

**ANDREA SCARANTINO**  
**CV**

**NAME:** Andrea Scarantino

**RANK:** Professor

**DEPARTMENT:** Philosophy, College of Arts & Sciences, Georgia State University

**EDUCATION**

2005: Ph.D. “Explicating Emotions”, University of Pittsburgh, Department of History and Philosophy of Science

2005: M.S. University of Pittsburgh, Department of Philosophy

2000: Ph.D. “Is the Market a Solution for the Organ Shortage?”, Università Cattolica of Milan (Italy), Department of Economics

1997: M.S. “What Makes an Action Altruistic?”, The London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), Department of Philosophy, Logic and Scientific Method

1994: B.S. “The Limits of Economic Rationality”, Bocconi University (Italy), Department of Economics

**PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIALS**

2016-present: Full Professor, Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA, Department of Philosophy and Neuroscience Institute

2011-2016: Associate Professor, Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA, Department of Philosophy and Neuroscience Institute

2005-2011: Assistant Professor (tenure-track), Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA, Department of Philosophy and Neuroscience Institute

**SCHOLARSHIP AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

A. Books

1. *Routledge Handbook of Emotion Theory*, editor, 65 chapters, under contract, in preparation, Routledge University Press.

B. Articles

1. “Commentary: Two Challenges for Adolphs and Andler’s Functionalist Theory of Emotions”, *Emotion Review* (2018), Vol. 10 No. 3, 1–2.
2. “Are LeDoux’s Survival Circuits Basic Emotions Under a Different Name?”, *Current Opinion in Behavioral Sciences* (2018), 24: 75-82.
3. “Emotion”, co-authored with Ronnie De Sousa, *Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (2018), <http://plato.stanford.edu/entries/emotion/>.
4. “Emotional Expressions as Speech Act Analogs”, *Philosophy of Science* (2018) 85, pp. 1–16.

5. "How to Do Things with Emotional Expressions: The Theory of Affective Pragmatics", *Psychological Inquiry* (2017), 28:2-3, 165-185.
6. "Twelve Questions for the Theory of Affective Pragmatics", *Psychological Inquiry* (2017), 28:2-3, 217-232.
7. "Do Emotions Cause Actions, and If So How?", *Emotion Review* (2017), Vol 9, Issue 4, 326-334.
8. "Voodoo Dolls and Angry Lions: How Emotions Explain Arational Actions", co-authored with Michael Nielsen, *Philosophical Studies* (2015), 1-24.
9. "Information as a Probabilistic Difference Maker", *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* (2015), 1-25.
10. "Contextually Variable Signals Can Be Functionally Referential," co-authored with Zanna Clay, *Animal Behavior* (2014), online first, <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.anbehav.2014.08.017>.
11. "Rethinking Functional Reference," *Philosophy of Science* (2013), 80, 1006–1018.
12. "Some Further Thoughts on Emotions and Natural Kinds," reply to commentators, *Emotion Review* (2012), vol. 4 no. 4, 391-393
13. "Functional Specialization Does Not Require A One-To-One Mapping Between Brain Regions and Emotions," commentary on "The Brain Basis of Emotion" by Kristen A. Lindquist, Tor D. Wager, Hedy Kober, Eliza Bliss-Moreau, and Lisa Feldman Barrett, target article in *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, 35 (2012), 161–162.
14. "How To Define Emotions Scientifically," *Emotion Review* (2012), vol. 4 no. 4, 358-368.
15. "Don't Give Up on Basic Emotions" co-authored with Paul Griffiths, *Emotion Review* (2011), Vol. 3 no. 4, 444-454.
16. "Information Processing, Computation and Cognition," co-authored with Gualtiero Piccinini, *Journal of Biological Physics* (2011), 37:1–38.
17. "Computation vs. Information Processing," co-authored with Gualtiero Piccinini, *Studies in the History and Philosophy of Science* (2010), 41.3, 237-246.
18. "Insights and Blindspots of the Cognitivist Theory of Emotions", *British Journal for the Philosophy of Science* (2010), volume 60, issue 3, 729–768.
19. "Evidence of Coordination as a Cure for Concept Eliminativism," commentary on *Doing Without Concepts*, Edouard Machery (Oxford University Press, 2009), *Behavioral and Brain Sciences* (2010), 33:223-224, Cambridge University Press.
20. "The Disjunctive Theory of Art: The Cluster Account Reformulated," co-authored with Francis Longworth, *British Journal of Aesthetics* (2010), Volume 50, Number 2, 151-167(17).
21. "Animal Communication Between Influence and Information," *Animal Behaviour* (2010, doi:10.1016/j.anbehav.2010.03.005), 79, e1-e5.
22. "Information Without Truth," co-authored with Gualtiero Piccinini, *Metaphilosophy* (2010), Volume 41, Number 3, 313-330(18).
23. "Inductive Risk and Justice in Organ Allocation," *Bioethics* (2010), Oct;24(8):421-30.
24. "Core Affect and Natural Affective Kinds," *Philosophy of Science* (2009), 76, 940–957.
25. "On The Role of Values in Economics: Robbins and His Critics," *Journal of the History of Economic Thought* (2009), 31,449-473.
26. "Shell Games, Information, and Counterfactuals," *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* (2008) 86, Issue 4, 629 – 634.
27. "Affordances Explained," *Philosophy of Science* (2003), 70, 949-961.

### C. Book Chapters

1. "Emotional Expressions as Appeals to Do, Think and Feel". In Ursula Hess and Shlomo Hareli, *What Emotions Tell Us About the World*, Springer, forthcoming.
2. "Exploring the Roles of Emotions in Self-Control". In Al Mele, *Surrounding Self-Control*, Oxford University Press, forthcoming.
3. "Motivational Theories of Emotions in Philosophy and Affective Science". In *Routledge Handbook of Emotion Theory*, ed. Andrea Scarantino, Routledge University Press, forthcoming.
4. "The Philosophy of Emotions and Its Impact on Affective Science", in *The Handbook of Emotions* (2016), 4<sup>th</sup> ed., Guilford University Press, Michael Lewis, Jeanette Haviland-Jones and Lisa Feldman Barrett, eds. New York: The Guilford Press, pp. 3-48.
5. "Computation and Information," co-authored with Gualtiero Piccinini, Forthcoming, in *The Routledge Handbook of Philosophy of Information*, Luciano Floridi, ed.
6. "Basic Emotions, Psychological Construction and the Problem of Variability," *The Psychological Construction of Emotion* (2015), James Russell and Lisa Barrett, eds, Guilford Press, 334-376.
7. "The Motivational Theory of Emotions", *Moral Psychology and Human Agency* (2014), Daniel Jacobson and Justin D'Arms, eds. Cambridge University Press, 156-185.
8. "Animal Communication as Information Mediated Influence," *Animal Communication Theory: Information and Influence* (2013), Ulrich Stegmann, ed., Cambridge University Press, 63-81.
9. "Commentaries on Rendall and Owren, Fisher, Morton, Coss and Owings," *Animal Communication Theory: Information and Influence* (2013), Ulrich Stegmann, ed., Cambridge University Press, 84-87.
10. "Discrete Emotions: From Folk Psychology to Causal Mechanisms," *Categorical and Dimensional Models of Affect* (2012), Peter Zachar and Ralph Ellis, eds, Consciousness and Emotion book series, John Benjamins: Amsterdam, 135-154.
11. "Emotions in the Wild: The Situated Perspective on Emotion," co-authored with Paul Griffiths, *Cambridge Handbook of Situated Cognition*, P. Robbins and M. Aydede, eds., Cambridge: Cambridge University Press (2009), 437-453.

### C. Book Reviews

1. Review of *Thinking About Feeling*, Robert Solomon, ed. and *Emotion, Evolution and Rationality*, Dylan Evans and Pierre Cuse, eds., *Mind* 115 (2006): 812-820.
2. Review of *Passionate Engines*, Craig DeLancey, *Philosophy of Science* 71 (2004): 227-230

### D. Other Publications

1. Ten Editor's Columns, ten Interviews with prominent emotion theorists and two Q&As in "Emotion Researcher, ISRE's Sourcebook for Research on Emotion and Affect", an online publication I edited 2013-2017; see [www.emotionresearcher.com](http://www.emotionresearcher.com).
2. "The Health-Emotion Link: Dimensions of Complexity and Causal Mechanisms," *The Emotion Researcher*, Official Newsletter of the International Society for Research on Emotion, Vol. 23, 1 (Summer 2008): 7-9.

3. “Efficiency and Equity in Organ Allocation,” *Keiron* (2000): 42-57 (publication in Italian).

E. Professional Presentations

1. September 28, 2018: “How To Do Things With Emotional Expressions”, invited talk, Deep South Philosophy and Neuroscience Workshop, Pensacola, FL.
2. July 6, 2018: “Emotions and Self-Control”, invited talk, Mahidol University, Bangkok, Thailand.
3. April 20, 2018: “Emotions and Expressions”, ECOM workshop, University of Connecticut
4. December 5, 2017: “Emotional Expressions as Speech Act Analogs”, invited talk, Institut für Psychologie at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.
5. November 9, 2017: “Emotional Action: Four Fallacies and a Proposal”, invited talk, Centre for Philosophical Psychology and European Network for Sensory Research, Workshop on Emotion and Action, University of Antwerp, Belgium.
6. October 9, 2017: “Could Emotional Expressions Have Been Building Blocks for Language Evolution?”, invited talk, Centre for the Study of Social Action, Università degli Studi di Milano, Italy
7. October 5-6, 2017: “Exploring the Roles of Emotions in Self-Control”, invited talk, RTG Workshop, University of Osnabrück, Germany
8. September 13-15, 2017: “Communicative Intentions and Cultural Evolution”, roundtable discussion with Richard Moore (Philosophy/Psychology, HU Berlin), Dorit Bar-On (Philosophy, Connecticut), Cecelia Heyes (Psychology, Oxford), Andrea Scarantino (Philosophy, ANU), Thom Scott-Phillips (Linguistics/Cog-Sci, CEU), Dan Sperber (Cognitive Anthropology, CEU) and Kim Sterelny (Philosophy, ANU), Inaugural Meeting of the Cultural Evolution Society, University of Jena, Germany.
9. July 26-29, 2017: “From Speech Act Theory to Affective Pragmatics”, International Society for Research on Emotion (ISRE), Biennial Meeting, Saint Louis, Missouri, USA.
10. June 26-28, 2017: “How To Do Things With Emotional Expressions”, Simon Award Keynote, International Association for Computing and Philosophy 2017 Annual Meeting, Stanford University, Palo Alto.
11. June 9-11, 2017: “Are Emotions Good or Bad for Self-Control?”, 2017 Philosophy and Science of Self-Control Capstone Conference, Florida State University, Tallahassee.
12. April 27, 2017: “Are Survival Circuits Basic Emotions Under a Different Name?”, Survival Circuits Meeting organized by Joe Le Doux, New York University.
13. January 17, 2017: “Affective Pragmatics”, invited talk, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand.
14. January 16, 2017: “The Motivational Theory of Emotions”, invited talk, Mahidol University, Bangkok, Thailand.
15. November 4, 2016: “The Role of Emotional Expressions in the Evolution of Language”, Philosophy of Science Association, Biennial Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
16. June 20, 2016: “Emotional Expressions and the Evolution of Language”, Workshop, Berlin Center of Mind and Brain, Humboldt University, Germany.
17. Feb 10, 2016: “A New Perspective on Basic Emotions: No Selection Without Regulation”, Emotions in Mind, Brain and Culture, Emory University.
18. Dec 9, 2015: “Disentangling Three Concepts of Information”, University of San Paulo, Brasil, EBICC, International Brazilian Meeting on Cognitive Science.

19. July 8-10, 2015: “The New Basic Emotion Theory: Ekman Meets Frijda”, University of Geneva, Geneva, Switzerland, International Society for Research on Emotion (ISRE), Biennial Meeting.
20. June 25, 2015: “Probabilistic Information: A Brief History and a New Theory”, Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel.
21. May 20, 2015: “Emotions and Arational Actions”, Berlin Center for Mind and Brain, Berlin, Germany.
22. May 6-7, 2015: “The Communicative Dimension of Emotions”, Swiss Center for Affective Sciences, Geneva, Switzerland.
23. April 22-23, 2015: “Emotional Actions: A Taxonomy”, University of Tübingen, Germany.
24. March 27, 2015: “How Non-Linguistic Signals Functionally Refer”, University of Basel, Switzerland.
25. Feb 4, 2015: “Emotions as Motivational Programs With Coordinative and Communicative Functions”, University of Osnabrueck, Germany.
26. July 8, 2014, “How Emotions Impact Actions: A New Taxonomy”, Geneva, Switzerland, Center for Affective Sciences.
27. February 6, 2014, “How To Do Things With Emotions”, SSPP, Charleston.
28. October 22, 2013, “Emotion Act Theory Introduced”, University of Missouri, Saint Louis.
29. June 20, 2013, “A New Theory of Affective Pragmatics”, University of Osnabrück, Germany.
30. May 30, 2013, “The Trouble With Basic Emotions”, Toronto, Emotion Research Group
31. February 22, 2013, “Emotions and Affordances”, University of California, Irvine.
32. January 11, 2013, “How To Do Things With Emotions”, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.
33. November 7, 2012, “Emotions as Actions”, Ohio State University.
34. November 15-17, 2012 “Rethinking Functional Reference,” San Diego, PSA 2012, Biennial Meeting.
35. June 27, 2012, “The Scientific Study of Emotions”, BRAIN Program, Georgia State University, invited talk.
36. June 21, 2012: “Rejecting the Myth of Passions”, Summer Workshop on Moral Psychology and Human Agency organized by Dan Jacobson at the University of Michigan.
37. May 22-June 22, 2012: “The Science of Ethics,” one month residency at the University of Michigan in the context of the Templeton Foundation \$1.2M “Science of Ethics” grant awarded to Dan Jacobson, University of Michigan.
38. March 30, 2012: “From Natural Information to Representation,” talk given at workshop on the origin of language, University of Virginia.
39. March 22, 2012: “Basic Emotions and Higher Cognitive Emotions: Rethinking the Dichotomy,” talk given at the University of Pittsburgh.
40. February 13, 2012: “A New Theory of Natural Information,” talk given at a workshop on Natural Information in Aberdeen organized by University of Aberdeen, UK.
41. September 23, 2011: “Don’t Give Up on Basic Emotions”, talk given at a workshop entitled ‘What Are Emotions?’, New York University, invited talk.
42. June 18, 2011: “Emotions and Communication: New Perspectives for Affective Science”, talk given at a workshop on my work, Humboldt University, Germany, invited talk.
43. June 18, 2011: “The Metaphysics of Affordance Properties”, talk given at a workshop on my work, Humboldt University, Germany, invited talk.

44. June 17, 2011: "How To Define Emotions Scientifically", talk given at a workshop on my work, Humboldt University, Germany, invited talk.
45. May 14, 2011: Commentary on Adina Roskies' 'Can Neuroscience Resolve Issues About Free Will?', talk given at a workshop at Bielefeld University, Germany.
46. June 17, 2010: "Understanding reference in animal communication", talk given in a workshop on "Comparative and evolutionary perspectives on referential communication and cooperation" organized by the School of Psychology, University of St. Andrews, in cooperation with the Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin, Berlin, invited talk.
47. April 30, 2010: "Affective Sciences and the Heterogeneity Hypothesis," Emotion Research Group, Portland Maine, invited talk.
48. April 16, 2010: "Information vs. Influence in Animal Communication: A False Dichotomy," Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Atlanta.
49. April 16, 2010: Commentary on Krisanna Scheiter's "An Aristotelian Theory of Emotion," Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Atlanta.
50. September 25, 2009: "Unconscious Emotions: Respectable, Useful, and Probably Necessary," 2nd Annual Interdisciplinary Approach to Philosophical Issues Conference, University of South Alabama, Mobile, invited talk.
51. August 7, 2009: "Natural Affective Kinds," ISRE 2009, The University of Leuven, Belgium, symposium talk.
52. November 7, 2008: "Is Core Affect a Natural Kind?," Philosophy of Science Association Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA.
53. June 24, 2008: "Shell Games, Information and Counterfactuals," poster presented at the Society for Psychology and Philosophy Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.
54. April 27, 2008: "Is Core Affect a Natural Kind?," Emotion Research Group, Savannah, GA, invited talk
55. November 15, 2007: "The Trouble with Counterfactual Theories of Information," Philosophy Department, GSU, Brown Bag Lunch Series.
56. April 25, 2007: "Emotion as Umotion," Emotion Research Group, Point Reyes, invited talk.
57. November 3, 2006: "What is an Umotion?," Philosophy of Science Association, Biennial Meeting in Vancouver, Canada.
58. November 17, 2006: "Emotions as Social Signals," Cognitive Science Brown Bag Talk, Georgia Institute of Technology, invited talk.
59. April 15, 2006: "Emotions as Umotions," Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Charleston.
60. April 14, 2006: "Carving Emotion at Its Joints," Emotion Research Group, Miami, invited talk.
61. August 7, 2006: "Insights and Blindspots of Cognitivism," International Society for Research on Emotions, Atlanta, GA.
62. February 14, 2006: "Emotions in the Wild", University of Alabama, Birmingham, AL, invited talk.
63. October 27, 2005: "Do Invertebrates Have Emotions?," Neurophilosophy Brown-Bag Talk, Georgia State University.
64. October 14, 2005: "Understanding Emotions," Neuroscience Fall 2005 Retreat, Georgia State University.
65. July 12, 2005: "A Critique of Cognitivist and Neo-Jamesian Theories of Emotion," Poster Presentation, International Society for Research on Emotions, Bari, Italy.

66. April 28, 2005: "Blindfright and the Cognitivist's Dilemma," American Philosophical Association, Central Division Meeting, Chicago, IL.
67. January & February 2005, "Will The Real Emotions Please Stand Up?," Georgia State University, California Institute of Technology, College of William and Mary, Washington and Lee University.
68. July 23, 2004: "Blindfright and the Cognitivist's Dilemma," Society for Philosophy and Psychology and European Society for Philosophy and Psychology, First Joint Meeting in Barcelona.
69. April 15, 2003: "Toward a New Theory of Semantic Information," Graduate Student Conference at the University of California at S. Diego, La Jolla.
70. November 3, 2002: "Affordances Explained," Philosophy of Science Association, Biennial Meeting, Milwaukee.
71. June 22, 2002: "A Deeper Problem for Dretske's Theory of Informational Content," Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Annual Meeting in Edmonton.
72. November 12, 2000: "Local justice in organ allocation," invited paper, Conference on Equity in Health Care in Reggio Emilia (Italy).
73. October 4, 2000: "A Study on the Interplay between Science and Values in the Allocation of Cadaveric Kidneys," American Society for Bioethics and Humanities, Annual Meeting in Salt Lake City.

#### F. Awards

1. 2017: Herbert A. Simon Award for Outstanding Research in Computing and Philosophy awarded by the International Association for Computing and Philosophy.
2. 2006: Richard M. Griffith Memorial Junior Award in philosophy for the paper "Emotions as Umotions," awarded yearly by the Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology.
3. 2004: Michael R. Bennett Prize in Philosophy, Philosophy Department, University of Pittsburgh, for the paper "Did Dretske Learn the Right Lesson from Shannon's Theory of Information?"
4. 2004: Graduate Student Travel Stipend, American Philosophical Association, Central Division, for the paper "Blindfright and the Cognitivist's Dilemma".
5. 2002: Graduate Student Travel Award, Society for Philosophy and Psychology, for the paper "A Deeper Problem for Dretske's Theory of Informational Content".
6. 2001: Andrew Mellon Dissertation Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh.
7. 2000: Student Paper Award from the American Society for Bioethics and Humanities, for the paper "The Interplay Between Science and Values in the Allocation of Cadaveric Kidneys".
8. 1997: Andrea Mannu Prize, London School of Economics, for the Master Thesis "What is an Action? When is an Action Altruistic?"
9. 1994: Fondazione Lanza Prize, for the dissertation "Rational Fools: a Study on the Requirements of Rationality Beyond Internal Consistency" (in Italian).
10. 1994: Golden Medal "Amici della Bocconi" from Bocconi University given to all graduates "summa cum laude" for the academic year 1993-1994.

#### G. Grants

1. B&B Seed Grant, Georgia State University (July 2018) (\$26,387) for “Emotional Expressions as Speech Act Analogs: What Do Faces Tell Us?”, in collaboration with Ursula Hess and Shlomo Hareli.
2. John Templeton Foundation Grant, the *Philosophy and Science of Self-Control* (2016) (\$31,149) for “The Role of Emotions in Self-Control”
3. Humboldt Fellowship for Experienced Researchers, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, Germany (2015-2017) (\$26,000+\$26,000) for “The Motivation Theory of Emotions”
4. Scholarly Support Grant, Georgia State University (2015) (\$6,000) for “The Motivational Theory of Emotions”
5. Provost’s Faculty Fellowship, Georgia State University (March 2012) (\$25,000) for “How To Do Things With Emotions”
6. One-month residency at the University of Michigan in the context of the Templeton Foundation \$1.2M “Science of Ethics” grant awarded to Dan Jacobson, University of Michigan.
7. Seminar on Metaphysical Issues in the Philosophy of Mind Grant (\$4,000), Directed by John Hail, National Endowment for the Humanities, Washington University in Saint Louis, Saint Louis, 8 June - 17 July 2009.
8. Summer Institute in Cognitive Neuroscience Grant (\$2,500 plus living expenses), Directed by Michael S. Gazzaniga, University of California, Santa Barbara, June 25 - July 6, 2007.
9. Research Initiation Grant (\$10,000) to initiate research on “Conceptual Analysis in Philosophy: a New Foundation”, GSU, 2009.
10. Conference Support Grant (\$3,000) to support the organization of the International Society for Research on Emotions annual meeting, GSU, 2006.

## TEACHING

### A. Courses taught, Georgia State University

1. Brain, Self and Society (PERS 2002): Fall 2016 (co-taught with Eddy Nahmias), Fall 2018.
2. Introduction to Philosophy (Phil 1010): Fall 2018, Spring 2018, Fall 2015, Spring 2014, Spring 2013, Fall 2013, Spring 2012, Fall 2011, Spring 2010, Fall 2009, Spring 2009, Fall 2008, Spring 2008, Fall 2007, Spring 2007, Fall 2006, Spring 2006, Fall 2005.
3. Philosophy of Science (Phil 4130/6130): Fall 2015, Fall 2013, Fall 2009, Fall 2008.
4. Metaphysics (Phil 4300/6300): Spring 2014, Spring 2009, Spring 2008.
5. Seminar in Philosophy of Science (on emotions and self-control): Fall 2016
6. Seminar in Philosophy of Science (on emotions and the origins of language): Fall 2014
7. Seminar in Metaphysics (on emotions and actions): Spring 2013
8. Seminar in Philosophy of Mind (on emotions and communication): Fall 2010.
9. Seminar in Philosophy of Mind (on contemporary challenges in emotion theory): Spring 2018.
10. Seminar in Philosophy of Mind (on emotions and intentionality) (Phil 8330): Fall 2007.
11. Symbolic Logic (Phil 4520/6520): Fall 2006, Fall 2005.
12. Seminar in Philosophy of Language (on Concepts and Conceptual Analysis) (Phil 8530): Spring 2006.

### B. Direction of student work, Georgia State University



1. MA Co-Director: Mara McGuire, “Reining in the *passions*: the limited role of emotions in understanding self-control” (in progress).
2. MA Director: Asa Collier, “Why Neander’s Theory Gets Information Wrong” (in progress).
3. MA Co-Director: Razia Sahi, “A New Measure of Emotional Intelligence” (defended Summer 2017, admitted to UCLA, PhD Program in Psychology, full funding).
4. MA Director: Jumana Morciglio, “Understanding Self-Control” (defended Summer 2016, admitted to University of Osnabrueck, PhD Program in Cognitive Science, full funding).
5. MA Director: Nathan Dahlberg, “What Makes Disputes in Metaphysics Purely Terminological?” (defended Fall 2016, left academia).
6. MA Director: Michael De Vivo, “How Representations Emerge From Natural Information”, in progress (defended Spring 2016, taking a year off).
7. MA Director: Crawford Crews, “Feeling, Fast and Slow: A Critical Analysis of Greene’s Dual-Process Models of Moral Judgment” (left program without finishing in 2015).
8. MA Director: Michael Nielsen, “The Rationality of Credences about Uncertain Credences”, (defended summer 2014, admitted to Columbia University, PhD Program in Philosophy, full funding)
9. MA Director: Cameron Hamilton, “Can MIT’s Kismet Have Emotions?” (defended summer 2014, admitted to University of Georgia, MA Program in Computer Science, full funding)
10. MA Co-Director: Archie Fields, “Computer Simulations: Tools for Measurement or Prediction?” (defended summer 2014, admitted to University of Indiana, PhD Program in Philosophy and Cognitive Science, full funding)
11. MA Director: Benjamin Stanford, “How the Cognitive Penetrability of Emotions Undermines Rational Sentimentalism” (defended summer 2013, got a corporate job)
12. MA Director: Vince Abruzzo, “How To Solve McKinsey’s Paradox in Epistemology” (defended summer 2012, admitted to University of Massachusetts Amherst, PhD Program in Philosophy, full funding)
13. MA Director: Billy Brady, “Explicating the Concept of Emotional Valence” (defended summer 2012, admitted to New York University, PhD Program in Psychology, full funding)
14. MA Director: Alex Economides, “How Does Instrumental Music Produce Emotions?” (defended summer 2012, went to law school)
15. MA Director: Anais Stenson, “Testing Prinz’s AIR Theory” (defended summer 2012, admitted to Emory University, PhD Program in Psychology, full funding)
16. MA Director: Reuben Stern, “Can the Contextualist Win the Free Will Debate?” (defended summer 2011, admitted to University of Wisconsin Madison, Ph.D. program in Philosophy, full funding)
17. MA Director: Steve Beighley, “Animal Communication: Information Transfer or Manipulation?” (defended summer 2011, admitted to University of Delaware, Ph.D. program in Psychology, full funding)
18. MA Director: Rush Stewart, “Can Bayesianism and Inference to the Best Explanation Be Friends?” (defended summer 2010, admitted to Columbia University, Ph.D. program in Philosophy, full funding)
19. MA Director: Dan Burnston, “Teleosemantics, Externalism, and the Content of Theoretical Concepts” (defended summer 2009, admitted to University of California-San Diego, Ph.D. program in Philosophy, full funding)

20. MA Director: Ben Sheredos, "Motivating Emotional Content" (defended summer 2009, admitted to University of California-San Diego, Ph.D. program in Philosophy, full funding)
21. MA Director: Lucas Keefer, "Defending Noe's Enactive Theory of Perception" (defended summer 2009, admitted to University of Kansas, Ph.D. program in Psychology, full funding)
22. MA Co-Director: Jimmy Vaught, "Kim's Pairing Problem and the Viability of Substance Dualism" (defended summer 2008, admitted to St. Louis University, Ph.D. program in philosophy, full funding)
23. MA Director: Brandie Martinez-Bedard, "Is Core Affect a Natural Kind?" (defended summer 2008, did not apply to any Ph.D. program)
24. MA Co-Director: Bryan Miller, "Under Pressure from the Empirical Data: Does Externalism Rest on a Mistaken Psychological Theory?" (defended summer 2007, admitted to Johns Hopkins, Ph.D. program in Philosophy, full funding)
25. MA Co-Director: Trevor Kvaran, "Dual-Process Theories and the Rationality Debate: Contributions from Cognitive Neuroscience" (defended summer 2007, admitted to the University of Arizona, Ph.D. program in Psychology, full funding)
26. MA Committee: Soo Young Byun (defended summer 2006), Jessica Owensby-Sandifer (defended fall 2006), Bradley Thomas (defended summer 2008), Andy Reagan (defended summer 2009), Matt Duncan (defended fall 2009), Ryan DeChant (defended Fall 2010), Tyson Bittrich (defended fall 2012), Shane Reuter (defended summer 2012), Noel Martin (defended summer 2012), Shannon Nolen (defended summer 2012), Eric Murphy (defended summer 2012), Brad Summers (in progress), Sam Sims (defended summer 2012), Morgan Thompson (defended summer 2012), Nick Robertson (defended summer 2012), Andrei Marasiou (defended summer 2012), Thi Ngoc Huong Tran (defended summer 2012), Sam Richards (defended summer 2012), Rob Boudreau (defended summer 2015), Dan Bergeron (defended summer 2015).
27. Honors Thesis Director: John Yurchesyn, Yenipher Delarosa (defended summer 2011)
28. Directed Readings: Experimental Philosophy and the Philosophy of Information (Summer 2008), Emotions and Natural Kinds (Summer 2007)

C. Courses taught, University of Pittsburgh:

1. Morality and Medicine (undergraduate): Fall 2002, Fall 2004
2. Magic, Medicine, and Science (undergraduate): Spring 2003, Spring 2004, Summer 2004
3. Principles of Scientific Reasoning: Fall 2001, Fall 2003
4. Problem Solving: How Science Works: Summer 2000
5. Mind and Medicine: Spring 2000, Spring 2005

**SERVICE**

A. To Philosophy Department, Georgia State University

1. Neurophilosophy Forum co-organizer, GSU (2005-present)
2. Department Colloquium Organizer, GSU (2005-2006)
3. Search Committee for Junior Position in Metaphysics/Epistemology, GSU (2005-2006)
4. Search Committee for Open Senior Position, GSU (2006-2008)
5. Undergraduate Committee (2007-present)

6. Assessment Committee (2007-2013)
7. Search Committee for Lecturer, GSU (2008)
8. Chair, Search Committee for Junior Position in Philosophy of Mind, GSU (2008-2009)
9. Executive Committee, GSU (2009-2012)
10. Language and Culture Cluster 2CI Proposal, Team Member (2009-2010)
11. Search Committee for Junior Position in Kant (2009-2010)
12. Search Committee for Junior Position in empirically-based philosophy of mind (2010-2011)
13. Chair, Departmental P&T Committee (2012-2013 Weiskopf; 2016-2017 van Leeuwen)
14. Search Committee for Open Position in ethics (2017-present)
15. Neurophilosophy Sub-Committee for admissions (2007-present, chaired every 2-3 years)

B. To College of Arts & Sciences, Georgia State University

1. Neuroscience Institute Interdisciplinary Committee (IDC), elected member and appointed chair, GSU (2009-2017; chair 2010-2017).
2. Neuroscience Institute Executive Committee, ex officio (2010-2017).
3. Executive Committee of Arts and Sciences (Spring 2012-2014).
4. Neuroethics concentration in Neuroscience Institute PhD, proposal approved by BOR on Jan 4, 2012.
5. Neuroscience Institute, Seed Day planning committee, GSU (2009).
6. Neuroscience Institute Seed Grant Committee, GSU (2009-present).
7. Brains & Behavior Scientific Committee, GSU (2005-2006).
8. Brains & Behavior Retreat Planning Committee, GSU (2006, 2008).

C. To Philosophical and Scientific Community

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