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EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT

- Associate Professor, Department of Philosophy, University of Florida, 2012-present
- Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, University of Florida, 2005-12
- Lecturer, Department of Philosophy, University of Nebraska – Lincoln, 2003-5
- PhD, Philosophy, Rutgers University – New Brunswick, 2003
- MA, Philosophy, University of St Andrews, 1997

PUBLICATIONS

All single-authored, unless otherwise noted.

Journal articles and book chapters

“Locke, God, and Materialism”, *Oxford Studies in Early Modern Philosophy*, forthcoming.

Stewart Duncan and Antonia LoLordo, “Early Modern Accounts of Epicureanism”, in Jacob Klein and Nathan Powers (ed.), *The Oxford Handbook of Hellenistic Philosophy* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, forthcoming).

“Cudworth as a Critic of Hobbes”, in Marcus Adams (ed.), *A Companion to Hobbes* (Blackwell, forthcoming).

“Hobbes on the Signification of Evaluative Language”, *Hobbes Studies* 32 (2019) 159-78.

Stewart Duncan and Antonia LoLordo, “Gassendi and Hobbes”, in Stephen Gaukroger (ed.), *Knowledge in Modern Philosophy* (London: Bloomsbury, 2018) 27-43.

“Hobbes, Universal Names, and Nominalism”, in Stefano Di Bella and Tad Schmaltz (ed.), *The Problem of Universals in Early Modern Philosophy* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2017) 41-61.

“Toland and Locke in the Leibniz-Burnett Correspondence”, *Locke Studies* 17 (2017) 117-41.

“Hobbes on Language: Propositions, Truth, and Absurdity”, in A.P. Martinich and Kinch Hoekstra (ed.), *Oxford Handbook of Hobbes* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016) 57-72.

“Materialism and the Activity of Matter in Seventeenth-Century European Philosophy”, *Philosophy Compass* 11 (2016) 671-80.

“Leibniz on the Expression of God”, *Ergo* 2 (2015) 83-103.

“Debating Materialism: Hobbes, Cavendish, and More”, *History of Philosophy Quarterly* 29 (2012) 391-409.

“Toland, Leibniz, and Active Matter”, *Oxford Studies in Early Modern Philosophy* 6 (2012) 249-78.

“Leibniz’s Mill Arguments against Materialism”, *Philosophical Quarterly* 62 (2012) 250-72.

“Hobbes, Signification, and Insignificant Names”, *Hobbes Studies* 24 (2011) 158-178.

“Leibniz on Hobbes’s Materialism”, *Studies in History and Philosophy of Science* 41 (2010) 11-8.

“Hume and a Worry about Simplicity”, *History of Philosophy Quarterly* 26 (2009) 139-57.

“Hobbes’s Materialism in the Early 1640s”, *British Journal for the History of Philosophy*, 13 (2005) 437-48.

“Knowledge of God in *Leviathan*”, *History of Philosophy Quarterly* 22 (2005) 31-48.

Edited book

Stewart Duncan and Antonia LoLordo (ed.), *Debates in Modern Philosophy: Essential Readings*. New York: Routledge, 2013.

Encyclopedia entries

“Mind and Body in Early Modern Philosophy”. *Routledge Encyclopedia of Philosophy Online* (2016) <https://www.rep.routledge.com/articles/mind-and-body-in-early-modern-philosophy/v-1/>.

“Materialism”, in S.A. Lloyd (ed.), *Bloomsbury Companion to Hobbes* (Continuum, 2013) 55-7.

“Thomas Hobbes”, in Edward N. Zalta (ed.), *Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (Spring 2009 Edition) <http://plato.stanford.edu/archives/spr2009/entries/hobbes/>. Most recent version: <http://plato.stanford.edu/entries/hobbes/index.html>. Last revised 27 January 2017.

Book reviews

Review of Deborah Boyle, *The Well-Ordered Universe: The Philosophy of Margaret Cavendish* (New York: Oxford University Press, 2018). *Journal of the History of Philosophy* 57 (2019) 349-50.

Review of Laurens van Apeldoorn and Robin Douglass (eds.), *Hobbes on Politics and Religion* (Oxford University Press, 2018). *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews* (2019) <https://ndpr.nd.edu/news/hobbes-on-politics-and-religion/>.

Review of Margaret Cavendish, *Observations upon Experimental Philosophy: Abridged, with Related Texts*, edited by Eugene Marshall (Indianapolis: Hackett, 2016). *British Journal for the History of Philosophy* 26 (2018) 617-9.

Review of Jonathan S. Marko, *Measuring the Distance between Locke and Toland: Reason, Revelation, and Rejection During the Locke-Stillingfleet Debate* (Eugene, OR: Pickwick Publications, 2017). *Locke Studies* 18 (2018) <https://ojs.lib.uwo.ca/index.php/locke/article/view/5427/4698>.

Comments on Larry May, *Limiting Leviathan*. *Hobbes Studies* 27 (2014) 185-90.

Review of Perez Zagorin, *Hobbes and the Law of Nature* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2010). *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews* (2010) <http://ndpr.nd.edu/review.cfm?id=19687>.

Review of James R. Martel, *Subverting the Leviathan: Reading Thomas Hobbes as a Radical Democrat* (New York: Columbia University Press, 2007). *Restoration: Studies in English Literary Culture, 1660-1700* 33 (2009) 57-9.

Review of Samantha Frost, *Lessons from a Materialist Thinker: Hobbesian Reflections on Ethics and Politics* (Stanford, Stanford University Press, 2008). *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews* (2008) <http://ndpr.nd.edu/review.cfm?id=13807>.

Review of Tom Sorell and Luc Foisneau (ed.), *Leviathan after 350 Years* (Oxford: Clarendon, 2004). *Philosophical Quarterly* 56 (2004) 614-6.

PRESENTATIONS (WHILE AT UF)

“Locke and More on Substance and Spirit”

- TEMPO, June 2020

Stewart Duncan and Antonia LoLordo, “The Early Modern Legacy of Epicureanism”

- Conference on Hellenistic Philosophy, Colgate University, August 2018

“Locke, God, and Materialism”

- Southeast Graduate Philosophy Conference, University of Florida, March 2017
- Eastern APA, New York, January 2019

“Hobbes on the Signification of Moral Language”

- Thomas Hobbes on Reason and Passions, Law and Politics, University of California, Berkeley, November 2014
- Oxford Seminar in Early Modern Philosophy, University of Oxford, March 2016
- International Hobbes Association session, Eastern APA, Savannah, GA, January 2018

“Margaret Cavendish, Environmental Ethics, and Panpsychism”

- New Narratives in Philosophy, Duke University, April 2016
- Southern Appalachian Undergraduate Philosophy Conference, UNC Asheville, February 2018

“Margaret Cavendish, Materialism, and the Soul”

- Varieties of Early Modern Materialism, Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz, June 2014

Julie A. Silva and Stewart Duncan, “Even the Losers Get Lucky Sometimes: Capabilities and Conservation-based Development in Southern Africa”

- Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Tampa, FL, April 2014 (presented by co-author)

Comments on Larry May, *Limiting Leviathan: Hobbes on Law and International Affairs* (Oxford University Press, 2013)

- Author Meets Critics session organized by the International Hobbes Association, Eastern APA, Baltimore, December 2013

“Locke and What God Would Not Do”

- South Central Seminar in Early Modern Philosophy, Texas A&M, September 2013

“Toland and Locke in the Leibniz-Burnett Correspondence”

- Sixth Biennial Margaret Dauler Wilson Conference, Dartmouth College, June 2012
- Early Modern Philosophy Workshop, University of South Florida, November 2012
- Scottish Seminar in Early Modern Philosophy IV, University of Aberdeen, May 2013

“Leibniz’s Mill Arguments”

- University of Maryland – College Park, April 2010
- Fifth Biennial Margaret Dauler Wilson Conference, University of Colorado – Boulder, June 2010

“Hume on Simplicity”

- Fourth Biennial Margaret Dauler Wilson Conference, Cornell University, July 2008

“Leibniz’s Approach to Materialism in and around the New Essays”

- California Conference in Early Modern Philosophy, California State University – Long Beach, October 2007

“Leibniz on Hobbes’s Materialism”

- Southeast Seminar in Early Modern Philosophy, University of Virginia, October 2005

AWARDS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS AT UF

- University of Florida Term Professorship Award, 2018-21
- Humanities Scholarship Enhancement Fund Grants, University of Florida, 2006, 2008, 2012, and 2016
- NEH funding to attend the Summer Seminar “Descartes, Galileo, Hobbes: Philosophy and Science, Politics and Religion during the Scientific Revolution” organized by Daniel Garber and Roger Ariew at Princeton University, 2010

COURSES TAUGHT AT UF

Graduate classes

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| • Proseminar | Fall 2016 |
| • Descartes and Leibniz | Spring 2017, Fall 2018 |
| • Hume | Spring 2012 |
| • Locke | Fall 2010, Spring 2020 |
| • Leibniz | Spring 2006, Fall 2008, Spring 2015 |
| • Locke, Berkeley, and Hume | Spring 2007 |
| • Descartes, Hobbes, and Leibniz | Fall 2006 |

Undergraduate seminars

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| • Modern Moral Philosophy | Spring 2008, Fall 2011 |
| • Hume and Smith | Fall 2007, Spring 2010, Spring 2016 |
| • Skepticism in Modern Philosophy | Fall 2005 |

Undergraduate survey courses

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| • Modern Philosophy | Approximately once per year since 2005 |
| • Ethics and Ecology | Fall 2015, Spring 2017, Spring 2018 |

Undergraduate introductory courses

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| • Introduction to Philosophy | 10 times since 2005 |
| • What is the Good Life? (HUM2305) | Spring 2013 |

ADVISING

PhD advisor

- Eugenio Zaldivar (PhD, 2012), currently Associate Professor of Philosophy at Santa Fe College, Gainesville, FL
- Ron Claypool (PhD, 2017), currently Assistant Professor of Philosophy at Santa Fe College, Gainesville, FL

Undergraduate honors thesis advisor for three students

DEPARTMENT AND COLLEGE SERVICE AT UF

- Graduate coordinator (2017-20)
- Undergraduate coordinator (2009-13, 2014-5)
- Chair of department document and policy review committee (2015-7)
- Member of department executive committee (2014-7, 2018, 2019-20)
- Search committee chair (2018-19, 2019-20)
- Placement director (Fall 2008)
- Member of department chair search committee (Spring 2009)
- Member of department undergraduate committee (2007-8)
- Member of CLAS committee to evaluate applications for Humanities Scholarship Enhancement Fund Grant (Fall 2006, Fall 2008, Fall 2016)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Area editor for *Ergo* (2018-)

Member of the American Philosophical Association's Committee on the Status and Future of the Profession (2017-20)

Journal refereeing for *Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie*, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *British Journal for the History of Philosophy*, *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*, *Ergo*, *History of Political Thought*, *History of Philosophy Quarterly*, *Hobbes Studies*, *Hume Studies*, *Journal of the American Philosophical Association*, *Journal of the History of Philosophy*, *Journal of Modern Philosophy*, *Journal of Philosophical Research*, *Journal of the American Philosophical Association*, *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly*, *Philosophers' Imprint*, *Sophia*, *Southern Journal of Philosophy*, and *Studies in History and Philosophy of Science*

Book manuscript refereeing for Oxford University Press, Cambridge University Press, and Routledge

Book proposal refereeing for Broadview Press, Oxford University Press, Routledge, and University of Pittsburgh Press