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Education

2016-2018 Georgia State University, Philosophy M.A. Program

Thesis: *Nietzsche's Art of Interpretation:
The Role of the Epigraph in GM III*

2012-2015 Belmont University; B.A. in Philosophy (*Cum Laude*)

Research Interests

Primary Areas of Interest:

- Ancient Philosophy
- German Philosophy (19th and 20th Century)

Additional Interests:

- Philosophy of Science; Social Epistemology; Ethics

Publications and Presentations

“Reexamining the Role of the Epigraph in Nietzsche’s *GM III*.” American Philosophical Association: Central Division; Denver, CO (February 2019).

“Heidegger, Science, and the Objectivity of Presence-at-Hand.” 49th Annual Meeting of the Tennessee Philosophical Association; Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN (October 2017).

“Political-Ethical Implications in Aristotle’s Ontology of Mathematical Objects.” *Episteme: Denison University’s International Undergraduate Journal of Philosophy*, 2016.—*accepted but withdrawn by author.*

“The End of Philosophy: Habermas’ Stand-in and Interpreter.” Southern Appalachian Undergraduate Philosophy Conference; University of North Carolina Asheville, Asheville, NC (February 2016).

.—San Diego State University Student Conference in Philosophy, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA (October 2015).

“Entering the Native Realm of Truth: Hegel’s Transition from Consciousness to Self-Consciousness in the *Phenomenology of Spirit*.” Belmont Undergraduate Research Symposium, Belmont University, Nashville, TN (April 2015).

Teaching Experience

Belmont University

- Adjunct Instructor, Introduction to Philosophy (Fall 2018, Spring 2019), Ethics (Spring 2019)

Georgia State University

- Instructor of Record, Introduction to Philosophy (Fall 2017, Spring 2018)
- Supplemental Instruction Leader, Critical Thinking (Spring 2017, Summer 2017)
- Writing Across the Curriculum Consultant, Introduction to Philosophy (Fall 2016)

Honors and Awards

- The Virginia Osborne “Outstanding Student in Philosophy” (2014-2015)
- Phi Sigma Tau Philosophy Honors Society (Fall 2015)
- Max Kade Foundation Travel Grant Recipient (Summer 2015)

Languages

- German, intermediate reading and speaking proficiency; two years formal study and summer intensive program at the Goethe Institute, Berlin, Germany, in 2015.
- Ancient Greek, basic reading proficiency, one year formal and independent study.

References

Dr. Jessica Berry, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Department of Philosophy; Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA, jberry@gsu.edu.

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