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(Annual Review – 2017)

### **VITA**

### **Education History**

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Degree	Field	School		Year
Dr. phil. habil.	Philosophy	Marburg University	venia legendi	2007
-		(Germany)	(Habilitation)	
Dr. phil.	Philosophy	Marburg University	summa cum laude	2000
-		(Germany)		
M.A.	Philosophy	Bamberg University	with distinction	1995
		(Germany)		

### **Employment History**

Year - Year	Position
2017	Full Professor of Philosophy, USC
2014-	Associate Professor, by courtesy, of German Studies
2009–2017	Associate Professor of Philosophy, USC
2007-2009	Assistant Professor of Philosophy, USC
2001-2007	Assistant Professor of Philosophy (Wissenschaftlicher Assistent)
	Marburg University (Germany)

#### **Honors and Awards**

Honor/Award Name Franklin Research Grant	<b>Bestowed by</b> American Philosophical Society	Year 2017
Associate Professor Development Award	University of South Carolina, College of Arts & Sciences	2014

Frederick Burkhardt Residential Fellowship for Recently Tenured	American Council of Learned Societies; Center for Advanced Study in the	2012-2013
Scholars	Behavioral Sciences, Stanford	
	University	
Residential Fellowship	Andrew W. Mellon Foundation; Center	2009-2010
	for Advanced Study in the Behavioral	
	Sciences, Stanford University	
Summer Research Grant	USC	2008
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Feodor Lynen Research Fellowship	Alexander von Humboldt Foundation	2006-2007
External Junior Faculty Fellowship	Stanford Humanities Center	2006-2007
Research Grant, Stanford University	ZEIT Foundation	2005
International Junior Kant Award	ZEIT Foundation	2004
Dissertation Award	Marburg University (Germany)	2002

# **TEACHING**

**Summary of Courses Taught** 

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Course Designator	Contact Hours	Course Title	Semester Taught
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PHIL305	3	17/18c Phil	2017 Spring
PHIL305 PHIL532	3	17/18c Phil Social Justice	2017 Spring 2017 Spring
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PHIL532	3	Social Justice	2017 Spring

# **Supervision of Student Research**

### **Post-doctoral Students**

Name	Year	Title or Topic

### **Doctoral Students**

In Progress

Name	Year	Title or Topic
Craig Bacon	current	Kant's philosophy of religion
Rosa Fuller	current	Hegel's logic
Gerad Gentry	current	Productive imagination in German Idealism
Hyun-Jeong Kang	current	Korsgaard

#### **Undergraduate Students**

In Progress

Name	Year	Title or Topic
James Hepburn	2017-18	Honors senior thesis "Necessary and Sufficient Conditions of Objective Morality"
James Hepburn	2016-17	Responsible Conduct of Research course on Kant's philosophy of Religion (Exploration Grant)

### SCHOLARSHIP AND RESEARCH

#### **Publications**

#### **Books**

1. MONOGRAPH: *Kant's Theory of Normativity: Exploring the Space of Reason*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2017.

#### **Invited Articles**

1. "Is Kant's Ethics Metaphysically Naturalistic? Comments on Frederick Rauscher's Naturalism and Realism in Kant's Ethics," Kantian Review, 22/3, 2017, 483-94.

#### **Presentations**

#### **Invited Presentations at Professional Meetings**

- 1. 2017-06-01: Kant's Notion of Epistemic Normativity (**Keynote Address**; Leuven Kant Conference, University of Leuven)
- 2. 2017-05-31: Normative and/or Constitutive? Kant's Synthetic Principles A Priori (Workshop on "Normativity", University of Leuven)
- 3. 2017-05-27: Normative and/or Constitutive? Kant's Synthetic Principles A Priori (**Keynote Address**; Conference "Kant: Action, Knowledge and Belief," Beirut/Lebanon)
- 4. 2017-05-19: Authority and Self-legislation in Kant's Critical Philosophy (**Keynote Address**; Conference "Reason in Practice: Kantian Perspectives on Ethics, Law and Politics", Florence/Italy Kant Conference 2017)
- 5. 2017-04-15: Kant's Notion of Epistemic Normativity (Panel of the Society for German Idealism and Romanticism at the 2017 APA Pacific Division Meeting, Seattle/WA)

# **SERVICE**

### **Statistical Summary of Service Activities**

# **Greater Community**

Dates	Duties

### **Professional Community**

Dates	Duties
2017	Tenure and Promotion Report on Samuel Kahn, Indiana University-Purdue
	University
2017	Tenure and Promotion Report on Huaping Lu-Adler, Georgetown University
2017	Referee for the Program Committee for the 2017 Eastern APA
2017	Cambridge University Press (book manuscript)
2017	Kantian Review
2017	ERGO
2017	HOPOS
2017	KANT-Studien

# College

Dates	Duties
2017-	Member of the Graduate Council, USC

## Department

Dates	Duties
2014-	Director of Graduate Studies
2010-	Member of the Departmental Committee on Tenure and Promotions