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 M.A. Brown University, 1975
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PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT:

Professor of Philosophy, Loyola University/Chicago, 1994- Present (Associate Professor, 1985-1994).

Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, 1977-1985.
 Visiting Lecturer, Department of Philosophy, UCLA, Spring and Summer Quarters, 1976.

PUBLICATIONS:

AUTHORED BOOKS:

The Status of Morality, (Reidel, Philosophical Studies Series in Philosophy, 1984, xxiii + 203 pages).

Value and the Good Life, (University of Notre Dame Press, 2000, ix + 328 pages).

Pages 222-239 and 304-305 are reprinted as "Rationality and Full Information," in Ethical Theory: An Anthology, Second edition, Russ Shafer-Landau, Wiley Blackwell. 2013, pp 277-285.

Lying and Deception: Theory and Practice, (Oxford: Oxford University Press 2010, xix + 280 pages) (Paperback Edition with corrections, 2012)

Lincoln's Ethics, (Cambridge University Press, 2015, xxvii + 427 pages).

ANTHOLOGIES:

Morality and the Good Life, (Anthology co-edited with Paul Moser), (Oxford University Press: 1997, vi + 528 pages).

Moral Relativism, (Anthology co-edited with Paul Moser), (Oxford University Press, 2001, ix + 337 pages).

PAPERS PUBLISHED IN JOURNALS:

1. "Strawson on Other Minds," The Undergraduate Journal of Philosophy, Volume IV, numbers 1 & 2, May 1972, pp. 59-67.

2. "Happiness and Contentment: A Reply to Benditt," The Personalist, Volume 59, Number 1, January 1978, pp. 101-107.
3. "Happiness and the Good Life," Southwestern Journal of Philosophy, Volume IX, Number 3, November 1978, pp. 73-88.
4. "Happiness and the Good Life: A Reply to Mele," Southwestern Journal of Philosophy, Volume X, Number 2, Summer 1979, pp. 189-192.
5. "The Ethics and Profitability of Bluffing in Business," with Richard Wokutch, Westminister Institute Review, Volume I, Number 2, May 1981, pp. 7-9.
6. "The Übermensch and Nietzsche's Theory of Value," International Studies in Philosophy, Volume XIII, Number 1, 1981, pp. 9-30.
7. "Happiness, Contentment, and the Good Life," Pacific Philosophical Quarterly, Volume 62, Number 4, October 1981, pp. 70-84.
8. "Bluffing in Labor Negotiations: Legal and Ethical Issues," with Richard Wokutch and Kent Murrmann, Journal of Business Ethics, Volume 1, Number 1, January 1982, pp. 13-22.
9. "Utilitarianism and the Wrongness of Killing," Erkenntnis, Volume 20, Number 1, June 1983, pp. 49-60.
10. "Strict Compliance and Rawls's Critique of Utilitarianism," Theoria, Volume 49, Number 3, 1983, pp. 142-158.
11. "Appalachian Multi-Phasic Übermensch Test" (with Deborah Mayo) in Newsletter on Teaching Philosophy, (American Philosophical Association) Volume 4, Number 4, Winter 1984, pp. 3-5.
12. "Bribery, Extortion, and 'The Foreign Corrupt Practices Act,'" Philosophy & Public Affairs, Volume 14, Number 1, January 1985, pp. 66-90.
13. "An Ethical Analysis of Deception in Advertising," (with Richard Wokutch and James Cox) Journal of Business Ethics, Volume 4, Number 2, 1985, pp. 93-104.
14. "Relativism and Nihilism," Philosophia, Volume 15, Numbers 1-2, September 1985, pp. 1-23.
15. "Hare's Defense of Utilitarianism," Philosophical Studies, Volume 50, Number 1, July 1986, pp. 97-115.
16. "Bribery and Implicit Agreements: A Reply to Philips," Journal of Business Ethics, Volume 6, Number 2, February 1987, pp. 123-125.
17. "Who are We to Judge?," Teaching Philosophy, Volume 11, Number 1, March 1988, pp. 3-14.
18. "On the Definition of Lying: A Reply to Jones and Revisions," Journal of Business Ethics, Volume 7, Number 7, July 1988, pp. 509-514.
19. "The Status of Morality, A Reply," Modern Schoolman, Volume LXV, March 1988, pp. 223-225.
20. "Perpetual Peace: What Kant Should Have Said," Social Theory and Practice, Volume 14,

Number 2 Summer 1988, pp. 173-214.

21. "Could Ideal Observers Disagree?," Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, Volume L, Number 1, September 1989, pp. 115-124.

22. "A Note on Hooker's Rule-Consequentialism," Mind Volume C, Number 1, January 1991, pp. 117-121.

23. "Comments on Brandt," Journal of Philosophical Research, Vol. XVI, 1991, pp. 365-368.

24. "Gibbard's Conceptual Scheme for Moral Philosophy," Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, Volume LII, Number 4, 1992, pp. 953-956.

25. "Does the Stakeholder Theory Constitute a New Kind of Theory of Social Responsibility?," Business Ethics Quarterly, Volume 3, Number 2, April 1993, pp. 171-176.

26. "Friedman's Theory of Corporate Social Responsibility," Business and Professional Ethics Journal, Volume XII, Number 1, 1993, pp. 3-32.

27. "Second Thoughts on Bluffing," Business Ethics Quarterly, Volume 3, Number 4, 1993, pp. 317-341.

28. "Hare on Utilitarianism and Intuitive Morality," Erkenntnis, Volume 39, Number 3, 1993, pp. 305-331.

29. "Corporate Moral Agency: A Case from Literature," Journal of Business Ethics, Volume 13, Number 2, 1994, pp. 155-156.

30. "Conflicts of Interest," Journal of Business Ethics, Volume 13, Number 5, 1994, pp. 387-404.

31. "Relativism and Normative Nonrealism: Basing Morality on Rationality," (with Paul Moser), Metaphilosophy Volume 27, No 3, 1996, pp. 277-295.

32. "Brandt on Utilitarianism and the Foundations of Ethics," (Review Article), Business Ethics Quarterly, Volume 7, Number 1, 1997, pp. 87-100.

33. "Ethical Issues in Sales: Two Case Studies," Journal of Business Ethics Volume 17, 1998, pp. 725-728.

34. "An Approach to Relativism," Teaching Philosophy, Volume 22, Number 2, 1999, pp. 161-184.

35. "Deception and Withholding Information in Sales," Business Ethics Quarterly, Volume 11, 2001, pp. 275-306.

36. "Gert on Rationality, Intrinsic Value, and the Overridingness of Morality," Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, Volume 62, 2001, pp. 441-446.

37. "Self-Interest and Business Ethics: Some Lessons of the Recent Scandals," Journal of Business Ethics, Volume 43, 2003, pp 389-394.

38. "Conflicts of Interest and Self-Dealing in the Professions: A Review Essay," Business Ethics Quarterly, Volume 14, 2004, pp. 161-182.

39. "The Morality of Bluffing: A Reply to Allhoff," Journal of Business Ethics, Volume 56, 2005, pp. 399-403.
40. "Business Ethics: Some Central Issues, Dialogue, U.K. Issue 24. April 2005, pp. 34-37.
41. "Ross and Utilitarianism on Promise Keeping and Lying: Self-Evidence and the Data of Ethics," Philosophical Issues (Annual Supplement to the journal Nous), Volume 15, 2005, pp. 140-157.
42. "The Definition of Lying," Nous, Volume 40, April 2006, pp. 284-306.
43. "Axiology, Realism, and the Problem of Evil" Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, Volume LXXV, September 2007, pp. 349-368.
44. "Whistle-Blowing for Profit: An Ethical Analysis of the Federal False Claims Act," (With Richard Wokutch and Mary Ellen Verdu), Journal of Business Ethics 77 (2008): 361-376.
45. "Liar Liar," International Journal of Applied Philosophy 22 (2008): 189-210.
46. "Suggestions for Teaching a Course on Lincoln's Ethics," Teaching Philosophy 33 (2010): 235-252.
47. "Divine Will/Divine Command Moral Theories and the Problem of Arbitrariness," Religious Studies 48 (2012): 445-468.
48. "Free Exchange for Mutual Benefit: Sweatshops and Maitland's 'Classical Liberal Standard,'" Journal of Business Ethics 112 (2013): 127-135.
49. "Lincoln the Man and the Myth: A Question of Character," Bulletin of the Lincoln Fellowship of Wisconsin, April 2014, Historical Bulletin Number 68.
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51. "My Correspondence with Milton Friedman about the Social Responsibilities of Business," Business and Society Review 123 (2018): 217-242.

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1. "Utilitarianism and World Poverty," in The Limits of Utilitarianism, Harlan Miller and William Williams, eds., (University of Minnesota Press, 1981), pp. 242-252.
2. "The Moral Status of Bluffing and Deception in Business," with Richard Wokutch in Profits and Professions, Ellin, Pritchard and Robison, eds., (Humana, 1983), pp. 141-155.
3. "Bribery," in The Encyclopedia of Ethics, Lawrence Becker, editor, (Garland Press, 1992), pp. 98-100. Reprinted in Second Edition, 2001, pp. 158-160.
4. "The Desire-Satisfaction Theory of Welfare: Overvold's Critique and Reformulation," in Rationality, Morality, and Self-Interest, John Heil editor, (Rowman & Littlefield, 1993), pp. 231-244.

5. "Bluffing and Deception," in The Dictionary of Business Ethics, R. Edward Freeman and Patricia Werhane, eds. (Oxford: Blackwell, 1997), pp. 41-43.
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7. "Ethical Issues in Selling and Advertising," Companion to Business Ethics, Norman Bowie, editor, (Boston: Blackwell's, 2002), pp. 186-205.
8. "Metaethics," Encyclopedia of Philosophy, second edition, Donald Borchert, ed., (Detroit: Macmillan Reference USA Thomson Gale, 2006), Volume 6, pp. 155-165.
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10. "Lying, Deception, and Related Concepts," in The Philosophy of Deception, Clancy Martin, ed. (Oxford University Press, 2009), 153-187.
11. "Deception in Business and Professional Ethics," Oxford Handbook of Business Ethics, Tom Beauchamp and George Brenkert, eds. (Oxford University Press, 2010), 335-365.
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14. "Roderick Firth," Wiley-Blackwell's International Encyclopedia of Ethics, Hugh LaFollette ed. 2013, 1988-1993.
15. "Engaño y revelación de información en la publicidad y la ética empresarial," in FORO DE ÉTICA APLICADA ÉTICA Y PUBLICIDAD, José Piedra Valdez, S. J. (editor), Lima : Universidad del Pacífico, 2015 pp. 11-42.
16. "The Range of Reasonable Views About the Morality of Lying," in Lying: Language, Knowledge, Ethics, and Politics, Andreas Stokke and Eliot Michaelson, eds., Oxford University Press, 2018, 145-159.
17. "Lying and Ethics," forthcoming in The Oxford Handbook of Lying, Jörg Meibauer, editor, Oxford University Press.
18. "Lying and History," forthcoming in The Oxford Handbook of Lying, Jörg Meibauer, editor, Oxford University Press.

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"Conscientious Objection and Safety," (a case study in Business Ethics) in Management Decisions and Organizational Policy, Olm, Brewerton, Whisnant and Bridges, eds., (Allyn and Bacon Co., 1981), p. 468.

"Rationality and 'Why Care?' Questions," (with Paul Moser), Proceedings and Addresses of the

American Philosophical Association, Volume 66 no. 2, 1992, pp. 75-77 (long abstract).

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1. Rex Martin, Rawls and Rights, in Canadian Philosophical Reviews, Volume VI., Number 4, April 1986, pp. 167-169.
2. Keekok Lee, A New Foundation for Moral Philosophy, in Ethics, Volume 97, Number 2, January 1987, pp. 493-494.
3. Douglas Walton, Courage: A Philosophical Analysis, in The Modern Schoolman, Volume LXV, January 1988, pp. 148-150.
4. Fred Feldman, Doing the Best We Can, in Ethics, Volume 98, Number 1, October 1987, pp. 177-178.
5. Bernard Mayo, The Philosophy of Right and Wrong, in The Philosophical Review, Volume XCVII, Number 1, January 1989, pp. 135-137.
6. David Gauthier, Morals by Agreement, in International Studies in Philosophy, 1990, Number 1, pp. 106-108.
7. Alan Rosenberg and Gerald Myers eds., Echoes from the Holocaust, in Ethics, Volume 100, Number 1, January 1990, pp. 465-466.
8. Lynne McFall, Happiness, in Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, Volume LI, Number 4, December 1991, pp. 938-942.
9. Nicholas Rescher, Human Interests, in Ethics Volume 100, Number 1, October 1991, pp. 166-167.
10. John Kekes, Moral Tradition and Individuality, in Ethics, Volume 103, Number 4, July 1993, pp. 812-815.
11. Thomas Hurka, Perfectionism, in Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, Volume LV., Number 3, September 1995, pp. 719-723.
12. George Fletcher, Loyalty, in Ethics, Volume 105, Number 1, October 1995, pp. 213-214.
13. Jukka Kilpi, The Ethics of Bankruptcy, in The Journal of Value Inquiry, Volume 34, 2000, pp. 565-570.
14. Becker, Lawrence, The New Stoicism, Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, Volume 64, (2002), pp. 738-740.
15. Robin Gill, editor, The Cambridge Companion to Christian Ethics, in Faith and Philosophy, Volume 20 2003, pp. 114-118.
16. Brian Leiter, Ethics: A Routledge Philosophy Guidebook to Nietzsche on Morality, in Ethics, Volume 114, 2004, pp. 358-361.
17. Philip Stratton-Lake, Ethical Intuitionism: Reevaluations, in Ethics, Volume 115, 2004, pp. 175-177.

18. Henry West, An Introduction to Mill's Utilitarian Ethics, in International Philosophical Quarterly, Volume 45 2005, pp. 146-147.
19. Linda Zagzebski, Divine Motivation Theory, in Mind **116** (2007): 254-257.
20. Stuart Green, Lying, Cheating, and Stealing, in Business Ethics Quarterly, **17** 2007, p. 365.
21. Paul Griffiths, Lying for Faith and Philosophy **25** (2008), pp. 332-335.
22. Robert Adams, A Theory of Virtue: Excellence in Being for the Good, Faith and Philosophy, **17** (2012): 347-352.
23. Review of Martin Jay, The Virtues of Mendacity: On Lying in Politics, Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews, July 2012.
24. Review of George Kateb, Lincoln's Political Thought, in Ethics **126** (2016): 1110-1114.
25. Review of Jan-Willem Van Prooijen and Paul A. M. Van Lange, editors. Cheating, Corruption, and Concealment: The Roots of Dishonesty, in Journal of Business Ethics **149** (2018): 259-261.

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"Who Could Forget . . . When Providence Won the World Series," Yankee Magazine, October 1984, pp. 12-13.

"Baseball's First World Champions: The Providence Grays," The Minneapolis Review of Baseball, Volume 5, Number 3, 1985, pp. 13-17. Also reprinted in Basepaths: The Best of the Minneapolis Review of Baseball, (Minneapolis: William Brown, 1991), pp. 161-166.

HONORS AND AWARDS (Partial List):

E. O. Ringstad Philosophy Essay Prize (1969, 1970, 1971), Saint Olaf College

Phi Beta Kappa (1972), Saint Olaf College

Fellowship for College Teachers: National Endowment for the Humanities (July 1980 - July 1981)

Nominated for NEH Summer Stipend, Loyola University Chicago (1987)

Warren Lloyd Holtzman Award for Research in Business Ethics (\$1200) (Shared with Richard Wokutch and Mary Ellen Verdu for our paper "Whistle-Blowing for Profit: An Ethical Analysis of the Federal False Claims Act," Journal of Business Ethics **77** (2008).

Vision Keeper Award (2009) from Interfaith Action of Evanston, Illinois for my work in a local soup kitchen.

MEMBERSHIP ON EDITORIAL BOARDS OF JOURNALS/PROFESSIONAL

ASSOCIATIONS:

American Philosophical Quarterly (1995-98)
Journal of Happiness Studies (1999- 2008)
Business Ethics Quarterly (2003-2008)
Public Affairs Quarterly (2010-2012)
 Program Committee, American Philosophical Association, Central Division (2004-2005)
 Program Committee, Illinois Philosophical Association, 2004-2005
 Evaluator Philosophical Gourmet 2006 and 2008 2012-2018 (Evaluator in Metaethics,
 Normative Ethics and Moral Philosophy and Applied Ethics)

EDITORIAL CONSULTANT:**Journals**

Journal of Philosophy 2018
Theoria, 2017
Philosophical Quarterly, 2017
Analysis, 2017
Ethics, 1986
Journal of Ethics, 2001
Australasian Journal of Philosophy, 2001, 2010, 2017
Mind, 2008, 2009
Teaching Philosophy, 1989
Philosophy and Phenomenological Research, 1989, 1992, 1993, 1997, 2004, 2011, 2013,
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Journal of Politics, 1980
Ethics and Animals, 1981 - 1985
Business and Professional Ethics Journal, 1983, 1998, 2001
Journal of Business Ethics, 1992
Society for Business Ethics, 1992, 1999, 2003
Business Ethics Quarterly, 1993, 1995, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001
Canadian Journal of Philosophy, 1997
History of Philosophy Quarterly, 1998
Synthese, 2002
Social Theory and Practice, 2003
Erkenntnis, 2003
American Philosophical Quarterly, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2014
Religious Studies 2009
Philosopher's Imprint 2009, 2011
Philosophical Quarterly 2011
Critica, 2014

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Wadsworth Publishing Company, 1983
 Oxford University Press, 1999, 2001, 2003, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2014, 2015, 2016
 Routledge Publishing, 1997
 University of Chicago Press, 2011
Blackwell's Encyclopedia of Ethics 2011

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"The Shareholder Theory and the Stakeholder Theory," Conference on Business Ethics: Corporate Responsibility Marquette University, February 2000.

"The Shareholder Theory," Society For Business Ethics, Toronto, August 2000.

"The Shareholder Theory," University of Minnesota, October 2000.

"A Definition of Lying," Illinois Philosophical Association, November 2001.

"Whistle-Blowing for Profit: An Ethical Analysis of the Federal False Claims Act," (With Richard Wokutch and Mary Ellen Verdu) Society for Business Ethics, Seattle, August 2003.

"A Defense of the Golden Rule," Illinois Philosophical Association, November 2003.

"Sweatshops, Exploitation, and Free Exchange for Mutual Benefit: A Critique of Maitland," Eleventh Annual International Business Ethics Conference, DePaul, October 2004.

"Hare Redux: The Golden Rule, Consistency, and a Theory of Moral Reasoning," Presidential Address, Illinois Philosophical Association, November 2005.

"Axiology, Realism, and the Problem of Evil" Society of Christian Philosophers, University of Notre Dame March 2006.

"Side Constraints and the Levels of Moral Discourse: A Modified Shareholder Theory," Society for Business Ethics, at the American Philosophical Association February 2009.

"Honesty, Conflicts, and the Telling of History: Case Studies," conference on The Ethics of Information and Disinformation at The University of Arizona, April 2009.

Panelist for Debate about the Definition of Lying at conference on The Ethics of Information and Disinformation at The University of Arizona, April 2009.

"Exemplarism and Objectivity," Illinois Philosophical Association," October 2009, University of Illinois.

"Lincoln at Charleston: Character, Racism, and Moral Luck," Illinois Philosophical Association," November 2010, Eastern Illinois University.

The Eunice Belgum Lectures, Saint Olaf College, March 2011. "Lincoln's Ethics: A Philosophical Assessment" Two Lectures: "Lincoln the Politician: Slavery, Compromise, and Moral Luck" and "Lincoln the Man and the Myth: Character, Racism, and Moral Luck" Audio Podcast available online at <http://www.stolaf.edu/depts/philosophy/Podcasts/podcast.html>.

"What's Wrong With Lying?" Wheaton College, September 2011.

"President Lincoln: Slavery, Utilitarianism, and Moral Luck," Rocky Mountain Ethics (RoME) Congress, University of Colorado, August 2012.

“President Lincoln: Slavery, Compromise, and Moral Luck,” Illinois Philosophical Association,” November 2012, University of Illinois.

“An Ethical Analysis of the Emancipation Proclamation,” Illinois Philosophical Association,” November 2013, University of Southern Illinois Edwardsville.

“An Ethical Analysis of the Emancipation Proclamation,” American Philosophical Association,” February 2014, Chicago.

“Lincoln as a Moral Exemplar,” Annual Address to the Wisconsin Lincoln Federation, April 2014, Janesville, Wisconsin.

“Deception in Business and Advertising,” Keynote Address Universidad del Pacifico, Lima Perurs August 18, 2014.

“The Dolchstosslegende,” International Workshop on Lying and Deception,” Johannes Gutenberg University, Mainz, Germany, September 1, 2014.

“What’s Wrong With Lying?,” Oslo Norway May 2015

“Frankfurt on Bullshit, Deception, Lying, and Concern for the Truth,” 14th International Pragmatics Conference, Antwerp, Belgium, July 2015.

“Lincoln as a Moral Exemplar,” Annual Thomas Schwartz luncheon lecture, Abraham Lincoln Association, Springfield, Illinois, February 12, 2016.

“Lincoln’s Ethics,” Abraham Lincoln Institute Symposium, Ford’s Theater, Washington D. C. March 2016.

“Was the Emancipation Proclamation an Unethical Document?,” Lonestar College Writers, Speakers and Ideas Series Lonestar College, Houston, TX, US. (October 7, 2016).

“Saunders' Portrait of Lincoln,” at conference on Georg Saunders and the Fiction of Radical Humanism, Loyola University Chicago (March 1, 2018).

“Was Abraham Lincoln a Utilitarian?,” International Society of Utilitarian Studies,” Karlsruhe, Germany, July 25, 2018.

WORK IN PROGRESS:

Books:

Political Lies**Papers:**

“Lying, Deception, and the *Dolchstoßlegende*”

“Situationism, Attribution Error, and the Character Traits of Historical Figures: the Case of Lincoln”

“Was the Emancipation Proclamation Too Little Too Late?”

"A Modified Shareholder Theory of Corporate Social Responsibility." (35 pages

“Deception and Information Disclosure in Advertising, Sales, and Business Ethics”

“In Search of a Better Foundation for Divine Will Moral Theories” (29 pages in draft)

“Judging People from the Past”

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION:

Ethics and Theory of Value

History and Ethics

Metaethics

Business Ethics

Political Philosophy

Morality and Religion

History of Ethics

Existentialism

COURSES TAUGHT:**Taught at UCLA**

Existentialism

Taught at Virginia TechPhilosophy Department

Language and Logic

Morality and Justice (Introduction to Ethics)

Social/Political Philosophy (Rawls and Nozick)

Social/Political Philosophy (Rights, Liberty, and Democracy)

Social/Political Philosophy (Marxism, Liberalism, and Libertarianism)

Ethical Theory
 Abortion and Animal Rights
 Business and Society (Graduate Course, College of Business)
 Business Ethics
 Search for Self (Introduction to Philosophy)
 Ethics for Engineers

Interdisciplinary Humanities and Honors

Introductory Humanities (19th Century)
 Introductory Humanities (20th Century)
 Moral and Literary Reflections on War (Honors)

Graduate Courses in the College of Business

Business and Society

Taught at Loyola University Chicago

Undergraduate Courses:

Philosophy of Human Nature
 Action and Value: Business
 Action and Value: Business (Writing Intensive)
 Action and Value: Ethics
 Action and Value: Ethics (Writing Intensive)
 Action and Value: Society
 Topics in Political Philosophy: War and Morality
 Topics in Ethics: Reason, Value, and the Foundations of Ethics
 Topics in Ethics: Theory of Value: Continental and Anglo-American Perspectives
 Topics in Ethics: Business and Professional Ethics
 History of Ethics
 Undergraduate Seminar: Utilitarianism and Alternatives to Utilitarianism
 Undergraduate Seminar: Existentialism, Morality, and God
 Undergraduate Seminar: Moral Relativism
 Topics in Ethics: Lincoln's Ethics
 God and Morality

Honors Capstone: Moral Responsibility

Honors: The American Experience, Lincoln, Slavery, and the American Civil War

Graduate Courses:

Rawls and Social Contract Theory

Classical Utilitarianism (Mill, Sidgwick)

War and Morality

Classical and Contemporary Utilitarianism

Theories of Value and the Good Life

Ethics and Rationality

Morality and Religion

Ethics and Rationality (Relativism)

History of Ethics

Ethics and Rationality (Metaethics)

God and Morality

Contemporary Ethical Theories — The Foundations of Ethics

Virtue, Character, and Psychology

In addition: numerous undergraduate and graduate independent study courses and work on numerous MA and Ph.D. theses. Recently, I directed Marcella Linn's dissertation and am currently directing David Atenasio's dissertation..