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EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor of Political Science, University of South Carolina, Columbia, August 2005-present.

Assistant Professor of Political Science, University of South Carolina, Columbia, August 1999 - 2005.

Assistant Professor of Government, Harvard University, 1995-1999.

Instructor in Philosophy, University of South Carolina, Columbia, 1993-94.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Jurisprudence and Social Policy, University of California, Berkeley, 1992.

LL.B., B.C.L. Faculty of Law, McGill University, Montreal, Canada, 1987.

B.A. Philosophy, McGill University, Montreal, Canada, 1983.

PUBLICATIONS

“Lived Excellence in Aristotle’s *Constitution of Athens*: Why the Encomium of Theramenes Matters” (with S. Sara Monoson) in *The Cambridge Companion to Ancient Greek Political Thought*, edited by Stephen Salkever (Cambridge University Press, 2009), chap. 9, 243-70.

“Situating Harry’s Plato,” in *A Touch More Rare: Harry Berger, Jr. and the Arts of Interpretation*, edited by Nina Levine and David Miller (Fordham University Press, 2009), chap. 16, 227-33.

“Wages of War: On Judgment in Plato’s *Republic*,” *Political Theory* 35 (2007): 443-67.

“Aristotle on Constitutionalism and the Rule of Law,” *Theoretical Inquiries in Law* 8 (2007): 37-50.
Reprinted, with a new introduction and conclusion, from *A Democracy of Distinction*.

“The *Antigone*’s Law,” *Law, Culture, and the Humanities* 2 (2006): 336-340.

“The Political Theory of Classical Greece,” in *The Oxford Handbook of Political Theory*, edited by John Dryzek, Bonnie Honig, and Anne Phillips (Oxford and New York: Oxford University Press, 2006), chap. 9, 175-92.

“Aristotle on the Rule of Law and the Rule of Men,” *International Studies Review* 7:3 (2005): 508-511.
Reprinted with minor revision from *A Democracy of Distinction*.

A Democracy of Distinction: Aristotle and the Work of Politics (University of Chicago Press, 2005).

Reviews:

Ryan Balot, Aristotle and Politics, *The Classical Review* (2007) 57(2): 319-322

Susan Collins, Review, *Perspectives on Politics* (2005) 3: 871-3

Michael Davis, "The Riddle of the Middle," The Claremont Institute for the Study of Statesmanship and Political Philosophy, posted May 5, 2006

Antonio Donato, Aristotle's Contemporary Relevance, *The Review of Politics* (Winter 2006) 68(1): 132-134

Sara Forsdyke, Review, *Classical Philology*, (April 2006) 101(2): 171-177

Catherine A. Holland, Democracy Beside Itself: Review Essay, *Political Theory* 2006 34: 488-98

Susan Lape, Review, *Bryn Mawr Classical Review*, 2006.02.22

Steven Skultety, Review, *Ethics* (April 2006) 116(3): 583-586

"Citizens, Slaves, and Foreigners: Aristotle on Human Nature," *APSR* 98 (2004): 91-104.

"Aristotle's Theramenes at Athens: A Poetic History," *Parallax* 9 (2003): 29-40 (with S. Sara Monoson).

"Integrating Public Good and Private Right: The Virtue of Property," in *Aristotle and Modern Politics: The Persistence of Political Philosophy*, ed. Aristide Tessitore (University of Notre Dame Press, 2002), pp. 258-77.

"Democracy and Distribution: Aristotle on Just Desert," *Political Theory* 26 (1998): 784-802.

"L'arroseur arrosé: paradigmes kuhniens et types-idéaux weberiens dans la pensée de George Fletcher," *Revue de la recherche juridique: Droit prospectif* 32 (1988): 193 -210.

Co-author of the *Canadian Guide to Uniform Legal Citation*, 1st ed. (Toronto: Carswell, 1986).

Book Reviews

Andres Rosler, *Political Authority and Obligation in Aristotle* (Oxford University Press, 2005), *Classical Philology* 102 (July 2007): 315-18.

Loren Samons II, *What's Wrong With Democracy? From Athenian Practice to American Worship* (University of California Press, 2004), *Perspectives on Politics* 3:4 (December 2005): 884-85.

Thomas Smith, *Revaluing Ethics: Aristotle's Dialectical Pedagogy* (SUNY Press, 2001), *Review of Politics* 64 (2002): 740-42.

Joseph Singer, *Entitlement: The Paradoxes of Property* (New Haven: Yale University Press, 2000), *Political Theory* 30 (2002): 454-57.

WORK-IN-PROGRESS

"The Power of Persuasion in Plato," in Keith Topper and Dilip Gaonkar, eds. *Rhetoric and Political Theory*. Invited.

"The Problem of Authority and the Practice of Political Theory," in Rom Coles, Mark Reinhardt, George Shulman, eds., *Radical Future Pasts: essays in honor of Peter Euben*. Invited.

Circulating Authority: Plato and the Practices of Politics: Book-length project on the topic of authority in the poetic, historical, and philosophical texts of the classical world, with an emphasis on the dialogs of Plato.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Provost Arts and Humanities Grant, 2011
USC Nominee for NEH Summer Stipend, matched by College, 2009
Laurance S. Rockefeller Fellow, Princeton University Center for Human Values, AY 2006-2007
Nominated as a finalist for Pi Sigma Alpha Award, MWPSA, 2002
Nominated as a finalist for a “best paper” Award, APSA, 2000
University of South Carolina, Columbia, College of Liberal Arts Scholarship, Summer 2000
Harvard University, Clark Fund, 1995-96
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Postdoctoral Fellowship, 1992-94

PAPERS

(scheduled) Political Thought and Intellectual History Seminar, Politics Department, Cambridge University, U.K., May 2012. Invited.
“Eros and self-government: On becoming one’s own,” Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, October, 2011. Invited.
“The Truth of Poetry in Plato’s *Republic*,” University of Wisconsin-Madison, October 2010. Invited.
“Debating Civility: Democratic Public Discourse in Ancient Athens,” Civil Discourse Lecture Series, USC, Columbia, September 2010. Invited.
“Making Sense of Logos in Plato’s Political Philosophy,” APSA, Washington, 2010.
“Power/Authority/Rule: Democratic Perspectives,” APSA, Washington, 2010.
“The Power of Persuasion in Plato,” University of Virginia, April 2010; McGill University, January 2010. Invited.
“Reason’s Desire: On Eros in Plato,” APSA, Toronto, 2009.
“The Problem of Authority and the Practice of Political Theory,” Inaugural Lecture, Project on Language, History, and Political Theory, University of Chicago, April 2009; Duke University, December 2009. Invited.
“On Persuasion in Plato’s *Republic*,” Possibility and Paradox: On Rhetoric and Political Theory, International Conference of the Study of Political Thought, Northwestern University, April 2009. Invited; and the WPSA, Vancouver, March 2009.
“Vying for Authority in Plato’s *Republic*,” APSA, 2008; and the University of Chicago Political Theory Workshop, 2009. Invited.
“Plato on Eros and Authority,” Feminism and Classics V, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, May 2008.
“The Authority of Poetry in Plato’s *Republic*,” Montreal Political Theory Workshop, McGill University, March 2008. Invited.
“Outside Kallipolis: The Position of Poetry in Plato’s *Republic*,” APSA 2007; and the Political Theory Workshop, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, October 2007. Invited.
“Wages of War: On Judgment in Plato’s *Republic*,” University Center for Human Values, Princeton University, February 2007, and The Humanities Center, University of Colorado, Boulder, April 2007. Invited.
“Situating Harry’s Plato,” at a conference honoring Harry Berger, Jr., held at the University of South Carolina, Columbia, October 2006. Invited.
“International Justice in Plato’s *Republic*,” APSA 2006.
“War and Philosophy in Plato’s *Republic*,” Political Theory Workshop, Yale University, May 2006

Invited.

“Aristotle on Constitutionalism and the Rule of Law,” Human Rights Project, Bard College, and at Critical Modernities: Law and Politics Beyond the Liberal Imagination, Tel Aviv University, December 2005. Both invited.

“Summoning the Soul: War, Poetry, and the Practice of Good Judgment in Plato’s *Republic*,” APSA 2005.

“Obedience, Transgression, Conquest: Aristotle on the Rule of Law,” Sawyer Law Workshop, Syracuse University, April 2005. Invited.

“Thucydides and the Art of Judgment,” APSA 2004.

“Just Action in Aristotle,” APSA 2004.

“Aristotle’s Polity of Friendship,” Political Theory Workshop, University of Chicago, April 2004. Invited.

“Aristotle’s Theramenes at Athens: A Poetic History,” APSA, 2003.

“The Nature of Identity,” Political Theory Colloquium, Northwestern University, May 2003. Invited.

“The Nature of Identity,” PSRW, Political Science Dept, USC, March 2003.

“Judging by Analogy,” APSA, 2002.

“The Nature of Identity: Aristotle on Citizenship and Slavery,” MWPSA, 2002.

“Integrating Public Good and Private Right: The Virtue of Property,” Political Science Department, USC, February 2001. Invited.

“The Democracy of Aristotle’s Rule of Law,” APSA, 2000.

“Aristotle on the Rule of Law,” Western Canadian Conference for the Study of Political Thought, University of Alberta, March 2000. Invited Keynote.

“The Democratic Virtue of Property,” Philosophy Department, University of Alberta, March 2000.

“Trust and Politics: Aristotle on the Practice of Property,” Yale Political Theory Workshop, Yale University, 1998. Invited.

“A Unity of the Different: Aristotle on Political Community and Friendship,” APSA 1998.

“Aristotle on the Practice of Property,” Political Theory Colloquium, USC, 1998.

“Aristotle on the Practice of Property,” APSA 1997.

“Grand Design Theory and the Case of Distributive Justice,” The Impact of Ideas on 20th-Century History, an International Conference in Honor of Shlomo Avineri, Recipient of the 1996 Israel Prize, Hebrew University, 1996. Invited.

“Democracy and Distribution: Aristotle on Just Desert,” NEPSA 1996.

“Welfare Pains,” Institute of Politics (Kennedy School of Government), Harvard University, 1995.

“Welfare Pains,” APSA 1995.

“If I Had a Hammer: Drucilla Cornell and Nietzsche on the Art of Judging,” Law and Society Association 1994.

“Incorporating Identity: Lani Guinier and Hegel on Group-Based Representation,” APSA 1993.

“The Law of Property in Aristotle,” Law and Society Association 1992.

“The Anxiety of Identity: Being and Having,” WPSA 1992.

“Rethinking Property through Anthropology,” APSA 1991.

“Aristotle on the Ethics of Private Property,” MWPSA 1991.

“A Property Qualification for Citizenship?” WPSA 1991.

COURSES

Classics in Political Theory

History of Political Thought: Ancient and Modern

Social and Political Philosophy

Contemporary Issues in Social Justice

Property and Politics

The Soul

Constitutional Democracy in America
Plato

Jurisprudence

Rhetoric and Representation in Classical Politics
The Political Science Discipline and Profession

Aristotle
Politics and Poetry

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND SERVICE

Director, Classics in Contemporary Perspectives Initiative, University of South Carolina, Columbia, 2008-present: <http://www.cas.sc.edu/ccpi/index.html>

Discussant, Roundtable on Michael Davis, *Soul of the Greeks*, NEPSA, Philadelphia, 2011

Co-organizer of “Nostos: War, the *Odyssey*, and Narratives of Return,” an international and interdisciplinary conference at University of South Carolina, March 24-27, 2011.

Chair and Discussant, “Author Meets Critics: Christina Tarnopolsky, *Prudes, Perverts and Tyrants: Plato’s Gorgias and the Politics of Shame*,” CPSA, Montreal, June 2010.

Visiting Faculty, 2009 NEH Summer Institute on The Rule of Law: Legal Studies and the Liberal Arts, June 2009.

Visiting Faculty, 2008 Summer Institute, “Political Thought and Rhetoric in the Classical World,” July 2008, Northwestern University.

Dissertation Fellowship Reviewer, ACLS, 2009-2010, 2011-2012.

Co-organizer of “Plato and Platonisms: The Constitution of a Tradition,” an international interdisciplinary conference at University of South Carolina, March 20-23, 2008.

Manuscript reviewer for: *American Political Science Review*, *Journal of the History of Philosophy*, *Political Theory*, *Polity*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Journal of Politics*, *TAPA*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Polis*, *Journal of Political Science*, *Classical Philology*, *Law Culture Humanities*, *Political Studies*, *Review of Politics*, Harvard University Press, Princeton University Press, Fordham University Press, University of Chicago Press, Rowman and Littlefield, Penn State University Press.

USC, Political Science Department, Vice Chair, Faculty Annual Review Committee, Search Committees, Advisory Committee, Graduate Committee, Tenure and Promotion and Post-Tenure Review Committees, Third-Year Review Committee, Undergraduate Committee, Peer Teaching Review, Minority Recruitment Committee, Seminar Series Committee.

USC, College of Arts and Sciences, Faculty Affiliate in Philosophy, Classics, Religious Studies

USC, Marshall Fellowships Committee, McNair Scholarship and Selection Committee, Focus Carolina Research, Scholarship and Creative Achievement Committee (spring 2009), Safety Task Force (fall 2011), Humanities Grant Review Panel (2011-2012).