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RESEARCH AREAS

Aristotle, Plato, Hellenistic Philosophy, Virtue Ethics, Moral Psychology, Moral Development, Philosophy of Emotions.

EMPLOYMENT

- 2019- Present Irish Research Council Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Department of Philosophy, Trinity College Dublin
- 2019 Fixed Term Lecturer (Spring Term), Department of Classics, SECL, University of Kent
- 2018-2019 Research Associate, The Keeling Centre for Ancient Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, UCL
- 2012-2018 Teaching Assistant, Department of Philosophy, UCL
- 2010-2018 Research Assistant, The Keeling Centre for Ancient Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, UCL
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EDUCATION

- 2012-2017 Department of Philosophy, University College London
PhD (Philosophy)
Thesis: *Enacting Virtue*.
Supervisors: Dr Fiona Leigh, Prof M.M. McCabe.
Examiners: Prof Ursula Coope, Dr Joachim Aufderheide.
- 2010-2012 Department of Philosophy, University College London
MPhil Stud (Philosophy)
Thesis: *A Non-Intellectualist Account of Epicurean Emotions*.
Supervisor: Dr Fiona Leigh
Examiners: Prof James Warren, Prof Raphael Woolf
Coursework: Hellenistic Philosophy, Virtue Ethics, Wittgenstein, Kant, German Idealism, 19th Century Philosophy, Political Philosophy, Global Justice and Health, Epistemology, Philosophy of Time.
- 2005-2008 Corpus Christi College, University of Cambridge
BA Philosophy (1st Class); MA Cantab.
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PUBLICATIONS

- Forthcoming. 'Aristotle on the Necessity of Habituation: Re-reading *Nicomachean Ethics* 2.4'. *Phronesis* (expected 2021)
- Forthcoming. 'The Learner's Motivation and the Structure of Habituation in Aristotle'. *Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie* (expected 2022).
2019. 'Imitating Virtue', *Phronesis* 64 (3), 292-320.
- Book Chapters*
- Forthcoming. 'Aristotle on the nature of *ethos*'. In J. Dunham ed. *Habit in the History of Philosophy*. Routledge (expected 2021).

- Forthcoming 'The Tyrant and the Failure of *Philia*: Re-reading the account of the Tyrannical Character'. For M.M. McCabe ed. *Rereading Plato's Republic*. Edinburgh (expected 2021).
- Forthcoming 'Response to Warren *Memory, Anticipation, Pleasure*'. Co-authored with K. O'Reilly. For F. Leigh & M. Hampson eds. *Psychology and Value: The Ninth Keeling Colloquium in Ancient Philosophy*. Oxford. (expected 2021).
2020. 'Introduction', co-authored with Fiona Leigh. In F. Leigh (ed.) *Themes in Plato, Aristotle and Hellenistic Philosophy*. Bulletin of the Institute of Classical Studies, supplementary vol. 141, 1-10.

In preparation for forthcoming publication

Psychology and Value: The Ninth Keeling Colloquium in Ancient Philosophy. Co-edited with Fiona Leigh. Oxford. (under contract, expected 2021).

'Introduction'. For F. Leigh & M. Hampson eds. *Psychology and Value: The Ninth Keeling Colloquium in Ancient Philosophy*. Oxford.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

As Lecturer

Associateship of King's College, King's College London

- Invited Guest Lecturer for the interdisciplinary AKC programme (<https://www.kcl.ac.uk/aboutkings/principal/dean/akc/associateship-of-kings-college>) 2020 lecture series on 'Mental Health'. Lecture title: 'Plato's Tyrant: The Unhealthy Soul and Interpersonal Relationships' (Online format due to Covid-19). Autumn 2020.

Department of Classics, University of Kent

- CL821: Ancient Greek Science: Astronomy and Medicine (MA); Spring 2019
- CL708/CL709: Ancient Greek Philosophy (Level 5/6 Undergraduate); Spring 2019

Department of Philosophy, University College London

- PHIL3042/PHILGA14/PHILG044 Aristotle's Ethics and Moral Psychology (Level 6 Undergraduate and Graduate Level, Co-Taught with Dr Fiona Leigh); Spring 2017, 18

Responsibilities: devising course syllabi, reading lists and assessments (coursework and examinations); delivering lectures and leading seminars; guidance on student coursework; first marking of summative and formative coursework; providing detailed feedback.

As Postgraduate Teaching Assistant

Department of Philosophy, University College London

- PHIL1015 Introduction to Moral Philosophy: Hume's *Treatise* & Kant's *Groundwork* (Level 4 Undergraduate); Spring 2018
- PHIL1010 Introduction to History of Philosophy: Ancient Philosophy (Level 4 Undergraduate); Autumn 2017, Autumn 2012, Autumn 2012
- PHIL0017 Topics in Greek Philosophy: Plato (Level 5 Undergraduate); Autumn 2018, Autumn 2014, Spring 2014
- PHIL3042 Aristotle's Ethics & Moral Psychology (Level 6 Undergraduate); Spring 2018, Spring 2017, Spring 2016
- PHIL3042 Topics in Aristotle: Metaphysics, Ethics & Moral Psychology (Level 6 Undergraduate); Spring 2015, Spring 2014

Responsibilities: leading discussion seminars for groups of 15-20; first marking of formative essays and assessed coursework; providing detailed feedback to students; leading revision seminars; additional duties as required.

CONFERENCES & PRESENTATIONS

- 2020 'Plato on Definition by Example and Exemplar', Workshop on Plato's Theory of Forms, Trinity Plato Centre, 14th-16th Feb.
'Motivation and the Structure of Habituation in Aristotle', The B Club, Faculty of Classics, University of Cambridge, 3rd Feb.
- 2019 'Motivation and the Structure of Habituation in Aristotle', Philosophy Department Colloquium, TCD, 30th Sept.
'Attending to the Fine', *Attention in Ancient Philosophy*, Bern, 2-3rd Sept.
'Aristotle on the Necessity of Habituation', KCL-UCL Ancient Philosophy Seminar, 8th May.
'The Learner's Motivation in Aristotelian Habituation', Ancient Philosophy Workshop for Early Career Researchers, Oxford 11th Jan.
- 2018 'Motivation and The Structure of Habituation', UCL Philosophy Departmental Symposium, 21st Nov.
'Imitating Virtue', the International Conference in Ancient Philosophy: Paradigms - Thinking and Explaining in Terms of Models, Munich 8th-9th June.
'Imitating Virtue', London Intercollegiate Greek Philosophy Seminar, 24th May.
'The Learner's Motivation and the Structure of Habituation in Aristotle', British Society for the History of Philosophy Annual Conference on Habit in the History of Philosophy, Durham 12-14th April.
- 2017 'The Puzzle of *NE* II 4: What is Aristotle Puzzled About?', Southern Association for Ancient Philosophy Annual Meeting, Oxford 12th September.
'Virtue and Action in *NE* II 4', UCL-Yale Workshop: Virtue and Value in Plato and Aristotle, 23rd May.
- 2016 '*Phantasia*, Desire & Action', London-Warwick Mind Forum, 7th June.
- 2015 'Habituation and *Mimēsis*', London Intercollegiate Graduate Conference, 27th November.
Comments on Christensen's 'Defending Aristotle's Honour', UCL Graduate Conference, 2nd October.
'Simple *Akrasia*' (EE VI.4) – Cornell *Eudemian Ethics* Workshop, Cornell University, 28th-30th August.
- 2014 'Epicurus and the Fear of Death', Repton Philosophy Society, 3rd Feb.
'Wisdom and the Good', Workshop on Plato's *Euthydemus*, Kings College London, 12th-16th May.
- As invited participant:*
- 2019 A.G. Leventis Conference: Re-reading the *Republic*, University of Edinburgh, 21st-24th November. *Respondent to Frisbee Sheffield 'Philia and Moral Motivation' and Joachim Aufderheide 'I can't get no satisfaction': Republic 585-7'*
- 2016 Plato's *Republic* Book X, Yale-King's College London *Republic* seminar, Yale University, 13th-17th June.
- 2015 Plato's *Republic* Book IX, Yale-King's College London *Republic* seminar, King's College London, 8th-12th June.
Coordinator of the 'minutes' of the Reading Group.
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AWARDS & PRIZES

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| 2019-2021 | Irish Research Council Postdoctoral Research Fellowship, €91850 |
| 2012-2016 | Keeling Scholarship, UCL Philosophy Department, £79,326 |
| 2010-2011 | Dawes-Hicks Scholarship, UCL Philosophy Department, £3,600 |
| 2008 | Boutwood Prize for Tripos Part II Results, Corpus Christi College, Cambridge, £250 |
| 2006 | Boutwood Prize for Tripos Part IA Results, Corpus Christi College, Cambridge, £250 |

ORGANISATION & PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Athena SWAN Self-Assessment team School of Social Science and Philosophy, TCD

- Member of Self-Assessment Team for SSP Athena SWAN Bronze Application
- Sub-committee member for Organisation Culture and Representation

Research Assistant for the Keeling Centre for Ancient Philosophy

- Editorial assistant for the *Proceedings of the Keeling Colloquia Series*
- Researcher for the *Proceedings of the Keeling Colloquia Series*
- Assistant organiser for events at the Keeling Centre
- Assistant organiser of Annual Keeling Memorial Lectures, Graduate Masterclasses and the Biennial Keeling Colloquia
- Poster design & events promotion
- Website management & management of social media platforms

Conference Organisation

- International Workshop *Eudemian Ethics III*, Trinity College Dublin (Co-organiser with Dr Giulio Di Basilio) *postponed due to Covid-19
- Keeling Graduate Conference in Ancient Philosophy, May 2019 (Co-organiser with Niels Christensen and Branislav Kotoc)
- UCL-Yale Workshop, *Virtue & Value in Plato and Aristotle*, 22-23 May, 2017 (Assistant Organiser)

The Lyceum Society

- Cofounder of the London Intercollegiate Ancient Philosophy Graduate Research Group (established Summer 2017).
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REFEREES

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Associate Professor in Philosophy

Director, The Keeling Centre

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University College London

Prof M.M. McCabe

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Professor of Ancient Philosophy Emerita,

King's College London

Bye-Fellow, Newnham College,

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