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Curriculum Vitae – October 2009

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- EMPLOYMENT Northwestern University, Assistant Professor (2010-)
- Northwestern University, College Fellow (tenure track), Weinberg College of Arts and Sciences (2009-2010)
- EDUCATION University of California, Berkeley.
Ph.D. in Logic & Methodology of Science, 2009.
- Australian National University, Research School for the Social Sciences.
Visiting Student (July and August 2007 and July 2008) in the Philosophy Program.
- University of Bologna.
B.A. *Summa Cum Laude* Philosophy, 2003.
- AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION Philosophical Logic, Philosophy of Language, Epistemology (esp. Formal Epistemology).
- AREAS OF COMPETENCE Metaphysics, Mathematical Logic (introductory to advanced, including metatheory and intensional logic), Philosophy of Mathematics, Decision Theory and Social Choice Theory.
- DISSERTATION *The Semantics of 'Ought' and the Unity of Modal Discourse.*
My dissertation is a study of the extent to which deontic modals (especially 'ought') put pressure on the project of giving a unified semantic account of modality in natural language.
- Committee: John MacFarlane (chair), Branden Fitelson, Niko Kolodny (outside member), Paolo Mancosu, and Sherri Roush.
- PUBLICATIONS 'Decision Framing in Judgment Aggregation' (with M. Pauly and J. Snyder), in *Synthese*, 163, pp. 1-24, July 2008. Reprinted in *The Philosopher's Annual 2009*—a selection of the "ten best" philosophy papers published in 2008.

PRESENTATIONS

Formal Analyses of Normativity

- Arché Center, University of St. Andrews, March 2009

'Ought' is not a Box

- Philosophy Department, University of Chicago, Chicago, February 2009
- Philosophy Department, Barnard College, New York City, January 2009
- Philosophy Department, Northwestern University, Chicago, January 2009
- Philosophy Department, Boston University, Boston, January 2009
- Semantics and Philosophy in Europe Colloquium, Paris, May, 2008.
- Philosophical Society, Research School of Social Sciences, Australian National University, August 2007.

Aggregation Rules and Epistemic Norms

- Australasian Association of Philosophy Conference, Melbourne, July 2008.
- Berkeley-London, Graduate Student Conference, London, May 2008.
- Current Projects Seminar, Centre for Time, University of Sydney, August 2007.

Disjunctive Obligations and Implicature

- Colloquium paper at the 2008 Pacific Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Pasadena (CA), March 2008.
- Philosophy Seminar, LaTrobe University, Melbourne, August 2007.
- Australasian Association of Philosophy Conference, Armidale, July 2007.
- Logica 2007, Hejnice, Czech Republic, June 2007.

Truth in a Corpus

- Society for Exact Philosophy, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, May 2007.

Decision Framing in Judgment Aggregation

- Invited symposium on Judgment Aggregation at the 2007 Pacific Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, San Francisco (CA), March 2007.
- Cowles Foundation Workshop, Yale University, Sept. 2006.
- LOFT 2006, University of Liverpool, July 2006.
- Berkeley-Stanford Workshops in Logic, Stanford University, May 2006.

On the Language-Dependence of Distance-Based Aggregation Procedures

- Invited talk in Marc Pauly's seminar at Stanford University, February 2006.

Do Plural Quantifiers Commit us to Classes?

- CUNY Graduate Student Logic Conference, Fall 2004,

INVITED
COMMENTARIES

Comments on *Unification and Partition Variance*, by Greg Novack, delivered at the Pacific Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Portland, Spring 2006

Comments on *Judgment Aggregation without Paradox*, by Gabriella Pigozzi, delivered at the 2nd Formal Epistemology Workshop, University of Texas at Austin, May 2005.

Comments on *Elementary Lectures on Thirteen Problems for Science and its Philosophy*, by Clark Glymour, delivered at the 1st Formal Epistemology Workshop, University of California, Berkeley, May 2004.

TEACHING
EXPERIENCE

As Teaching Assistant at UC Berkeley,

Introduction to Logic, Branden Fitelson, Fall 2008.

Philosophical Logic, John MacFarlane, Spring 2008.

Theory of Knowledge, Sherri Roush, Fall 2007.

Metaphysics, Alan Code, Fall 2006.

Philosophy of Mathematics, Paolo Mancosu, Spring 2006.

Intermediate Logic B, Paolo Mancosu, Fall 2005.

Philosophy of Mind, Marga Vega, Summer 2005.

Philosophical Logic, John MacFarlane, Spring 2005.

Introduction to Logic, Branden Fitelson, Fall 2005.

Philosophy of Probability and Induction, Branden Fitelson, Spring 2004.

Introduction to Logic, Paolo Mancosu, Fall 2003.

AWARDS AND
HONORS

Dissertation Stipend, under Sherri Roush's National Science Foundation Grant 0823418, Spring 2009.

Summer Grant, Summer 2008 (support for Summer 2008 visit to the ANU).

Logic Group Semester Grant, Spring 2007.

2004 Outstanding GSI (Teaching Assistant) Award.

Undergraduate Fellowship (full tuition reimbursement, room and board, stipend) from the Collegio Superiore of the University of Bologna, Fall 1998-Spring 2003.

SERVICE

Senior M&E Search Committee (Northwestern University, Fall 2009).

Referee for *Synthese*, *Philosophical Studies*, *Philosophy of Science*, *Logic Journal of the IGPS*.

Co-organizer of the Townsend Center Working Group in *History and Philosophy of Logic, Mathematics and Science* (2005-2009).

Member of of the *Formal Epistemology Workshop* organizing committee (2006).

Editorial assistant for the volumes:

- *The Philosophy of Mathematical Practice* (O.U.P. 2008) edited by Paolo Mancosu.
- *The Adventure of Reason* (forthcoming from O.U.P.), a collection of essays by Paolo Mancosu.

OTHER

Participant in the Bay Area Philosophy of Language Discussion Group, Fall 2005-present.

Co-author and editor of *A Handbook of Mathematical Handouts*, a collection of handouts that accompany Paolo Mancosu's *Philosophy of Mathematics Course*—meant to provide a gentle introduction to the mathematical facts underlying the material in the course.