**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**CURRENT POSITIONS**

Lecturer, Philosophy Department, School of Humanities, University of Adelaide. Period of appointment: 1992-2010

Philosophy Postgraduate Co-ordinator (from 2010)

Professional Associate: Ethics Centre of South Australia

**PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS &/or ROLES**

Philosophy Honours Co-ordinator, University of Adelaide, (1997-2009)

Visiting scholar, Philosophy Department, Emerson Hall, Harvard University, Cambridge, Ma, USA (2006)

Associate Dean (OHS) Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences, University of Adelaide, 2003-2005

Lecturer (Fixed term): Philosophy Department, Wollongong University, NSW. 1991-92

Visiting Lecturer (Fixed term): Philosophy Department, Davidson Hall, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, USA. 1990-91

Lecturer & tutor (Fixed term): Philosophy Department, The University of Sydney, Sydney, NSW.

Ph.D: Awarded 1988. University of Sydney, Sydney, NSW. Title: Propositional attitudes and Cognitive Science. (Markers Jerry A. Fodor and William G. Lycan)

**Additional studies**

1993-1998 (Barristers and Solicitors Submission Board) Subjects passed for Diploma in Law through University of Sydney Law Extension Committee: Legal Institutions, Contract, Torts, Criminal Law.

**Areas of teaching expertise:**

* Philosophy of Immanuel Kant (emphasis on practical philosophy)
* Philosophy of language (analytical)
* Philosophy of criminal law
* Professional and applied ethics: Legal ethics, Medical Ethics, Research Ethics.
* Bioethics
* Philosophy and aesthetics of film

**Areas of competence:**

* Philosophy of mind and cognitive science
* Philosophy of religion
* Philosophy of art
* Ethics, Science, & Society

**Current research interests:**

1. Interpretation of Kant’s moral philosophy and doctrine of right; respect-worthiness of humanity approached in the context of the theory of ideas of practical reason
2. Kant’s analysis of aesthetic experience applied to film theory and the issues of cinematic realism and anti-realism considered in relation to moral experience

**Published journal articles**

Meaning and mental representation. (1992) *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, **70** 3 343-357

P-consciousness presentation; A-consciousness representation. (1997) *Behavioural and Brain Sciences* (Open peer commentary on Ned Block’s “On a confusion about a function of consciousness”) **20** 1 149-50

Defending semantic realism. (2002) *Language and Communication* **22** 3 243-258

Manifestability and semantic realism (2003) *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly* **84** 1 1-24

Potentialism and the value of an embryo (2005) *Public Affairs Quarterly* **19** 4 265-299

**Published Reviews**

1. The representational theory of mind. Kim Sterelny. (1993) *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* 71 4 525-7.
2. Philosophical determinism: On the origin of knowledge by natural selection. Peter Munz. (1995) *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* 73 3 498-9.
3. Representation, meaning and thought. Grant Gillett. (1995) *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* 73 3 483-4.
4. Kantian ethics almost without apology. Marcia Baron.(1997) *Australasian Journal of Philosophy* 75 4 439-41

**Works in progress:**

1. Respect-worthy humanity in Kant’s moral theory
2. Kantian virtue and abortion
3. A Kantian reply to six “Kantian” abortion arguments
4. Kant’s aesthetics and critique of cinematic realism

**Postgraduate supervision**

Matthew Tieu: Secondary supervisor 2008-2012; MA awarded 2013

Currently secondary supervisor for: Alexander Greville (PHD), Karen Bland (PHD), Aisha Mahmood (PHD)

**Refereeing for journals/Editorial board membership**

Refereed articles for:

* *Journal of Medicine and Philosophy*
* *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*
* *Synthese*

Editorial board member, *Public Affairs Quarterly* (2006-2010)