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EMPLOYMENT

Professor (2003-present); Department Chair (2004-present);
Stilwell Professor (2020-present)
Department of Philosophy, Florida State University

Associate Professor (2001-2003)
Department of Philosophy, Florida State University

Associate Professor (1997-2001)
Department of Philosophy, University of Missouri-St. Louis

Visiting Lecturer (1993-1994),
Department of Philosophy, Keele University, England

Assistant Professor (1991-1997)
Department of Philosophy, University of Missouri-St. Louis

Assistant Professor (tenure track; 1989-1991),
Department of Philosophy, University of Georgia

EDUCATION

Ph.**D**. University of California, Berkeley
(Group in Logic and the Methodology of Science, 1989)

M.**S**. Cornell University, Ithaca, New York
(Department of Human Development and Family Studies, 1986)

B.**A**. (Honors) Cambridge University, England
(Natural Sciences, 1981)

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Decision and Game Theory (including probability theory), Ethics, Logic,
Philosophy of Language, Philosophy of Science

PUBLICATIONS

Edited books

The Routledge Handbook of Translation and Philosophy
(with Philip Wilson; Routledge 2018)

The Oxford Handbook of Rationality
(with Alfred Mele; Oxford University Press 2004)

Articles and Book Chapters

"Reason to Feel Guilty" (with Randolph Clarke)
In a forthcoming volume with Cambridge University Press

"Davidson"
In *The Routledge Handbook of Translation and Philosophy*, 122-140
(Rawling and Wilson, editors; Routledge 2018)

"Introduction" (with Philip Wilson)
In *The Routledge Handbook of Translation and Philosophy*, 1-13
(Rawling and Wilson, editors; Routledge 2018)

"Motivating Reasons and Normative Reasons" (with David McNaughton)
In *The Oxford Handbook of Reasons and Normativity*, 171-196
(Star, editor; Oxford University Press 2018)

"Radical Interpretation and Logical Pluralism"
Topoi, 38(2): 277-289, 2019
2017 online: https://doi.org/10.1007/s11245-017-9494-4

"Quantum-like behavior without quantum physics I. Kinematics of neural-like
systems" (with Stephen Selesnick & Gualtiero Piccinini)
Journal of Biological Physics, 43(3): 415-444, 2017

"Normativity, Reasons, and Wrongness: How to be a Two-Tier Theorist"
(with David McNaughton) In *Reading Parfit*, 96-122
(Kirchin, editor; Routledge 2017)

"Computing the Lagrangians of the Standard Model" (with Stephen Selesnick)
Journal of Applied Logic 13(4): 809-824, 2015

"On C. D. Broad's 'On the Function of False Hypotheses in Ethics'"
(with David McNaughton), *Ethics* 125: 512-516, 2015

"Parfit's 'Triple Theory' and Its Troubles" (with David McNaughton)
Philosophic Exchange 44(2): 33 pp, 2014
Available at: http://digitalcommons.brockport.edu/phil_ex/vol44/iss2/3

"Davidson's Measurement-Theoretic Analogy"
In *A Companion to Donald Davidson*, 247-263
(LePore & Ludwig, editors; Wiley-Blackwell 2013)

"Particularism" (with David McNaughton)
In *International Encyclopedia of Ethics*
(LaFollette, editor, Wiley-Blackwell 2013)

"Intuitionism" (with David McNaughton)
In *The Blackwell Guide to Ethical Theory*, 287-310
(2nd Edition, LaFollette & Persson, editors; Wiley-Blackwell 2013)

"Contours of the Practical Landscape" (with David McNaughton)
In *Thinking about reasons: Themes from the Philosophy of Jonathan Dancy*,
240-264 (Bakhurst, Hooker & Little, editors; Oxford University Press 2013)

"The Making / Evidential Reason Distinction" (with David McNaughton)
Analysis 71(1): 1-2, 2011

"Deontological Ethics" (with David McNaughton)
In *Routledge Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (Craig, editor, Routledge)
Posted October 19, 2010, from http://www.rep.routledge.com/article/L015

"Consequentialism" (with David McNaughton)
In *Routledge Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (Craig, editor, Routledge)
Posted October 19, 2010, from http://www.rep.routledge.com/article/L013

'Benefits, Holism, and the Aggregation of Value' (with David McNaughton)
In *Utilitarianism: The Aggregation Question*, 354-374
(Paul, Miller & Paul, editors, Cambridge University Press 2008)
(Volume also produced as *Social Philosophy & Policy* **26**, 1, Winter 2009.)

"Holism about Value" (with David McNaughton)
In *Challenging Moral Particularism*, 116-132
(Lance, Potrc & Strahovnik, editors; Routledge 2008)

"Deontology" (with David McNaughton)
In *Principles of Health Care Ethics*, 65-71
(2nd edition; Ashcroft, Dawson, Draper & McMillan, editors;
John Wiley 2007)

"Deontology" (with David McNaughton)
In *Ethics in Practice* (3rd Edition), 31-44
(LaFollette, editor; Oxford: Blackwell 2007)

"Comments on *Donald Davidson: Meaning, Truth, Language, and Reality*
by Ernest Lepore and Kirk Ludwig"
Florida Philosophical Review VII(1), 2007

"Deontology" (with David McNaughton)
In *The Oxford Handbook of Ethical Theory*, 424-458
(Copp, editor; Oxford University Press 2006)

"Aspects of Rationality" (with Alfred Mele)
Introduction to *The Oxford Handbook of Rationality.* 3-13
(Mele & Rawling, editors; Oxford University Press 2004)

"Duty, Rationality and Practical Reasons" (with David McNaughton)
In *The Oxford Handbook of Rationality.* 110-131
(Mele & Rawling, editors; Oxford University Press 2004)

"Can Scanlon Avoid Redundancy by Passing the Buck?"
(with David McNaughton) *Analysis* 63(4): 328-331, 2003

"Radical Interpretation"
In *Donald Davidson.* 85-112 (Ludwig, editor; Cambridge University Press 2003)

"Descriptivism, Normativity and the Metaphysics of Reasons"
(with David McNaughton)
*Proceedings of the Aristotelian Society,
Supplementary Volume* LXXVII: 23-45, 2003

"Decision Theory and Degree of Belief"
In *The Blackwell Guide to the Philosophy of the Social Sciences.* 110-142
(Turner & Roth, editors; Blackwell 2003)

"Conditional and Conditioned Reasons" (with David McNaughton)
Utilitas 14(2): 240-248, 2002

"Davidson's Measurement-Theoretic Reduction of the Mind"
In *Interpreting Davidson.* 237-255 (Kotatko, Pagin & Segal, editors; CSLI 2001)

"Achievement, Welfare and Consequentialism" (with David McNaughton)
Analysis 61(2): 156-162, 2001

"The Exchange Paradox, Finite Additivity, and the Principle of Dominance"
In *Logic, Probability and the Sciences*: 49-72
(Shanks & Gardner, editors; Rodopi 2000)

"Reply to Gardner"
In *Logic, Probability and the Sciences*: 74-76
(Shanks & Gardner, editors; Rodopi 2000)

"Commentary [on Vineberg]"
In *Logic, Probability and the Sciences*: 88-92 (Shanks & Gardner, editors; Rodopi 2000)

"Unprincipled Ethics" (with David McNaughton)
In *Moral Particularism*: 256-275 (Hooker & Little, editors; Clarendon Press 2000)

"Deontology and Value" (with David McNaughton)
In *Philosophy, the Good, the True and the Beautiful*: 197-208
(O'Hear, editor; Cambridge University Press 2000)

"Orthologic and Quantum Logic: Models and Computational Elements"
(with Stephen Selesnick)
Journal of the Association of Computing Machinery 47(4): 721-751, 2000

"Reasonable Doubt and the Presumption of Innocence: The Case of the Bayesian Juror" *Topoi* 18: 117-126, 1999

"Robust realisms and realities"
Inquiry 42(1): 103-114, 1999

"On Defending Deontology" (with David McNaughton)
Ratio XI(1): 37-54, 1998

"Perspectives on a Pair of Envelopes"
Theory and Decision 43: 253-277, 1997

"Expected Utility, Ordering, and Context Freedom"
Economics and Philosophy 13: 79-86, 1997

"Agent-Relativity and Terminological Inexactitudes" (with David McNaughton)
Utilitas 7(2): 319-325, 1995

"Value and Agent-Relative Reasons" (with David McNaughton)
Utilitas 7(1): 31-47, 1995

"Psychology and Newtonian Methodology"
The Journal of Mind and Behavior 16(1): 35-43, 1995

"A Note on the Two Envelopes Problem"
Theory and Decision 36: 97-102, 1994

"Deontology and Agency" (with David McNaughton)
The Monist 76(1): 81-100, 1993

"Choice and Conditional Expected Utility"
Synthese 94: 303-328, 1993

"Honoring and Promoting Values" (with David McNaughton)
Ethics 102: 835-843, 1992

"Agent-Relativity and the Doing-Happening Distinction" (with David McNaughton)
Philosophical Studies 63: 167-185, 1991

"The Ranking of Preference"
The Philosophical Quarterly 40: 495-501, 1990

"Object-Person Discrimination and Communication at 3 and 10 months"
Douglas Frye, Piers Rawling, Chris Moore, and Ilana Myers
Developmental Psychology 19: 303-309, 1983

Books in preparation

Deontology (Cambridge University Press *Elements* series)

The Oxford Handbook of Deontology
(edited volume with Oxford University Press)

Particularist Deontology (a scholarly monograph with David McNaughton)

Book reviews and presentations: details available upon request

SELECTION OF FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

University of Missouri System Research Board Award (semester leave, 1999)

University of Missouri System Institute for Instructional Development Award (semester leave, 1997)

University of Missouri System Research Board Award (semester leave, 1995)

NEH Summer Fellowship (1993)

INSTITUTES AND SEMINARS

NEH Summer Institute: *The Idea of a Social Science -- Forty Years Later* (1998)

Ethics and Practical Reason (University of St. Andrews, 1995)

Practical Deliberation (University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1994)

NEH Summer Seminar: *Intention* (1993)

NEH Summer Institute: *Ethics: Principles or Practices?* (1992)

NEH Summer Institute: *Heidegger and Davidson: Critics of Cartesianism* (1990)

SELECTION OF COMMITTEES AND APPOINTMENTS

Editorial

Board of Consulting Editors, *Theory and Decision* (1995-present)

Editorial Committee, *Social Theory and Practice* (2003-present)

Florida State University

Liberal Studies Coordination and Planning Committee (2015-present)

Humanities Area Committee (2004-present; Chair: 2010-2015)
(Oversees curricular and other issues related to the humanities)

Humanities Area, College, and University Promotion and Tenure Committees
(2004-present, but intermittently at the College & University levels)

Council on Research and Creativity
(2008-present; Chair: 2014-2016; Executive Committee: 2010-present)
(Disburses funds for internal grants and awards university-wide, and advises the
V.P. for Research)

University Strategic Planning Committee (2015-2016)

University Program Review Committee (2015)
(Convened by the Provost to revise the program review process)

Liberal Studies Board (2013-2015)
(Convened by the Provost to implement a new liberal studies program)

Liberal Studies Revision Task Force (2013)
(Convened by the Provost to redesign the liberal studies program)

Chair of the Graduate Policy Committee Program Review Subcommittee to evaluate the graduate program of the Department of Mathematics (2013)

Search Committee for Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences (2012)

Committee to advise the Provost on the future of the College of Arts and Sciences (2012)

Pathways of Excellence Selection Committee (2008)
(Convened by the Provost to select clusters of excellence for targeted additional hiring)

External

Founding member, Alliance of Tallahassee Neighborhoods (2018)
Executive Committee (2018-present)

External Reviewer, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis Philosophy Department (2016)

President of Myers Park Neighborhood Association (2014-present)

Cascades Park Working Group, City of Tallahassee (2014-present)

External Reviewer, Virginia Commonwealth University Philosophy Department (2014)

Florida Philosophical Association
President (2013-14); Vice President and Program Organizer (2012-13)

State of Florida General Education Project Faculty Committee (2012-13)
(Convened by the Florida Department of Education to select state-wide core liberal studies courses in accord with a 2012 state mandate)

City of Tallahassee Architectural Review Board (2009-2015)