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Specialization:

Epistemology, Metaphysics

Competence:

Philosophy of Science, Ancient Greek Philosophy, Philosophy of Language

Employment:

2018- Providence College - Assistant Professor

Education:

2018 Ph.D., Philosophy, The Graduate Center CUNY
Dissertation: “*Essence, Explanation, and Modal Knowledge*”
Dissertation Committee: David Papineau (supervisor), Michael Devitt,
Jonathan Schaffer (Rutgers)

2010 *Laurea Specialistica* (MA equivalent): Philosophy, *magna cum laude*
Sapienza University of Rome, Rome (ITALY)

2007 *Laurea Triennale* (BA equivalent): Philosophy, *magna cum laude*
Sapienza University of Rome, Rome (ITALY)

Publications:

Edited Volume

1. *New Directions in the Epistemology of Modality*, Special Issue of *Synthese* (forthcoming)

Articles

1. “Imagination, Apriority, and Modal Knowledge”, in *The Epistemic Uses of Imagination*, ed. by A. Kind and C. Badura, Routledge, forthcoming
2. “The Epistemology of Modality”, *Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (with A. Vaidya and M. Wallner), forthcoming
3. “What Does a Modal Normativist Know about Modality?” (with A. Vaidya) in *The Epistemology of Modality and Philosophical Methodology*, ed. by D. Prelevic and A. Vaidya, Routledge, forthcoming
4. “The Epistemology of Essence”, in the *Routledge Handbook of Essence*, ed. by K. Koslicki and M. Raven, Routledge, forthcoming
5. “Superexplanations for Counterfactual Knowledge”, *Philosophical Studies* (2020): <https://philpapers.org/archive/MALSFC-2.pdf>
6. “Essential Properties are Super-Explanatory. Taming Metaphysical Modality”, *The Journal of the American Philosophical Association* (2020) (with M. Godman and D. Papineau): <https://doi.org/10.1017/apa.2019.48>
7. “Introduction”, *New Directions in the Epistemology of Modality*, Special Issue of *Synthese* (2019): <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11229-019-02358-8>
8. “Putting Modal Metaphysics First”, *Synthese* (2018): <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11229-018-1828-2>
9. “Two Notions of Metaphysical Modality”, *Synthese* (2018): <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11229-018-1702-2>

Work in Progress

10. “The Epistemology of Grounding” (with A. Vaidya and M. Wallner) (under review)
11. “Is There an *Absolute* Modality?” (under review)
12. “Pluralist Modal Metaphysics”, special issue of *Inquiry on Pluralism, Relativism and Skepticism*, ed. by V. Mitova and S. Salem, forthcoming

Talks:

1. “What Does a Modal Normativist Know about Modality?” (with A. Vaidya), *Modality, Ground, and Essence Workshop*, University of Graz (AUSTRIA), March 12th-14th 2020 [postponed due to COVID-19]

2. “Is There an *Absolute Modality*?”, *New York Metaphysics & Logic Workshop*, CUNY – The Graduate Center, March 9th 2020
3. “The Epistemology of Grounding”, *Early Career Metaphysics Workshop*, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA, April 26th-27th 2019 (joint work with A. Vaidya & M. Wallner)
4. “Modal Pluralism and Modal Knowledge”, *Pluralism, Relativism and Skepticism: The First Annual Conference of The Middle East Society for Analytic Philosophy*, The American University in Cairo, Cairo (EGYPT), March 19th-21st 2019
5. “Modal Pluralism and Purely *A Priori* Necessities”, *Workshop on Necessity and Essence*, Tübingen University, Tübingen (GERMANY), November 22nd-23rd 2018
6. “Modal Pluralism and Modal Knowledge”, Invited Symposium, *Necessary Beings: A Conference in Memory of Bob Hale*, Senate House, London (UK), October 15th-16th 2018
7. “Putting Modal Metaphysics First”, Invited Symposium on *The Metaphysics and Epistemology of Modality*, Pacific Meeting of the APA, San Diego, CA, March 31st-April 4th 2018
8. “The In-Essential Powers of Modal Imagination”, *Philosophy of Imagination International Conference*, Ruhr-Universität Bochum, Bochum (GERMANY), March 15th-16th 2018
9. “Putting Modal Metaphysics First”, *Conceivability & Modality International Conference*, Sapienza University, Rome (ITALY), June 19th-20th 2017
10. “Essence, Explanation, and Modal Knowledge”, *New York Metaphysics & Logic Workshop*, CUNY - The Graduate Center, May 8th 2017
11. “Essence, Explanation, and Modal Knowledge”, *The Saul Kripke Center Brown Bag Lunch Series*, CUNY - The Graduate Center, March 15th 2017
12. “Conceivability, Possibility, and The Inconsistent Triad”, *Modal Metaphysics – Issues on the (Im)Possible IV*, Bratislava (SLOVAKIA), August 30th-31st 2016
13. “Conceivability, Possibility, and The Inconsistent Triad”, *GEM – Ground, Essence, and Modality International Conference*, University of Helsinki (FINLAND), June 8th-10th 2016
14. “The *A Priori* Route from Essence to Necessity”, *2016 Edgington Lectures*, Birkbeck College, London (UK), June 3rd-4th 2016
15. “Perceptual Intuition and *A Priori* Justification”, *2016 UConn Graduate Conference on the A Priori*, University of Connecticut, February 20th 2016
16. “Conceiving & Necessity. The Kripkean Challenge to Chalmers’s Modal Epistemology”, *2015 PLM Masterclass*, Stockholm University (SWEDEN), June 7th 2015
17. “A Kripkean Look at Chalmers’s Modal Epistemology”, *New York Metaphysics & Logic Workshop*, CUNY - The Graduate Center, May 14th 2015
18. “Scrutability and Negative Facts”, *COGITO Research Center*, Bologna (ITALY), May 29th 2013

19. “Scrutability and Negative Facts”, *2013 Carnap Lectures*, Ruhr-Universität Bochum, Bochum (GERMANY), May 22nd 2013
20. “Kripke sul metro-campione. Un caso di contingente *a priori*?” (“Kripke on the Standard Meter. A case of the contingent *a priori*?”), Sapienza University, Rome (ITALY), June 7th 2012

Comments:

1. Comments on Jakob Schieder's "Explaining Essence and Modality", *Modal Metaphysics – Issues on the (Im)Possible IV*, Bratislava (SLOVAKIA), August 30th-31st 2016

Teaching:

- 2018- *General Ethics*, Providence College
Epistemology (upper level) Providence College
Metaphysics (upper level), Providence College
Development of Western Civilization, Providence College
- 2016 *Introduction to Philosophy*, City College of New York CUNY.
- 2012—2015 **Graduate Teaching Fellow** at the City College of New York – CUNY, Philosophy Department.
Teaching Assistant (with weekly lectures and office hours):
Ancient Philosophy – Nickolas Pappas
Introduction to Philosophy – Louis Marinoff
Class Tutor (with office hours):
Scientia: The Unity of Knowledge – Massimo Pigliucci
Introduction to Philosophy – Massimo Pigliucci
Ancient Philosophy – Nickolas Pappas

Awards:

- May 2018 Awarded invitation and travel grant to the workshop on *Metaphysical Grounding*, University of Hamburg (GERMANY), May 25th-27th 2018
- March 2018 Awarded invitation and tuition waiver to the International Summer School on *The History and Metaphysics of the Concept of Laws of Nature*, Central European University, Budapest (HUNGARY), July 2nd-10th 2018
- Spring 2018 Awarded a CUNY Provost’s Fellowship to travel to Germany to present at the *Philosophy*

- of Imagination* International Conference, Ruhr-Universität Bochum (GERMANY)
- 2017-2018 Awarded Dissertation Fellowship (only student awarded in the philosophy department and only one of 21 at the Graduate Center – CUNY)
- Summer 2017 Awarded a CUNY Doctoral Students Research Grant to organize the *Conceivability and Modality* International Conference in Rome, Italy in June 2017
- February 2017 Awarded invitation and travel grant to the APA workshop “Mentoring the Mentors” at the 2017 Central Meeting of the APA, Kansas City, MO – APA
- 2016-2017 Awarded WAC Fellowship at Lehman College – CUNY
- 2016 Awarded Conference Presentation Travel Grant, The Graduate Center – CUNY
- 2011- 2016 Awarded 5 years Enhanced Chancellor Fellowship, The Graduate Center – CUNY
- 2012 Awarded Conference Presentation Travel Grant, The Graduate Center – CUNY
- 2009 Awarded MA Thesis Abroad Research Grant, Sapienza University of Rome (ITALY)
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Service & Activities:

2020- : Associate Editor of *Analysis Reviews*

June 14th-15th 2021: *Normativity* International Conference, Sapienza University, Roma (ITALY), co-organizer (Sapienza University)

2019- : Advisor for *Phi Sigma Tau* International Honor Society in Philosophy, Rhode Island chapter

2018-2019: Director of the Fr. Cassidy Award for Research in Moral Philosophy, Providence College

2017-2018: CUNY GC Philosophy Colloquium Committee

2016-2018: Member of CUNY GC MAP (Minorities and Philosophy)

June 19th-20th 2017: *Conceiving and Modality* International Conference, Sapienza University, Roma (ITALY), co-organizer (Sapienza University).

June 2016: *Humean Readings*, Sapienza University, Roma (ITALY), organization committee.

March 18th-19th 2016: *International Workshop on Plato’s Phaedrus*, City College of New York, CUNY, organization committee.

April 2013, *CUNY Philosophy Graduate Conference*, CUNY - The Graduate Center, organization committee.

June 2013: Co-writer of an interview to David Chalmers on *Constructing the World* for the COGITO Research Center, Bologna (ITALY): <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9mTQpMPb1IA>