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AOS AOC	Philosophy of Language, Philosophy of Mind, Philosophical Logic Epistemology, Metaphysics, Metaethics	
EMPLOYMENT	Jul 2019—present	University of Maryland, College Park Associate Professor (with tenure)
	Nov 2017—June 2019	University of California, San Diego Associate Professor (with tenure)
	Sept 2012—Oct 2017	University of Leeds, UK Lecturer
	Sept 2011—Aug 2012 & July—Sept 2013	School of Philosophy, Australian National University Postdoctoral Fellow
EDUCATION	Sept 2005—Aug 2011	Massachusetts Institute of Technology PhD in Philosophy, with a minor in Linguistics
	1999—2005	Università di Bologna Laurea (M.A.) (<i>cum laude</i>)
GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS	2013—2017	Marie Curie Career Integration Grant: <i>The Probabilistic Construal of Modality</i> <i>Principal Investigator</i> . EU funding yearly workshops and conference travel. Value: 100,000 euros.
	2005—2010	MIT Kenan Sahin Presidential Fellowship
	Summer 2005	DAAD scholarship for the study of German (covering tuition and living expenses for a German course in Berlin)
	1999—2005	Collegio Superiore scholarship from the University of Bologna (covering tuition, lodging, and a yearly allowance of 2,650 euros)

PUBLICATIONS

REFEREED JOURNALS:

- “Probabilities for Epistemic Modalities” (with Simon Goldstein), forthcoming in *Philosophers’ Imprint*.
- “Path Semantics for Indicative Conditionals”, forthcoming in *Mind*.
- “Trivializing Informational Consequence”, *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research* (online preprint), <https://doi.org/10.1111/phpr.12745>.
- “Choice and prohibition in non-monotonic contexts” (with Nicole Gotzner and Jacopo Romoli), *Natural Language Semantics* 28, 2020, pp. 141–174.
- “Filtering Free Choice” (with Jacopo Romoli), *Semantics & Pragmatics* 12(12), 2019.
- “Interventions in Premise Semantics”, *Philosophers’ Imprint* 19(1), 2019, pp. 1-27.
- “Alternatives and Truthmakers in Conditional Semantics”, *Journal of Philosophy* 115(10), 2018, pp. 513-549.
- “Will Done Better: Selection Semantics, Future Credence, and Indeterminacy” (with Fabrizio Cariani), *Mind* 127(505), January 2018, pp. 129-165.
- “Probability and Implicatures” (with Jacopo Romoli), *Semantics & Pragmatics* 10(13), 2017.
- “Communication for Expressivists” (with Alejandro Pérez Carballo), *Ethics* 126(3), April 2016, pp. 607-635.
- “Nonfactual Know-How and the Boundaries of Semantics”, *Philosophical Review* 125(1), January 2016, pp. 35-82.
- “Descriptions as Variables”, *Philosophical Studies* 164(1), March 2013, pp. 41-59.
- “Reference and Monstrosity”, *Philosophical Review* 121(3), July 2012, pp. 359-406.

PAPERS IN EDITED VOLUMES:

- “Context-free Semantics”, forthcoming in *Oxford Studies in Philosophy of Language*, 2018

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS:

- “Counterfactuals and undefinedness: homogeneity vs. supervaluations” (with Paul Mary and Jacopo Romoli) in J. Rhyne, K. Lamp, N. Dreier, and C. Kwon (eds.), *Proceedings of Semantics and Linguistic Theory* 30, 2021
- “Simplification is not Scalar Strengthening”, in J. Rhyne, K. Lamp, N. Dreier, and C. Kwon (eds.), *Proceedings of Semantics and Linguistic Theory* 30, 2021
- “Fixing de Morgan’s law in counterfactual antecedents” (with Jacopo Romoli and Eva Wittenberg), in J. J. Schlöder, D. McHugh, and F. Roelofsen, *Proceedings of the 22nd Amsterdam Colloquium*, 2019.
- “More Free Choice and More Inclusion: An Experimental Investigation of Free Choice in Nonmonotonic Environments” (with Nicole Gotzner and Jacopo Romoli), in *Proceedings of Semantics and Linguistic Theory* 28.
- “Conditional Excluded Middle in Informational Semantics”, in A. Cremers, T. van Gessel, and F. Roelofsen, *Proceedings of the 21st Amsterdam Colloquium*, 2017.
- “Selection function semantics for will” (with Fabrizio Cariani), in T. Brochhagen, F. Roelofsen and N. Theiler, *Proceedings of the 20th Amsterdam Colloquium*, 2015.
- “Filtering Semantics for Counterfactuals: Bridging Causal Models and Premise Semantics”, in T. Snider, S. D’Antonio and M. Weigand (eds.), *Proceedings of Semantics and Linguistic Theory* 24, 2015
- “Modals are Monsters: On Indexical Shift in English”, in D. Lutz and N. Li (eds.), *Proceedings of Semantics and Linguistic Theory* 20, 2011.

TALKS

- “Generalized Triviality for Counterfactuals”
Pacific APA (online), April 2021 (scheduled)
- Comments on Richard Booth’s “Supposition, Presupposition, and Trivalent Conditionals”
Central APA (online), February 26th, 2021
- “Nonboolean Conditionals” (with Alexis Wellwood)
Conditionals Workshop, 43rd Annual Conference of the German Linguistic Society (online), February 24th, 2021

- “Probabilities of Counterfactuals are Counterfactual Probabilities”
University of Wisconsin, Madison, philosophy department colloquium, February 2021
- “Simplification is not Scalar Strengthening”
Semantics and Linguistic Theory 30, Cornell, focus workshop, August 2020
- “Counterfactuals and undefinedness: homogeneity vs. supervaluations”
Semantics and Linguistic Theory 30, Cornell, poster session, August 2020
- “Trivializing Informational Consequence”
Formal Epistemology Workshop 2020, May 2020
- “Probabilities for Epistemic Modalities” (with Simon Goldstein)
Melbourne Logic Group (online), April 17th 2020
- “Triviality and Indeterminacy”
Taiwan Metaphysics Conference, National Taiwan University, January 2020
- “Counterfactuals and Indeterminacy”
Indeterminacy Conference, Università Ca’ Foscari, Venice, Italy, December 2019
- “Counterfactuals and Possibilities”
Philosophy seminar, University of Turin, December 2019
PhLiP Conference, Tarrytown NY, November 2019
- “Fixing DeMorgan’s Laws in Counterfactual Antecedents”
Amsterdam Colloquium, December 2019
50th Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society (NELS 50)
PhLing workshop, Northwestern University, June 2019
Semantics at the beach workshop, San Clemente CA, April 2019
- “Counterfactuals in Possibility Semantics”
Conditionals Workshop, University of Connecticut, Storrs, April 2019
Logic Seminar, University of Melbourne, September 2018
Workshop on causal modeling, ANU, August 2018
World Congress of Philosophy, Beijing, August 2018
- “Triviality for Indeterminate Languages” (with J. Robert G. Williams)
ANU Philosophy Seminar, August 2018
- “More Free Choice and More Inclusion” (with Nicole Gotzner and Jacopo Romoli)
Semantics and Linguistic Theory 28 (poster session), MIT, May 2018
- “Conditional Excluded Middle in Expressivist Semantics”
NYU Mind and Language seminar, April 2018
Pacific APA Symposium, San Diego CA, March 2018
Philosophy of Language and Linguistics Conference, Dubrovnik, September 2017
Institut Jean Nicod, Paris, October 2017
- “Confidence Reports” (with Fabrizio Cariani and Alexis Wellwood)
PhLiP Conference, Tarrytown NY, October 2017
- “Conditional Information”
InqBnB workshop, University of Amsterdam, June 2017
MITing of the Minds conference, MIT, February 2017

“Credence for Epistemic Discourse”

Central APA Symposium, Chicago, February 2018
Conditionals Conference, University of Konstanz, November 2016
University of Birmingham, philosophy colloquium, October 2016
University of Connecticut, logic seminar, September 2016

“Comments on Una Stojnic”

Normativity in Language Conference, University of Toronto, October 2016

“Comments on Giorgio Magri”

Workshop on Exhaustivity, MIT, September 2016

“Ground for Expressivists”

University of Hong Kong, Expressivism conference, June 2016

“Cognitive Truthmakers”

University of Texas, Austin, departmental colloquium, Spring 2016
(Hans Kamp Seminar in Language and Logic speaker)

“Truthmakers and Alternatives in Conditional Semantics”

NYU Semantics seminar, September 2016
Society for Exact Philosophy, Miami, May 2016
Pacific APA Symposium, San Francisco CA, April 2016
University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, Linguistics colloquium, October 2015
Philosophy of Language and Linguistics Conference, Dubrovnik, September 2014
University of Edinburgh Philosophy Seminar, November 2014

“*Will Done Better*” (with Fabrizio Cariani)

Central APA Symposium, Chicago IL, March 2016
Amsterdam Colloquium, December 2015

“On the Context Sensitivity of Conditionals”

Conference on Context Dependence, Salzburg, July 2015

“Probabilistic *Might* and the Free Choice Effect” (with Jacopo Romoli)

Pacific APA Symposium, April 2015

“Counterfactuals and Contradiction”

Institute of Philosophy, London, October 2014
University of East Anglia, March 2014
Yale University, October 2013

“Interventions in Premise Semantics”

Central APA invited Symposium, February 2015
Logic, Grammar, and Meaning Conference, University of East Anglia, June 2014
Semantics and Linguistic Theory 24 (poster session), NYU, May 2014
PhLiP Conference, Tarrytown NY, October 2013
ANU Philosophy Seminar, September 2013
University of Sydney Philosophy Seminar, September 2013

“Exhaustified Counterfactuals”

Symposium at the Pacific APA, San Diego, April 2014
Zentrum für Allgemeine Sprachwissenschaft (ZAS), Berlin, May 2013
AAP Conference, University of Queensland, July 2013

“On the Plurality of Indices”

Zentrum für Allgemeine Sprachwissenschaft (ZAS), Berlin, May 2013
Semantic content workshop, Oxford University, February 2013
Sinn und Bedeutung 17 (poster session), Paris, September 2012
Semantics and Linguistic Theory 22 (poster session), Chicago, May 2012

“Descriptions as Variables”

Bellingham Summer Philosophy Conference, Bellingham WA, August 2012
AAP Conference, University of Wollongong, July 2012

“Expressivist Communication and Relative Truth”

University of Sydney Philosophy Seminar, March 2012

“Know-How as a Directive Attitude”

University of Nottingham Philosophy Seminar, March 2013
Ordinary Language, Linguistics, and Philosophy Conference, St Andrews, June 2011

“Reference and Monstrosity”

PhLing Workshop, Northwestern University, October 2010
Bellingham Summer Philosophy Conference, Bellingham WA, August 2010
Arché Semantics Group, University of St Andrews, May 2010
AAP Conference, Melbourne, July 2009

“Modals are Monsters: On Indexical Shift in English”

Semantics and Linguistic Theory 20, Vancouver, April 2010
Semantics and Philosophy in Europe, London, April 2009

SERVICE

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:

June 2017	Organizer of Conditionals and Probability workshop, Leeds
November 2014	Organizer of Nonstandard Modals workshop, Leeds
March 2014	Organizer of Philosophy of Language in the UK workshop, Leeds
2011–present	Referee for <i>Journal of Semantics</i> *, <i>Semantics and Pragmatics</i> *, <i>Journal of Philosophical Logic</i> *, <i>Review of Symbolic Logic</i> , <i>Philosophy and Phenomenological Research</i> , <i>Erkenntnis</i> *, <i>Mind</i> *, <i>Dialectica</i> , <i>Australasian Journal of Philosophy</i> *, <i>Philosopher's Imprint</i> *, <i>Philosophical Perspectives</i> , <i>Philosophical Studies</i> *, <i>European Journal of Analytical Philosophy</i> , <i>Noûs</i> * <i>Philosophical Review</i> *, <i>Natural Language Semantics</i> *multiple times
2009	Guest editor (with Alejandro Pérez Carballo) of a special issue of <i>Philosophical Studies</i> on Robert Stalnaker's 'Assertion'

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE:

2018–2019	Philosophy of Science search committee member, University of California, San Diego
2014–2015	Undergraduate Curriculum Review Committee, University of Leeds
2013–2014	Faculty meeting convener, School of Philosophy, University of Leeds
2013–2014	Philosophy Senior Seminar organizer, University of Leeds

TEACHING**UNDERGRADUATE:**

Spring 21	Conditionals and Conditional Reasoning (upper division), University of Maryland, College Park
Spring 20	Causation, Chance, and Laws (upper division), University of Maryland, College Park
Spring 20, Fall 20	Introduction to Logic (lower division), University of Maryland, College Park
Spring 19	Philosophy of Mathematics (upper division), University of California, San Diego
Winter 19	Introduction to Logic (lower division), University of California, San Diego
Winter 18, 19	Metaphysics (upper division), University of California, San Diego
Spring 17	Introduction to Metaphysics, University of Leeds
Spring 15	Advanced Topics in Philosophy of Logic and Mathematics, University of Leeds
Spring 13, 17	Topics in Epistemology: Theory and Evidence, University of Leeds
Spring 13, 14, 15, 17	Introduction to Philosophy of Language, University of Leeds
Fall 12, 14, 16	Advanced Topics in Philosophy of Language, University of Leeds
Fall 12, 14, 16	Formal Logic, University of Leeds

GRADUATE:

Fall 20	Metaphysics, Mind, and Language (M&E Proseminar), University of Maryland, College Park
Spring 20	Counterfactuals between Probability and Semantics, University of Maryland, College Park
Spring 19	Experimental Semantics (with Eva Wittenberg, Linguistics), University of California, San Diego
Spring 18	Counterfactuals between Orthodoxy and Heresy, University of California, San Diego
Fall 13	Modality in Natural Language, ANU

SUMMER SCHOOLS:

Summer 19	Probabilities of Counterfactuals (with Fabrizio Cariani) European Summer School in Language, Logic, and Information 2019, Riga, Latvia
Summer 18	Probabilities of Conditionals (with Justin Khoo) North American Summer School in Language, Logic, and Information 2018, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh
Summer 16	Degree Semantics and Modality (with Fabrizio Cariani and Alexis Wellwood) North American Summer School in Language, Logic, and Information 2016, Rutgers

ADVISING**PHD STUDENTS:**

2019-present	Yichi "Raven" Zhang, University of Maryland, College Park (co-chair)
2020	Aleks Knox, University of Maryland, College Park (committee member)
2019-2020	Kyley Ewing, University of Maryland, College Park (committee member)
2013-2017	Will Gamester, University of Leeds (co-supervisor, 20% time)
2013-2017	Nick Tasker, University of Leeds (co-supervisor, 20% time)

MA DISSERTATIONS:

2015	James Wood, "Correctness, Community, and the Rule-Following Considerations"
2013	Sam Coe, "Deliberative Background Shift: Kratzer Semantics, the Miners Puzzle and Acceptable Equivocation in Deliberation"

UNDERGRADUATE DISSERTATION:

2014	John Fernley, "Is There a Normative Relationship Between Logic and Rationality?"
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LANGUAGES English (fluent)
French (fluent)
German (intermediate)
Italian (native)
Latin (reading comprehension)

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