Virtue Ethics for Liberatory Struggles* (as book manuscript), Socialist and Feminist Philosophers Association, New Haven, CT, May 2004.
- "Reflections on Oppression, Virtue and Flourishing." Feminist Moral Philosophy Conference, University of Western Ontario, August 2002.
- Panel discussion, "Mentoring for Diversity." American Philosophical Association Central Division Meeting (main program), Chicago, April 2002.
- Commentator on Alison Jaggar's "Capabilities and Colonialism." Socialist and Feminist Philosophers Association Meeting, Amherst, MA, September 2001.
- Commentator on Johanna Brenner's *Women and the Politics of Class*, Socialist and Feminist Philosophers Association Meeting, New York City, April 2001.

Refereed Conference Presentations

"Moral Injury: On Reactive Attitudes that are Fitting but Unfair," Central New York Moral Psychology Workshop, LeMoyne College, November 2020.

"Solace for Unwitting and Unwilling Wrongdoers," North American Society for Social Philosophy, at APA Eastern meetings, Jan 2019.

"Intuitions and Reflective Equilibrium in Feminist Ethics," Feminist Ethics and Social Theory Conference, Tempe, AZ, Oct. 2013.

"Moral Sociality," North American Society for Social Philosophy Conference, Northeastern University, July 2012.

"On Having a Bottomless Source of Moral Failure," Feminist Ethics and Social Theory Conference, Zion, IL, September 2011.

"Dilemmaticity in Moral Life," Feminist Ethics and Social Theory Conference, Clearwater, FL, September 2009.

"Worthy Ideals and Non-Ideal Conditions," North American Society for Social Philosophy Conference, Philadelphia, July 2009.

"Moral Conditions under Oppression: Dilemmaticity as a Measure of Moral Disrepair." North American Society for Social Philosophy Conference, Portland, OR, July 2008.

"Moral Disrepair." American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division Meetings (main program), Pasadena, CA, March 2008.

"Feminist Eudaimonism: Eudaimonism as Non-Ideal Theory," Feminist Ethics and Social Theory Conference, Clearwater, FL, September 2007.

"In the Absence of Hope," Radical Philosophy Association 7th Biennial Conference, Creighton University, November 2006.

"Affirming Liberatory Struggle in the Face of Failure: A Eudaimonistic Choice," Radical Philosophy Association 6th Biennial International Conference, Howard University, November 2004.

"Pessimism and Eudaimonistic Choices," XIth Symposium of the International Association of Women Philosophers, Göteborg, Sweden, June 2004.

"The Burden of Political Resistance," Feminist Ethics and Social Theory Conference, Clearwater, FL, October 2003. "A (Radical) Philosopher's Contribution to a Politics of Resistance: Or: When the Comrades in Struggle could use Moral Theory," Radical Philosophy Association National conference, Brown University, November 2002.

"Indifference as Meta-Vice, Or: How to be Free While Others are Oppressed," 10th Symposium of the International Association of Women Philosophers, Barcelona, Spain, October 2002.

"Do the Bad Guys Lead the Good Life? Virtue Ethics and Unjust Social Privilege." Feminist Ethics and Social Theory Conference, Clearwater, FL, October 2001.

"On (Not) Living the Good Life: Oppression and Moral Damage." National Women's Studies Association Conference, University of Minnesota, June 2001.

"Critical Virtue Ethics: Understanding Oppression as Morally Damaging." Feminist Ethics Revisited Conference, sponsored by The Ethics Center, University of South Florida, October 1999.

"Character and Racial Discourse." Radical Philosophy Association National Conference, San Francisco State University, November 1998.

"Moral Luck in the Politics of Personal Transformation." Eastern Division of the Society for Women In Philosophy Conference, University of New Hampshire, March 1998.

"The Other Colors of Whiteness" with Bat-Ami Bar On. Intersections of Race Conference, Morgan State University, October 1997.

"The Racial Politics of Mixed-Race," Radical Philosophy Association National Conference, Purdue University, Nov. 1996; Socialist and Feminist Philosophers Association, May 1997.

"Beyond Communitarian Unity in the Politics of Identity," Radical Philosophy Association National Conference, Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa, November 1994.

"Having a People: Communitarianism and the Interlocking of Oppressions," Philosophy, Interpretation and Culture Conference, SUNY Binghamton, April 1994; Eastern Division of the Society for Women In Philosophy Conference, SUNY Binghamton, April 1994.

"A Critique of Separatism," Philosophy, Interpretation and Culture Conference, SUNY Binghamton, March 1991.

"Identity, Marginalization and Empowerment," Midwest Radical Scholars and Activists Conference, Loyola University, Chicago, October 1990. "An Analysis of A Priori Primary Relationships," National Women's Studies Association Conference, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, June 1988; Minnesota Philosophical Society Conference, Minneapolis, March 1988.

Professional Organizations

American Philosophical Association (APA). Association for Feminist Ethics and Social Theory (FEAST). North American Society for Social Philosophy (NASSP). Emotion and Society Lab.

Professional Service

American Philosophical Association:

- 2023-present: President, Eastern Division; 2022-2013: Vice President, Eastern Division; 2022-present: Member, National Board of Officers.
- 2001-2003: Appointed member of the APA Committee on Inclusiveness in the Profession.
- Mentor, The Mentoring Workshop for Early Career Women* Faculty in Philosophy, Marc Sanders Foundation, June 2023.

Collaborator, The Emotion and Society Lab.

Editorial Board, Journal of Social Philosophy, 2018-present.

- Editorial Board, Oxford University Press series, Studies in Feminist Philosophy, 2016present.
- Advisory Board, Feminist Philosophy Quarterly. 2015-present.

Chair of the Board of Directors, Hypatia Inc. 2015-2018.

Board of Associate Editors, Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy. 2009-2014.

Association for Feminist Ethics and Social Theory:

Founding Member (1999).

Steering Committee Member (1999-2011).

Chair of the Diversity Committee (1999-2002).

Program Committee Member for the 2001 conference.

Chair of the Program Committee for the 2003 and 2005 conferences.

Chair of the Steering Committee (2009-2011).

International Association of Women Philosophers: Program Committee, 2004.

Radical Philosophy Association: Program Committee, 2000.

Socialist and Feminist Philosophers' Association: Organized meetings 1997-2008. Society for Women in Philosophy

Distinguished Woman Philosopher Award Selection Committee, 2007-2010

Referee manuscripts for: Australasian Journal of Philosophy, Canadian Journal of Philosophy, Ethical Theory and Moral Practice, Ethics, Feminist Philosophical Quarterly, Feminist Theory, Hypatia, Journal of Applied Philosophy, Journal of Philosophical Research, Journal of Social Philosophy, Mind, Political Theory, Public Affairs Quarterly, Social Philosophy Today, Social Theory and Practice, Studies in Practical Philosophy; Broadview Press, McGraw-Hill, Polity Press, Oxford University Press, Routledge, Rowman and Littlefield.

- External reviewer for tenure and promotion cases for: Yale University, Stonybrook University, Wesleyan University, Trent University, University of Massachusetts, Boston, and York University (twice).
- External examiner for Ph.D. dissertations at: Dalhousie University (Halifax, Canada) (twice) and University of New South Wales (Sydney, Australia).

Service at Binghamton University

- Member of the Harpur College Academic Honesty Committee, 2021-present.
- Member of the Presidential Diversity Faculty Grant Committee, 2018-present.
- Member of the Educational Opportunity Program (EOP) Advisory Committee, 2014-present. Chair of the Faculty Senate Diversity Committee, 2016-2018; representative from the Harpur College Humanities Division, 2018-2020.
- Director of the Pell Undergraduate Honors Program, 2015-2019.
- Member of the All-University Personnel Committee, representative from the Harpur College Humanities Division, 2007-2009, 2015-2017.
- Acting Chair of the Philosophy Department, Spring 2016.
- Member of the Faculty Senate, representative from the Philosophy Department, 2002-2004; 2010-2012; 2014-2016.
- Member of the Harpur College Faculty Diversity and Inclusion Committee, 2014-2015.
- Director of Graduate Studies in Philosophy, MA and Ph.D. program in Social, Political, Ethical and Legal Philosophy (SPEL), 2005-2010; Acting Director Fall 2012.
- Affiliated faculty member and steering committee member for the Women's Studies program (renamed Women, Gender and Sexuality Studies program in 2013) and for the Graduate Certificate in Feminist Theory program, 1999-2016.
- Affiliated faculty member and steering committee member for the undergraduate program in Philosophy, Politics and Law, 1999-2020.
- Member of the Harpur College Council, representative from the Philosophy Department, 2009-2011.
- Undergraduate Director in Philosophy, 2002-2005.

Dissertations directed at Binghamton University:

- Jessica Vargas González, Ph.D. 2022.
- Laura Engel, Ph.D. 2019. Current position: Assistant Professor, University of Minnesota, Duluth.
- Brandon Davis-Shannon, Ph.D. 2017. Current position: Interim Associate Vice President of Academic Affairs/Dean of Institutional Technology, Cayuga Community College.
- Gary Santillanes, Ph.D. 2016. Current position: Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Northland Pioneer College, AZ (tenure track).
- Regan Rule, Ph.D. 2016. Current position: non-academic (attorney); previous position: Rogers State University.
- Saba Fatima, Ph.D. 2012. Current position: Associate Professor of Philosophy, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville (tenured).
- Sean Cummings, Ph.D. 2011. Current position: Adjunct lecturer, Environmental Studies, Binghamton University.
- Selin Gürsozlü, Ph.D. 2010: Current position: Lecturer, Loyola University of Maryland.

- Monica Mueller, Ph.D. 2009: Current position: Senior Instructor, Portland State University; previous position: Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Capital University (tenure track).
- Tushabe Wa Tushabe, Ph.D. (Philosophy, Interpretation and Culture) 2008: Current position: Associate Professor of Human Sexuality Studies, Widener University (tenured).
- Desirée Melton, Ph.D. 2006: Current position: Associate Chair of Liberal Arts, Savannah College of Art and Design; Previous position: Associate Professor of Philosophy, College of Notre Dame of Maryland (tenured).
- Chris Frakes, Ph.D. 2004: Current position: non-academic (Program Director, Farm Well Wisconsin); Previous positions: Beloit College; University of Colorado, Colorado Springs; Colorado College.