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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Political Science, Johns Hopkins University, 2019
M.A. Political Science, Johns Hopkins University, 2016
B.A. Political Science, University at Albany, State University of New York, 2013

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

2021 – present Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Political Science, University of Copenhagen
2021 Postdoctoral Fellow, Center for Philosophy, Université Libre de Bruxelles
2019 – present Assistant Professor of Political Science, Portland State University (unpaid leave of absence)

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

“Eco-Critique and Thought as a Force of Nature.” *New Political Science* 42, no. 4 (2020): 617-623.

“Feeling the Vibrations: On the Micropolitics of Climate Change.” *Political Theory: An International Journal of Political Philosophy* 47, no. 6 (2019): 836-863.

“Belonging to Spontaneous Order: Hayek, Pluralism, Democracy.” *Democratic Theory: An Interdisciplinary Journal* 6, no. 1 (2019): 1-26.

“What Is It Like To Become a Bat? Heterogeneities in an Age of Extinction.” *Environmental Humanities* 10, no. 1 (2018): 129-149.

Edited Volumes

“To Think, Entanglement!,” commissioned by the Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne, in association with *Who’s Afraid of Public Space?*, 2021/22, edited by Max Delaney and Annika Kristensen, forthcoming 2022

Manuscripts in Revision

“Apocalyptic Tones and the Force of Uncanny Colors,” *Theory & Event*

Manuscripts in Preparation

Peer-reviewed Journal Articles

“Metabolic Mimesis: Keeping Time with Others”

“Viral Agencies and More-than-Human Politics: A Post-Anthropocentric Thought Experiment”

“How to Do More-than-Human Politics: Lessons from an All-Too-Human Experiment” (with Lars Tønder)

Edited Volumes

Declarations from a More-than-Human Founding, with Lars Tønder

“Uncanny Colors,” in *Spectral Futures*, edited by Bernd Herzogenrath

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

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| 2021-2023 | Postdoctoral fellowship, “Vital Politics: Rethinking Normativity in the Anthropocene” (Lars Tønder, PI), University of Copenhagen and Independent Research Council Denmark |
| 2021 | Postdoctoral fellowship, l’Université libre de Bruxelles, funded by the Fédération Wallonie-Bruxelles (Belgium) |
| 2021 | <u>European Commission Seal of Excellence</u> for “More-than-Human Subjectivities” |
| 2019 | Environmental Humanities Doctoral Residency, The SeedBox Environmental Humanities Collaboratory, Linköping University (Sweden) |
| 2018-2019 | Dean’s Teaching Fellowship, “Belonging to Nature in the Anthropocene,” Johns Hopkins University |
| 2017 | Warren B. Hunting Scholarship in Political Theory, Johns Hopkins University |
| 2015 | Summer Research Fellowship, School of Criticism and Theory, Cornell University |
| 2013-2018 | Department of Political Science Doctoral Fellowship, Johns Hopkins University |

2013 Marandon Fellowship, Université Laval (Canada; awarded but unable to accept)

INVITED TALKS

- 2022 “Micropolitics and Climate Activism,” keynote lecture at “Hungry for Justice” Earth Day symposium, University of the Arts London, England, April 22
- 2022 “Metabolic Mimesis: Keeping Time with Others,” *Homo Mimeticus: Theory and Criticism*, KU Leuven (online), March 3
- 2021 “Revisiting Whitehead and Process Philosophy with Stephanie Erev and Jakkob Zinsstag,” Coronavirus Multispecies Reading Group (online), April 12
- 2021 “On Apocalyptic Spiritualities and the Force of Uncanny Colors,” SUNY Albany Political Theory Workshop (online), March 26
- 2020 “Bats, Heterogeneities, and Multispecies Ethics,” Coronavirus Multispecies Reading Group (online), December 7
- 2019 “Feeling the Vibrations,” Linköping University, Sweden, March 15
- 2019 “Process and the Politics of Belonging,” *Heimat im Prozess?*, Politisches Bildungforum Sachsen, German Whitehead Society, Dresden, Germany, January 10-12

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

Refereed Papers

- 2022 “Viral Agencies and More-than-Human Politics: A Postanthropocentric Thought Experiment,” American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Quebec, September 15-18
- 2022 “How to Do More-than-Human Politics: Lessons from an All-too-Human Experiment” (Lars Tønder, co-author), American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Quebec, September 15-18
- 2022 “Metabolic Mimesis: Keeping Time with Others,” *The Mimetic Turn: Final International Conference on Homo Mimeticus (ERC)*, April 20-22 (online)
- 2022 “Apocalypticism in Two Tones: The Politics of Bodily Interpretations,” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Portland, Oregon, March 9-12
- 2021 “Varieties of Apocalypticism: On the Politics of Affirmation and *Ressentiment* during the Anthropocene,” Association for the Study of Literature and Environment Annual Meeting (online), July 26-August 6 (accepted but unable to attend)

- 2021 “More-than-Human Subjectivities,” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting (online), April 1-3
- 2021 “On Apocalyptic Spiritualities and the Force of Uncanny Colors,” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting (online), April 1-3
- 2020 “The Strange Force of Weird Colors between Worlds,” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, California, April 9-11 (canceled due to COVID-19)
- 2019 “Changing Rhythms of Democratic Practices,” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, California, April 18-20
- 2018 “Fine Lines of Flight: Unstable Ecologies and Democratic Practices,” American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, August 30 - September 2 (accepted but unable to attend)
- 2018 “Feeling the Vibrations: On the Micropolitics of Climate Change,” *Capacious: Affect Inquiry/Making Space*, Millersville University, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, August 9-11
- 2018 “To ‘Give Style’ to Thinking,” Caribbean Philosophical Association Annual Meeting, “Shifting the Geographies of Reason XV: Ways of Knowing, Past and Future,” Cheik Anta Diop University, Dakar, Sénégal, June 19-22
- 2018 “Wild Sensations: Byron’s ‘Darkness’ in the Anthropocene,” Wild Romanticism Conference, The Arctic University of Norway, Tromsø, Norway, May 24-27
- 2018 “Climate Change and the Senses,” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California, March 29-31
- 2017 “Toward A Theory of Climate Affects,” American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California, August 31 - September 3
- 2017 “Mutual Immanence during the Anthropocene: Whitehead, Nietzsche, and Climate Change Aesthetics,” *Nature in Process: Novel Approaches to Science and Metaphysics*, Ponta Delgada, São Miguel, Azores, July 25-28
- 2017 “Romanticism and Generality in Law: Belonging in Hayek and Rousseau,” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Vancouver, British Columbia, April 13-15
- 2015 “What is it Like to Become a Bat?,” *Affect Theory Conference: Worldings, Tensions, Futures*, Millersville University, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, October 14-17

Panels Organized

- 2022 Experiments in More-than-Human Politics (with Lars Tønder), American Political Science Association Annual Conference, Montreal, Quebec, September 15-18

- 2022 Ecocide and Spirituality (with Cara New Daggett), Western Political Science Association Annual Conference, Portland, Oregon, March 9-12
- 2019 Senses of Place and Political Sensibilities, Western Political Science Association Annual Conference, San Diego, California, April 18-20
- 2018 Contestation and Powers of the False, Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California, March 29-31
- 2017 Romanticism and Political Economy, Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Vancouver, British Columbia, April 13-15

Workshops Organized

- 2022 “Material Temporalities in Politics and Art: Jahnne Pasco-White and Stephanie Erev,” Vital Politics, University of Copenhagen, June 22 (online)
- 2022 Scott F. Gilbert, “Knowing Your Constituencies: New Perspectives on the Politics of the Corporal Body,” Vital Politics, University of Copenhagen, February 24 (online)

Other Conference Participation

- 2021 Chair, Mimetic Inclinations in Spite of the History of Philosophy, Mimetic Inclinations: Gender, Philosophy, and Politics with Adriana Cavarero, November 19
- 2021 Chair, Posthuman Subjects, Posthuman Mimesis: Embodiment, Affect, Contagion (online), KU Leuven, Belgium, May 20-22
- 2018 Chair, Material Matters Panel, Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California, March 29-31

CAMPUS PRESENTATIONS (selected)

Papers

- 2021 “More-than-Human Subjectivities,” The Socratic Society, Portland State University, May 12
- 2019 “Politics and Exclusions, or: On Food and Flowers,” Department of Political Science Graduate Student Colloquium, Johns Hopkins University, February 22

Discussant

- 2015 “Ontopolitics,” Brian Massumi, Professor of Communications, University of Montreal, Department of Political Science Seminar, Johns Hopkins University, March 5

Guest Lectures

2022 “Democratic Participation in the Anthropocene,” for Democracy in the Anthropocene, University of Copenhagen, March 23

MEDIA

2020 “[Intersectionality between Politics and Climate](#),” Interview for *VedgeTalk* (podcast), May 15

UNIVERSITY TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Portland State University, Assistant Professor

Introduction to Political Theory
Environmental Political Theory
Normative Foundations of Governance
Politics of Affect
Philosophy of Social Science

Johns Hopkins University, Instructor of Record

Belonging to Nature in the Anthropocene (Fall 2017)

Johns Hopkins University, Teaching Assistant

Politics of Good and Evil (Spring 2016; with William E. Connolly)
Capitalism and Ecology (Fall 2014; with William E. Connolly)

SERVICE TO PROFESSION (selected)

Publication Peer-Review

Columbia University Press
Cultural Studies Review
Environmental Humanities
Political Theory: An International Journal of Political Philosophy
Limina: A Journal of Historical and Cultural Studies

Assistant Editor, *Political Theory: An International Journal of Political Philosophy*, 2015-2017

UNIVERSITY SERVICE (selected)

Faculty Senate, Portland State University, 2020-present

Steering Committee, Public Affairs and Policy Interdisciplinary Ph.D. Program, Mark O. Hatfield School of Government, Portland State University, 2020-present

Graduate Program Committee, Department of Political Science, Portland State University, 2019-present

Sustainability Committee, College of Urban and Public Affairs, Portland State University, 2019-present

Provost's Public Interest Investment Advisory Committee on Fossil Fuel Divestment, Kreiger School of Arts and Sciences Graduate Student Representative, Johns Hopkins University, 2015-2017

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Political Science Association

Association for Political Theory

Association for the Study of Literature and Environment

Caribbean Philosophical Association

International Society for the Study of Religion, Nature, and Culture

North American Nietzsche Society

Society for Phenomenology and Existential Research

Western Political Science Association

LANGUAGES

French: Advanced reading, writing, speaking

REFERENCES

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