

JORDAN LOUISE MACKENZIE

SPECIALIZATIONS Normative Ethics, Bioethics

COMPETENCIES Feminist Philosophy, History of Ethics, Social and Political Philosophy

Virginia Tech
EMPLOYMENT Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy
August 2019-Present

New York University, Center for Bioethics
Assistant Professor/Faculty Fellow (Postdoctoral Fellowship)
August 2017-August 2019

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Ph.D. in Philosophy (2017)
EDUCATION *Dissertation:* “On Knowing Yourself and Being Worth Knowing”
Committee: Thomas E. Hill (supervisor), Susan Wolf, Simon Blackburn, Ram Neta, Matthew Kotzen

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, M.A. in Philosophy (2013)
Thesis: “Self-Knowledge in Kant’s Practical Philosophy”
Committee: Thomas E. Hill (supervisor), Geoffrey Sayre-McCord, Ryan Preston-Roedder

Queen’s University, B.A. (Honours) in Philosophy (2011)
Undergraduate Thesis: “Valuing Particulars”
Advisor: Kerah Gordon-Solmon

Knowing Yourself and Being Worth Knowing
PEER-REVIEWED *Journal of the American Philosophical Association* 4(2): 243-261 (2018)
PUBLICATIONS

Agent-Regret and the Social Practice of Moral Luck
Res Philosophica, 1: 95-117 (2017)

Review of Kristen Thomason’s “Naked: The Dark Side of Shame”
COMMENTARIES *Ethics*, 130(2): 267-271 (2020)
AND REVIEWS

Genetic Information, the Principle of Rescue, and Special Obligations
With S. Matthew Liao, *The Hastings Center Report* 48(3):18-19 (2018)

PAPERS IN
PROGRESS

In Normative Ethics

Self-Knowledge as Kant's First Command (under review)

Respect, Practical and Epistemic

Self-Deception as Self-Defeat

Survivor's Guilt and Solidarity

In Bioethics

Does Pediatric Hand Transplantation Undermine a Child's Right to an Open Future? (under review)

Medical Diagnosis as a Transformative Experience

May Surrogates Request Physician-Assisted Death?

FELLOWSHIPS
AND AWARDS

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Doctoral Fellowship, 2013-2016

Horace Williams Fellowship (UNC), 2011-2012

Ontario Graduate Scholarship (Declined), Spring 2011

Jaganathan Muraleenathan Book Prize in Philosophy (Queen's), Spring 2011

John Stark Gillies Scholarship in Philosophy (Queen's University), Spring 2009

Pall Ardal Moral Philosophy Prize (Queen's University), Spring 2009

ACADEMIC
PRESENTATIONS

Survivor's Guilt as Solidarity

CNY Moral Psychology Workshop, April 2020 (cancelled)

May Surrogates Request Physician-Assisted Death?

International Association for the Philosophy of Death and Dying Group Session at the American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, April 2020 (cancelled)

Self-Deception as Self-Defeat

American Philosophical Association, Central Division, February 2020

Uppsala University, March 2019

McGill University, February 2019

Virginia Tech, February 2019

Fordham University, February 2019

Ethical Issues in Pediatric Hand Transplantation

Swedish Society of Plastic Surgeons, March 2019

Self-Deception as a Failure of Valuing

New York Moral Psychology Reading Group, October 2018

Does the Right to Know Tell Us When It's Right to Tell?

The Hastings Center, April 2018

Knowing Yourself and Being Worth Knowing

New York City Early Career Ethics Workshop, January 2018

Carleton College, February 2017

NYU Center for Bioethics, February 2017

Respect, Practical and Epistemic

Thomas E. Hill Retirement Conference, May 2017

Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress, August 2016

Agent-Regret and the Social Practice of Moral Luck

American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, April 2015

Kant and the Duty to Know Oneself

UNC Kantian Ethics Workshop, March 2014

North American Kant Society, Southern Reading Group, February 2014

What Can Rawls Tell Us About Agent-Regret?

North Carolina Philosophical Association, February 2014

Taking Homeostasis Seriously

UNC Philosophy and Psychiatry Reading Group, June 2013

COMMENTARIES **Comments on Keshav Singh's "There Is No Pragmatic or Moral Encroachment,"**
Vancouver Summer Philosophy Workshop, August 2019

Comments on Travis Timmerman's "The Problem with Person-Rearing Accounts of Morality," American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, January 2019

Comments on Corey Katz's "Contractualism, Person-Affecting Wrongness, and the Non-Identity Problem," American Philosophical Association, Central Division, February 2018

Comments on Andrew Ross's "Threats, Choice, and the Moral Relevance of Causal Placement," Canadian Philosophical Association, June 2013

Comments on Kelin Emmett's "A Problem with the Wide-Scope View of the Hypothetical Imperative," American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, February 2013

TEACHING **Instructor of Record**
Virginia Tech

Morality and Justice (Undergraduate), Spring 2020

Biomedical Ethics (Undergraduate), Spring 2020

Advanced Moral Theory (Undergraduate), Fall 2019

New York University

Ethics of Disability (Undergraduate), Spring 2019

Reproductive Ethics (Graduate), Spring 2019

Advanced Introduction to Bioethics (Graduate), Fall 2018, Fall 2017

Current Political Controversies in Bioethics (Graduate), Spring 2018

Introduction to Medical Ethics (Undergraduate), Fall 2017

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Introduction to Feminist Philosophy (Undergraduate), Summer 2017, Summer 2015

Advanced Contemporary Ethical Theory (Undergraduate), Spring 2017

Introduction to Bioethics (Undergraduate), Summer 2016, Summer 2014

Introduction to Ethics (Undergraduate), Summer 2013

Supervision

Virginia Tech

As Primary Advisory

Trey Rogers, Ethan Higgenbotham, Jin Tian Acton

As Second Reader

Ethan Gordon

NYU Center for Bioethics

As Primary Advisor

Doyin Akintobi-Adeyeye, Isabel Avina, Edna Bissoon, Rayheann NaDejda Collins, Melissa Fewer, Yulia Gamper, Tori Grant, Sasha Isaac, Sheina Leboeuf, James Lim, Sara Meeder, Kimberly Vargas-Barreto

As Second Reader

Graham Curtiss-Rowlands, Jack Harris, Dhara Kadakia, Gennaro Selvaggi, Sirin Yilmaz, Michael Levot, Megan Kitts, Atina Knowles, John Dail, Jamie Webb, Austin Wishart

Additional Activities

APA Pacific Teaching Hub, Panel Participant, Spring 2020 (cancelled)

Participant on panel focused on job market teaching demonstrations

Certificate in Bioethics, NYU Center for Bioethics, 2017-2019

Created proposal materials, and designed curriculum for Certificate in Bioethics Program

Bioethics@NYU

Faculty co-sponsor for undergraduate bioethics club, 2017-2019

Future Faculty Fellowship Program, UNC Chapel Hill, 2016

Selected on basis of pedagogical excellence to participate in competitive fellowship program

Graduate Research Consultant Grant Recipient, UNC Chapel Hill, 2015

With Thomas E. Hill, won a grant to design and co-run an honors seminar aimed at promoting original undergraduate research; consulted with students on research projects throughout course

Teaching Assistant Coordinator, UNC Chapel Hill, 2014-2015

Trained first-time philosophy teaching assistants, and organized teaching workshop series

PUBLIC
OUTREACH

Presentations and Discussion Sessions

Taking Money from Industry: Some Ethical Considerations

With S. Matthew Liao, presented and led discussion with NYU College of Public Health Faculty on ethical issues associated with industry research funding, November 2018

Ethical Issues in Longitudinal Pediatric Research

Ran discussion session with NYU Neuroscience and Education Lab, November 2018

The Ethics of Designing Babies

Presentation for students at the High School for Environmental Studies, October 2018

Microaggressions and Implicit Bias: Philosophical and Practical Issues

NYU College of Global Public Health Orientation, August 2017, August 2018

Trending Topics in Bioethics

NYU College of Global Public Health Facebook Live Interview, April 2018

North Carolina Ethical Leadership Conference

Ran workshops on bioethics topics for high school students from across North Carolina, 2015

Videos and Public Writing

Genetic Privacy and the Golden State Killer

NYU GPH Newsletter, May 2018, <https://publichealth.nyu.edu/events-news/news/2018/05/04/genetic-privacy-and-golden-state-killer>

Philosophy in 15 Minutes: The Non-Identity Problem

UNC Chapel Hill, January 2017, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CVxhMzOwuA0>

Wireless Philosophy Video: The Appeal to the People Fallacy

February 2015, <http://www.wi-phi.com/video/appeal-people>

Ethics Bowl

How Much Should We Care About Animals?" Ethics Bowl Demo

Participated in 'mock' ethics bowl with Jeff Sebo, Alice Crary, Elizabeth Harman, Dale Jamieson & Shelly Kagan, Columbia University, May 2017

2014 National High School Ethics Bowl

Assisted in running NHSEB, which brought together teams from across the United States and Canada to compete, Spring 2014

High School Ethics Bowl Judge

New York High School Ethics Bowl, January 2018

North Carolina High School Ethics Bowl, February 2012, November 2012, November 2013, April 2015, January 2016, January 2017

National High School Ethics Bowl, April 2013, April 2014, April 2015, April 2016, April 2017

The Parr Center for Ethics ‘Lunch and Learn’ Lecture Series

Organized and recruited speakers for an ongoing community-oriented applied ethics lecture series, 2013-2014

SERVICE

Departmental

Virginia Tech

Alternate Member, IRB, Spring 2020

MA Application Committee, Spring 2020

Co-Organizer, PhD Application Bootcamp, Spring 2020

Director of Pre-Health Professions Philosophy Major, Fall 2019-present

Faculty Senate, Fall 2019-present

MA Professionalization Workshop Leader (x2), Fall 2019-present

Tenure-Track Search Committee, Fall 2019- Spring 2020

Department By-Laws Revision Committee, Fall 2019-present

NYU Center for Bioethics

Assistant Professor/Faculty Fellow Search Committee, 2017-2018

NYU Center for Bioethics MA Application Committee, 2017-2019

Junior Faculty Mentorship Program Participant, NYU Global Public Health, 2018

Assisted in building and advertising Bioethics Minor, 2017-2019

UNC Chapel Hill

Research Assistant to Thomas E. Hill, 2013-15

Editorial Assistant to Susan Wolf, 2013-2014

Co-Organizer, UNC Workshop on Kant’s Ethics, March 2014

Faculty Liaison, 2012-2013

Speaker Series Committee Representative, 2011-2012

To the Profession

Co-Organizer (with Tom Dougherty, UNC), Virginia Normative Ethics Workshop, Fall 2019-Present

Session Chair, Vancouver Summer Philosophy Conference, August 2018

Refereeing

Journal of Plastic Surgery and Hand Surgery (Spring 2019, Fall 2019), Vancouver Summer Philosophy Conference (Spring 2019, Spring 2018), Analysis (Fall 2018), Developing World Bioethics (Fall 2018), The Canadian Journal of Philosophy (Fall 2018), The Journal of Moral Philosophy (Summer 2018), Social Theory and Practice (Fall 2017, Spring 2016), The Canadian Philosophical Association (Spring 2016), The Journal of Value Inquiry (Spring 2013)

REFERENCES

THOMAS E. HILL

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SUSAN WOLF

Edna J. Koury Distinguished Professor at
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