

SARAH E. MEIER

Curriculum Vitae

Department of Philosophy
Emory University
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Education

Ph.D., Philosophy, expected September 2013
Emory University, Atlanta, GA
Dissertation: "Hobbes's Radical *Leviathan*"
Director: Ursula Goldenbaum

M.A. Philosophy, April 2011
Emory University, Atlanta, GA

B.A. Philosophy and Fine Art (Studio), 2005
Loyola University Chicago

Research

AOS: Early Modern Philosophy, Hobbes, Political Philosophy

AOC: Philosophy of Law, Normative Ethics, History of Philosophy

Publications

2013 Book review, *Hobbes on Resistance* by Susanne Sreedhar, *Journal for the History of Philosophy*, Vol. 51.1, January, 2013.

Conference Presentations

2013 "Of Sovereigns, Fools, Criminals and Sinners: Hobbes on the Relation of Natural to Civil Law," International Hobbes Association at the American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division Meeting, San Francisco, CA, March 27-31.

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| 2012 | “Hobbes on Gratitude and the Free Gift of Sovereignty.” The American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division Meeting, Atlanta, GA, December 27-30. |
| 2011 | “Hobbes on Passions, Bodies and the Body Politic.” The International Society for Intellectual History, Bucharest, Romania, May 26-28. |

Comments

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| 2010 | Comments on Raja T. Rosenhagen’s “Kant, McDowell, and the Nature of Experience,” Emory Graduate Philosophy Conference (Rethinking Themes in German Idealism), March 26-27. |
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Honors & Awards

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| 2012-2013 | Mellon Graduate Teaching Fellowship, Dillard University |
| 2007-2012 | Emory Laney Graduate School Fellowship |
| 2004 | Elected to Phi Beta Kappa, Loyola University Chicago |
| 2003 | Mellon Undergraduate Essay Prize in Philosophy, Loyola University Chicago |

Teaching Experience

Instructor

PHI 455: Philosophy & Human Rights, Dillard University, Spring 2013
 PHI 301: Ethics, Dillard University, Fall 2012
 PHIL 121: Intro to Philosophy of Law, Emory University, Spring 2012
 PHIL 100: Basic Problems in Philosophy, Emory University, Fall 2011
 PHIL 200: Ancient Greek and Medieval Philosophy, Emory University;
 Co-Teacher with Dr. Richard Patterson, Spring 2010

Teaching Assistant

PHIL 119: Contemporary Moral Issues, Fall 2009
 PHIL 321: Philosophy of Law, Spring 2009
 PHIL 401: Medieval Philosophy, Fall 2008
 PHIL 202: Renaissance and Modern Philosophy, Fall 2007

Teacher Training

2012	Mellon Graduate Teaching Fellowship, Orientation & Training
2008	Emory University Teaching Assistant Training; 3 day workshop
2007	Philosophy and Pedagogy Seminar (Emory)

Professional Service

2010	Conference Organizer, Graduate Philosophy Society at Emory
2008-2009	Communications Officer, Graduate Philosophy Society at Emory

Languages

German, speaking and reading competency
Latin, reading competency
Spanish, reading competency

Graduate Seminars

Symbolic Logic, Richard Patterson
Contemporary Ethics (meta-ethics and normative ethics), Nicholas Fotion *
Virtue Ethics, Pamela Hall
Feminist Ethics, Pamela Hall
Plato, Richard Patterson
Aristotle, Richard Patterson *
Hellenistic and Roman Philosophy, Steven Strange
Montaigne and Modernity, Ann Hartle
Rationalism (Spinoza), Ursula Goldenbaum
Hume, Donald Livingston
Rationalism (Hobbes and Leibniz), Ursula Goldenbaum *
Philosophy of the Enlightenment (Locke, Rousseau, Kant), Ann Hartle
Kant's Critique of Pure Reason, Andrew Cutrofello (at Loyola University Chicago)
Hegel's Phenomenology, Donald Verene
Hermeneutics (Kant, esp. The Critique of Judgment, Dilthey), Rudolph Makkreel
Phenomenology (Husserl, Heidegger, Sartre, Merleau-Ponty), David Carr
Marx, Ursula Goldenbaum
Foucault: The Order of Things, Tom Flynn

Critical Theory, Michael Sullivan
Directed Study on Early Modern Political Philosophy, Ursula Goldenbaum
Directed Study on Habermas & Rawls, Michael Sullivan

* audited

References

Ursula Goldenbaum, Associate Professor of Philosophy, Emory University, ugolden@emory.edu, 404-727-1191

Donald Verene, Charles Howard Candler Professor of Metaphysics and Epistemology, Emory University, dverene@emory.edu, 404-727-4372

Ann Hartle, Professor of Philosophy, Emory University, ahartle@emory.edu, 404-727-0105

Professional Memberships

American Philosophical Association
American Society for Political and Legal Philosophy
Eastern Society for Women in Philosophy