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### E D U C A T I O N

2001	Ph.D.	Binghamton University-SUNY	Philosophy
1996	MA	Binghamton University-SUNY	Philosophy
1994	BA	Hampshire College	Philosophy

### E M P L O Y M E N T

2010-Present		University of Southern Maine	Associate Professor
2005-10		University of Southern Maine	Assistant Professor
2004-05		Colby College	Visiting Assistant Professor
2003-04		University of Southern Maine	Adjunct Assistant Professor
2001-03		University of Southern Maine	Visiting Assistant Professor
2000		SUNY Cortland	Lecturer
1997, 1999 (Jan. Term)		Hampshire College	Visiting Instructor
1996-1998		Binghamton University-SUNY	Teaching Associate
1995, 1999		Binghamton University-SUNY	Teaching Assistant

### A R E A S   O F   S P E C I A L I Z A T I O N

Social and Political Philosophy, 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Century Continental Philosophy, Critical Theory,  
Philosophy of History, Spinoza

### A R E A S   O F   C O M P E T E N C E

Modern Philosophy, Ethics, Feminist Philosophy, Environmental Philosophy,  
Philosophy of Film, Philosophy and Literature

### P U B L I C A T I O N S

#### Books

*The Double Shift: Marx and Spinoza on the Ideology and Politics of Work.* (New York: Verso, 2023)

*The Production of Subjectivity: Marx and Philosophy.* (Leiden: Brill 2022/ Chicago: Haymarket, 2023)

*The Politics of Transindividuality.* (Leiden: Brill, 2015/ Chicago: Haymarket,2016)

*The Micro-Politics of Capital: Marx and the Prehistory of the Present.* (Albany: SUNY, 2003).

#### Journal Articles / Book Chapters

“The Affective Reproduction of Capital: The Returns to Spinoza in the Political Economy of the

Affects,” in *The Affect Theory Reader 2.0*, Edited by Gregory Seigworth and Carolyn Pedwell,(Durham: Duke University, 2023).

“Negative Solidarity: The Affective Economy in Neoliberalism’s Decline,”in *Libidinal Economy in Crisis Times*, Edited by Benjamin Gook, Berlin: Transcript, 2022.

“Preemptive Strikes (of a Philosophical Variety): Marx and Spinoza, *Crisis and Critique*, Volume 8, Issue 1, 2021, (<https://crisiscritique.org/>)

“The Unity of Transindividuality: An Examination of Balibar’s Philosophical Practice,” Preface to *Spinoza: The Transindividual* by Etienne Balibar, (Edinburgh: Edinburgh University, 2020) xii-xxii.

“Poscript as Preface: Theorizing Control after Deleuze,” *Coils of the Serpent* 6 2020, 15-25.

“Conscious Organs: Towards a Political Anthropology of Labor Power,” *Philosophy Today*, Volume 64:1, Winter 2020. 77-94.

“The Transindividual Unconscious,” *Australian Philosophical Review*, Volume 2, Issue 1. March 2018, 62-68.

“Mode of Production,” *Bloomsbury Companion to Marx*, Edited by Imre Szeman, Jeff Diamati, and Andrew Pendakis. (London: Bloomsbury, 2018)

“Work and Precarity,” *A Companion to Critical and Cultural Theory* (Cambridge: Blackwell, 2017).

“Man is a Werewolf to Man: *Capital* and the Limits of Political Anthropology,” *Continental Thought and Theory*, Volume One, Issue 4, 150 Years of Capital 2017.

“Ideology as Individuation, Individuating Ideology” *Mediations*, Volume 30, Number 2, 2017 (<http://www.mediationsjournal.org/>)

“The ‘Other Scene’ of Political Anthropology: Between Transindividuality and Equaliberty,” for *Balibar and the Citizen Subject*, Edited by Warren Montag and Hanan Elsayed, (Edinburgh: Edinburg University Press 2017), 111-131.

“Anthropocene and Anthropogenesis: Philosophical Anthropology and the Ends of Man,” for a *South Atlantic Quarterly*, Special Issue on Autonomism in the Anthropocene. Volume 116.Number 2. April 2017, 257-273.

“Radicalizing the Root: The Return of Philosophical Anthropology to the Critique of Political Economy,” *Crisis and Critique*, Volume 3, Number 3. November 2016 (<http://crisiscritique.org/>)

“The Affective Economy: Producing and Consuming Affects in Deleuze and Guattari,” *Deleuze and the Passions*, (New York: Punctum, 2016) 103-124.

“The Individuation of the Common”, *Commons/Undercommons in Art, Education, Work...TKH Journal for Performing Arts Theory*, April 2016, Belgrade, 23-25.

“The Order and Connection of Ideology is the same as the Order and Connection of Exploitation: Or, Towards a Bestiary of the Capitalist Imagination,” *Philosophy Today*, Spring 2015, 175-189.

“To Think the New in the Absence of its Conditions: Althusser and Negri on the Philosophy of Primitive Accumulation.” *Encountering Althusser: Politics and Materialism in Contemporary Radical Thought* (New York: Continuum, 2013) 261-272.

“Desire is Man’s Very Essence: Spinoza and Hegel as Philosophers of Transindividuality.”

*Hegel after Spinoza: Critical Essays* (New York: Continuum, 2012) 42-60.

"The Production of Subjectivity: From Transindividuality to the Commons,"  
*New Formations: A Journal of Culture/Theory/Politics* 70 (2010) 113-131.

"The Fetish is Always Actual, Revolution is Always Virtual: Marx and Deleuze,"  
*Deleuze Studies: Deleuze and Marx*, Volume 3 2 (2009) 78-101.

"Stringer Bell's Lament: Violence and Legitimacy in Contemporary Capitalism,"  
*The Wire: Urban Decay and American Television*. (London: Continuum, 2009) 122-134.

"University Experience: Neoliberalism against the Commons," *Toward a Global Autonomous University: Cognitive Labor, The Production of Knowledge and Exodus from the Education Factory*. (New York: Autonomedia, 2009) 151-153.

"A Genealogy of Homo-Economicus: Foucault, Neoliberalism, and the Production of Subjectivity," *Foucault Studies* Number 6, 2009 25-36.

"The Age of Cynicism: Deleuze and Guattari on the Political Logic of Contemporary Capitalism," *Deleuze and Politics* (Edinburgh: Edinburgh University, 2008) 139-159.

"Politics as Subjectification: Rethinking the Figure of the Worker in the Thought of Badiou and Rancière," *Philosophy Today*, SPEG Supplement 2007, 125-132.

"The Order and Connection of Ideas: Theoretical Practice in Macherey's Turn to Spinoza,"  
*Rethinking Marxism* 19 4 (2007) 517-537.

"The *Potentia* of Living Labor: Negri's Practice of Philosophy,"  
*The Philosophy of Antonio Negri, Volume Two: Revolution in Theory* (London: Pluto, 2007) 28-51.

"The Althusser Effect: Philosophy, History, and Temporality,"  
*Borderlands e-journal* 4 2 (2005).

"The Present as Pre-History: Adorno and Balibar on the Transformation of Labor,"  
*International Studies in Philosophy* 37 2 (2005) 49-65.

"A Universal History of Contingency: Deleuze and Guattari on the History of Capitalism,"  
*Borderlands e-journal* 2 3 (2003).

"Primitive Accumulation: The Aleatory Foundation of Capitalism,"  
*Rethinking Marxism* 14 2 (2002): 24-50.

"A Fugitive Thread: The Production of Subjectivity in Marx,"  
*Pli: The Warwick Journal of Philosophy* 13 (2002): 126-144.

"The Hidden Abode of Biopolitical Production: *Empire* and the Ontology of Production,"  
*Rethinking Marxism*. 13 3/4 (Winter 2001): 24-30.

"The Antagonistic Ground of Constitutive Power: An Essay on the Thought of Antonio Negri,"  
*Rethinking Marxism* 11 2 (Summer 1999): 1-17.

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"Le Post-scriptum comme préface: théoriser le contrôle après Deleuze," translated by David Buxton, *Variations: Revue Internationale de théorie critique*, 24, 2021. French translation of "Poscript as Preface: Theorizing Control after Deleuze."

"Colpi preventi: Marx e Spinoza," translated by Gigi Roggero, in *Machina Rivista*, December 2020, (<https://www.machina-deriveapprodi.com/post/colpi-preventivi-marx-e-spinoza>)

- “Organi consapevoli: verso un’antropologia politica della forza-lavora” translated by Emmanuelle Lepore, in *Soggettività e Trasformazione: Prospettive Marxiane*, Edited by Luca Basso, et al, Rome: Manifesto Libri, 2020. Italian translation of “Conscious Organs: Towards a Political Anthropology of Labor Power,”
- Quatres textes sur les films des Superheroes,” translated by David Buxton, *Web Revue des Industries Culturelles et Numériques*. 2017. (<http://industrie-culturelle.fr/industrie-culturelle/films-super-heros-jason-read/>) French translations of pieces posted on my blog [www.unemployednegativity.com](http://www.unemployednegativity.com).
- “En genealogi över homo economicus: nyliberalismen och produktionen av subjektivitet,” Translated by Helen Rosenberg and Leo Rosenberg, *Fronesis*, Nr 54-55, Malmö, Sweden: Fronesis, pg. 235-252, Swedish translation of “A Genealogy of Homo-Economicus: Foucault, Neoliberalism, and the Production of Subjectivity.”
- “Jeong dong ui jaesangsan” Translated by Choi Sunghee, *Literary Criticism Today*, Vol. 1.No. 1 Seoul, 2016, Korean translation of “Affective Reproduction”
- La micropolítica del Capital (Marx y la prehistoria del presente)*, Translated by Aurelio Sainz Pezonaga, Madrid: Tierradenadie Ediciones, 2016. Spanish translation of *The Micro Politics of Capital: Marx and the Prehistory of the Present*.
- “Una Genealogica dell’Homo Oeconomicus. Neoliberalismo e Produzione di Soggettiva,” Translated by Lorenza D’Astolto, in *Dal Pensiero Critico: Filosofie e concetti per il Tempo Presente*, Edited by Alessandro Simoncini, Milan: Mimesis, 2015. Italian translation of “A Genealogy of Homo-Economicus: Foucault, Neoliberalism, and the Production of Subjectivity.”
- “La produzione della soggettività: Dal transindividuale al comune.” Translated by Vittorio Morfino in *Il Transindividuale Soggetti, Relazioni, Mutazioni*, Edited by Etienne Balibar and Vittorio Morfino, Milan: Mimesis, 2014. Italian translation of “The Production of Subjectivity: From Transindividuality to the Commons.”
- Sermaynenin Mikropolitikasi: Simdiki Zamnin Tarihöncesi ve Marx*, Translated by Ayse Deniz Temiz, Istanbul: Metis, 2014. Turkish translation of *The Micro-Politics of Capital: Marx and the Prehistory of the Present*.
- “Arzu İnsanun Özüdür”: Bireylik-Ötesinin Filozofları Olarak Spinoza ve Hegel,” trans Eylem Canaslan, in *Marx’tan Spinoza’ya, Spinoza dan Marx*, edited by Güncel Müdahaler, (Ankara: Dost Kitabevi, 2013) Turkish translation of “Desire is Man’s Very Essence: Spinoza and Hegel as Philosophers of Transindividuality.”
- “Fase due: Occupy Wall street sul 17 novembre” in *Occupy: I movimenti nella crisi globale*, Edited and Translated by Anna Curcio and Gigi Roggero. (Verona: Ombre Corte, 2012), 47-50.
- “Saiken kaishûya-tachi: Keizaigaku, seijigaku soshite fusai no dôtoku” (Debt Collectors: The Economics, Politics, and Morality of Debt), trans. Higa Tetsunori in *Gendai shisô* 40-2, February 2012 (Tokyo: Seidosha), 146-151.
- “Shutaisei no seisan: Odan kotaisei kara 'kyo' e,” Translated by Sato Takashi in *\_Seiji keizaigaku no seiji tetsugakuteki fukken: Riron no rironteki 'rinkai-gaibu' ni mukete\_* (Political Philosophical Resurrections of Political Economy: Towards the Theoretical Limit/Outside of Theory), ed. Nagahara Yutaka (Tokyo: Hôsei University Press, 2011), 235-264. Japanese translation of “The Production of Subjectivity: From Transindividuality to the Commons.”
- “L’esperienza dell’università: il neoliberalismo contro i commons,” in *Universite Global: Il Nuovo Mercato del Sapere*. Edited by Edu-Factory (Rome: Manifestolibri, 2008).

## Book Reviews

- "The Practice of Philosophy Within its Limits: A Review of *Citizen Subject* by Etienne Balibar," *Cultural Critique*, Number 109, Fall 2020, 152-162.
- "Cutting off Heads: A Review of *Foucault with Marx* by Jacques Bidet, *Contrivers Review*. (<http://www.contrivers.org/reviews/31/Jason-Read-Foucault-Marx-Jacques-Bidet-Review/>)
- "Under Pressure: A Review of *Renverser l'insoutenable* by Yves Citton, *Historical Materialism*. 24.2 (2016). 228-244.
- "Anthropology Becoming Philosophy: A Review of *Cannibal Metaphysics: For a Post Structural Anthropology* by Eduardo Viveiros de Castro, *Radical Philosophy*, 193, (September/October 2015) 48-50.
- "Relations of Production: Combes on Transindividuality: review of *Gilbert Simondon and the Philosophy of the Transindividual* by Muriel Combes, *Historical Materialism*, 23.3 (2015) 201-214
- Initiation à la philosophie pour les non-philosophes* by Louis Althusser, *Crisis and Critique*, Volume 2, #1, (2015) 357-362
- Althusser and His Contemporaries: Philosophy's Perpetual War* by Warren Montag, *Postmodern Culture*, Volume 24, Number 1, September 2013.
- "Distracted by Attention," Review of *Pour un Écologie de l'attention* by Yves Citton, *The New Inquiry*, (<http://thenewinquiry.com/essays/distracted-by-attention/>)
- Willing Slaves of Capital: Marx and Spinoza* by Frédéric Lordon, *LA Review of Books*, December, 2014 ([www.lareviewofbooks.org](http://www.lareviewofbooks.org))
- "The Principle of our Negative Solidarity," review of *Common Ground: Collectivity in an Age of Individualism* by Jeremy Gilbert, *The New Inquiry*, (<http://thenewinquiry.com/essays/theprinciple-of-our-negative-solidarity/>)
- Value in Marx: The Persistence of Value in a More-Than-Capitalist-World* by George Henderson, *Antipode: A Radical Journal of Geography*, 2013.
- Commonwealth* by Michael Hardt and Antonio Negri. *Historical Materialism*. 20.1 (2012) 211-221.
- Dialectics and Contemporary Politics: Critique and Transformation from Hegel Through Post Marxism*, *Postmodern Culture*. *Postmodern Culture*, Volume 21, Number 3, 2011.
- Hegel or Spinoza* by Pierre Macherey, 1/10/12 *New APPS: Art, Politics, Philosophy, Science*. (<http://www.newappsblog.com/>)
- Marx through Post-Structuralism: Lyotard, Derrida, Foucault, Deleuze* by Simon Choat. 11/20/10 *Notre Dame Philosophical Review* (<http://ndpr.nd.edu/>) .
- In Praise of the Common: A Conversation on Philosophy and Politics* by Cesare Casarino and Antonio Negri. 10/2009 *Notre Dame Philosophical Review* (<http://ndpr.nd.edu/>).
- A New Philosophy of Society: Assemblage Theory and Social Complexity* by Manuel

DeLanda. *Deleuze Studies* 2 2 (2008) 220-228.

*Philosophy of the Encounter: Later Writings, 1978-1987* by Louis Althusser.  
*Contemporary Political Theory* 6 4 (2007) 484-487.

*Performing Marx: Contemporary Negotiations of a Living Tradition* by Bradley J. Macdonald.  
*Political Theory: An International Review of Political Philosophy* 35 1 (2007) 103-105.

*Out of this World: Deleuze and the Philosophy of Creation* by Peter Hallward.  
*Mute* (2006).

*Multitude: War and Democracy in the Age of Empire* by Michael Hardt and Antonio Negri.  
*Postmodern Culture*, 15 2 (2005).

*We, the People of Europe?: Reflections on Transnational Citizenship* by Etienne Balibar.  
*Borderlands e-journal* 3 1 (2004).

### Translation work

Translator of *Marx with Spinoza: Production, History, Alienation*, by Franck Fischbach for Edinburgh University Press, English translation of *La Production des hommes: Marx avec Spinoza*, Forthcoming.

Co-translated Maurizio Lazzarato's *Expérimentations Politiques* with Jeremy Gilbert, Arianna Bove, et al for publication by Semiotext(e).

## PRESENTATIONS

### Invited Presentations

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| 2021 | "Preemptive Strikes (of a Philosophical Variety): Marx and Spinoza," Keynote at Spinoza after Marx, Penn State, May 2021.   |
| 2021 | "Marx: Producing Subjects, (with Sandro Mezzadra)" and "Fighting for their Own Servitude" (with Robyn Marasco, Warren Montag, and Asad Haider), Red May Seattle, May 2021.  |
| 2021 | "Working for a Living: Alienation and Identity in Wage Labor, J. Harry Cotton Lecture in Philosophy, Wabash College, March 2021.  |
| 2020 | "The Future of Negative Solidarity (with Jeremy Gilbert, Jo Isaacson, and Steven Schaviro) and "Communism or Neofeudalism (with Jodi Dean and Eva Cherniavsky), Red May Seattle, May 2020.                              |
| 2019 | "Negative Solidarity: The Affective Economy in Neoliberalism's Decline," Presented at Neoliberalism and the Disintegration of the Political, Simpson Center for the Humanities, University of Washington, October 2019. |
| 2019 | "Self-Driving Automobiles," Presented at the Choreographies of the Social, Public Art Agency, Stockholm, Sweden, August 2019  |
| 2018 | "Logic of Alternation: From Mind and Body to Ideology and Material Conditions," Panel on the work of Chantal Jaquet, McGill University, September 2018.   |
| 2018 | "Conscious Organs: Towards an Anthropology of Labor Power" Subjectivity and Transformation: Marxist Perspectives University of Rome, May 2018.  |

- 2018 "Conscious Organs: Towards an Anthropology of Labor Power," Marx Conference, Depaul, April 2018.
- 2017 "Reproduction Struggles in the Age of Trump," "Primitive Accumulation," and "Neoliberalism: Vampire or Zombie," Presentations at Red May Seattle (<https://www.redmayseattle.org/>) May 2017.
- 2017 "Transindividuality after Solidarity," A three day course presented at the Performing Arts Forum in St. Erme, France. (<http://www.pa-f.net/>) April, 2017.
- 2016 "Conscienza Sive ideologia: The Spontaneity of Ideology in and after Althusser," Althusser Today Conference, Duke University, December 2016.
- 2016 "Radicalizing the Root: The Critique of Political Economy and the Return of Philosophical Anthropology," Brandeis University, October 2016.
- 2016 "Individuality as Metastability: Gesture and Affect," Presented at "Choreographing the Self" KU Leuven and Stuck Arts Center, Leuven Belgium, May 2016.
- 2015 Individuation and Exploitation, Presentation at Foucault's and Deleuze's Political Philosophy Symposium, Purdue University, November 2015.
- 2015 "Affective Reproduction: Thinking Transindividuality in an Age of Individualism," Keynote at Affect Theory Conference, Millersville University, October 2015.
- 2015 "Relations of Perception: Perception and Individuation," at Akademie Schloss Solitude, Stuttgart, September 2015.
- 2015 "Affective Reproduction: Marx and Spinoza," Keynote at Depaul Graduate Conference, "Affective Encounters: Philosophy, History, and Politics, March 2015.
- 2014 "Individuating the Common," Presentation at The Public Commons and the Undercommons of Art, Education, and Labor Conference in Frankfurt am Main, June 2014.
- 2014 "Desire, The Social, The Affects: Deleuze and Guattari and the Affective Composition of Society," Keynote at Third Annual Dutch Deleuze Society Conference, Erasmus University, Rotterdam, May 2014.
- 2014 "The Affective Composition of the Political: From Negative Solidarity to Collective Indignation." Identity, Alterity, Monstrosity: Figures of the Multitude Seminar, Queen Mary University London, May 2014.
- 2013 "Transindividuality: A Concept for Marxism?" Presentation at Marxist Literary Group Summer Institute on Culture and Society, Ohio State University, June 2013.
- 2013 "Contradictions at Work: The Task for a Philosophy of Labor," Keynote at Philosophy Graduate Student Association Conference, University of Memphis, April 2013.
- 2012 "Theorizing Occupy Wall Street: Politics, Economics, Society," International Symposium for Phenomenology, Perugia, Italy July 2012.
- 2012 "The Relations of Production: The Ontology and Political Economy of Transindividuality," Centre for Research in Modern European Philosophy, Kingston University, London, June 2012.
- 2012 "Starting from Year Zero: Occupy and the Transformations of the Socio-Political," Keynote at Philosophy Graduate Student Conference, Michigan State University, February 2012.
- 2011 "Transindividuality: A Concept for Critical Theory," University of Maine at Orono, Colloquium, October, 2011.
- 2011 "The Social Individual: Collectivity and Sociality in Capitalism (and Marx)," Utah Valley

- University, September 2011.
- 2011 "Transindividuality as Critique: Spinoza, Hegel, Marx," American Association of Geographers  
Seattle, Washington, April 2011.
- 2011 "His Subconscious is Militarized: Mapping *Inception*," Millersville University, April 2011.
- 2010 "Desire is Man's Very Essence: Transindividuality in Marx and Spinoza." Hegel after Spinoza  
Consortium, McGill University, April 2010.
- 2009 "Primitive Accumulation as a Philosophical Concept: Between Contingency and Constitution,"  
Encountering Althusser, Jan van Eyck Academie, Maastricht, The Netherlands,  
October 2009.
- 2009 "Figures of the Common: Species Being, Transindividuality, Virtual Action," The Future of the  
Common: Nature, Work and Technology, University of Minnesota, September 2009.
- 2009 "The Production of Subjectivity: From Transindividuality to the Commons," Ohio State  
University, April 2009.
- 2009 "The Fetish is Always Actual, Revolution is Always Virtual: Marx and Deleuze," Keynote,  
Undergraduate Philosophy Conference, Goucher College, April 2009.
- 2008 "Homo Economicus: The Market as Utopia and Anti-Utopia," Utopian Studies Conference,  
Portland, October 2008.
- 2008 "Capitalism and Schizophrenia Today: Reassessing Deleuze and Guattari's Collaborative  
Project," Goucher College. March 2008.
- 2007 "The Production of Subjectivity: Philosophy and the Economy," The Outside(s) of Theories:  
Polyphonic Approaches, Institute for Comparative Economic Studies, Hosei  
University, Tokyo, December 2007.
- 2007 "A Genealogy of Homo-Economicus: Foucault, Neoliberalism, and the Production of  
Subjectivity," McGill University, November 2007.
- 2007 "The Production of Subjectivity: Towards a Political Anthropology of the Present,"  
Duke University, October 2007.
- 2007 "The Production of Subjectivity: Towards a Political Anthropology of the Present," Radical  
Philosophy Conference, London, May 2007.
- 2006 "A Genealogy of Homo-Economicus: Neo-liberalism as Anthropology and Common Sense,"  
University of Georgia, April 2006.
- 2006 Discussion of *The Micro-Politics of Capital*,  
University of North Carolina, March 2006.
- 2006 "Consuming Politics: Citizen, Subject, and Most of all, Consumer"  
Albright College, February 2006.
- 2005 "The Althusser Effect: Philosophy, History, and Temporality,"  
University of Aberdeen, November 2005.
- 2005 "Living Labor and the Returns to Marx,"  
Pennsylvania State University, March 2005.



- 2003 Discussion of *The Micro-Politics of Capital*  
Niebyl-Proctor Marxist Library, December 2003.
- 2003 “Ambition, Interest, and Exigency: The Politics of Research,”  
The Humanities in the Public University, Binghamton University, April 2003.
- 2003 “Quantum Ethics: Philosophy and Physics in Michael Frayn’s *Copenhagen*,”  
Portland Stage Company, March 2003.
- 2001 “A Fugitive Thread: The Production of Subjectivity in Marx,”  
“Materialist Workshop,” Binghamton University, November 2001.
- 2001 “Primitive Accumulation: The Aleatory Foundation of Capitalism,”  
State University of New York at Buffalo, April 2001.
- 1999 “Life Under Empire: A Discussion of the Work of Antonio Negri,”  
The Brecht Forum/New York Marxist School, November 1999.

### Conference Presentations

- 2021 “Other Scenes: Balibar and Tosel on Class Struggle and the Struggle over Identity,” Historical  
Materialism, November 2021.
- 2019 “Negative Solidarity: The Affective Economy in Neoliberalism’s Decline,” Libidinal Economy of  
Crisis Times, Berlin, 2019.
- 2017 “Immanent Cause: Between Production and Reproduction,” Louis Althusser Today, Strategy  
and Materialism, Santiago, Chile, November 2017.
- 2017 “Class Decomposition: Affect and Politics in the Age of Negative Solidarity,” Historical  
Materialism Conference, New York, April 2017.
- 2017 “Living and Dead.” A response to Elizabeth Povinelli’s *Geontologies: A Requiem for Late  
Liberalism*, American Association of Geographers Conference, Boston, April 2017.
- 2016 “Debt and Student Choice,” Presentation on the Panel “Philosophical Advocacy in the Age of  
Austerity,” SPEP, Salt Lake City, October, 2016.
- 2015 Respondent, Roundtable on *The Politics of Transindividuality*, Historical Materialism  
Conference, London, November, 2015.
- 2015 Deleuze, Guattari, and Marxism Panel, Gilles Deleuze and Félix Guattari: Refrains of  
Freedom, International Conference, Athens, Greece, April 2015.
- 2013 “Economies of Affect/Affective Economies: Towards A Spinozist Critique of Political Economy,”  
Historical Materialism, London, November 2013.
- 2013 “Transindividuality: A Concept for Marxism?” Historical Materialism, New York, May 2013.
- 2012 “A Spinozist Dialectic,” Historical Materialism, Toronto, May 2012.
- 2012 “Transindividuality: Between Ontology and Political Economy,” Post-Autonomia  
Conference, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, May 2012.
- 2011 “Debt Collectors: The Politics and Economics of Debt,” Historical Materialism, London,  
November 2011.
- 2011 “The Affective Composition of Labor: From Class Composition to The Production of  
Subjectivity,” Post-Autonomia Conference, Amsterdam, May 2011.
- 2011 “Preemptive Strikes (of a philosophical variety): Spinoza and Marx,” Historical Materialism,  
New York, May 2011.

- 2010 "Transindividuality as Critique: Spinoza, Hegel, Marx,"  
Crisis and Critique, University of London, November 2010.
- 2010 "The Politics of Transindividuality: Between Marx and Simondon,"  
Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, McGill University, November 2010.
- 2010 "Figures of the Common: Species Being, Transindividuality, Virtual Action,"  
Historical Materialism, City University of New York, January 2010.
- 2009 "Abstract Materialism: Sohn-Rethel and the Task of a Materialist Philosophy Today,"  
Rethinking Marxism, UMASS Amherst, November 2009.
- 2008 "Transindividuality: The Political Ontology of Maurizio Lazzarato and Paolo Virno,"  
Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Duquesne University,  
October 2008.
- 2008 "The Fetish is Always Actual, Revolution is Always Virtual: From Noology to Noopolitics."  
First International Deleuze Studies Conference, Cardiff University, August 2008.
- 2007 "The Workshop Where Ideals are Made: Foucault and Negri on the Constitution of the  
Present," Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Depaul University,  
October 2007.
- 2006 "Double Inscription: Marxism as Metaphilosophy,"  
New Directions in Historical Materialism, University of London, December 2006.
- 2006 "Subjects of Interest: Neo-liberalism in the Thought of Foucault and Negri,"  
Sixth International Rethinking Marxism Conference, University of Massachusetts,  
October 2006.
- 2006 "Politics as Subjectification: Rethinking the Figure of the Worker in Badiou and Rancière,"  
Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Villanova University, October  
2006.
- 2006 "A Genealogy of Homo-Economicus: Neo-liberalism and the Production of Subjectivity,"  
Metastasizing Capital: The Logic of Unbridled Growth, Brock University, April 2006.
- 2005 "The Age of Cynicism: Deleuze and Guattari on the Production of Subjectivity in Capitalism,"  
Towards a Cosmopolitan Marxism, University of London, November 2005.
- 2005 "No Time Like the Present: On the Materiality of Historical Time,"  
Maine Philosophy Institute, May 2005.
- 2004 "The Order and Connection of Ideas: Thinking in and with Spinoza,"  
North American Spinoza Society at Pacific APA, March 2004.
- 2003 "The Present as Pre-History: Marx, Adorno, and Balibar on the Division  
Between Mental and Manual Labor,"  
Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy Conference, November 2003.
- 2003 "The Order and Connection of Ideas: 'Theoretical Practice' and the Legacy of Althusser in  
Macherey's *Introduction à l'Éthique de Spinoza*,"  
Fifth International Rethinking Marxism Conference, University of Massachusetts,  
November 2003.

- 2003 Respondent, "Roundtable on *The Micro-Politics of Capital: Marx and the Prehistory of the Present*,"  
Fifth International Rethinking Marxism Conference, University of Massachusetts,  
November 2003.
- 2002 Respondent, "Spinoza and Hobbes Redux,"  
North American Spinoza Society, APA Eastern Division Meeting, December 2002.
- 2000 "The Use and Disadvantage of Pre-History for Life: Deleuze and Guattari on the Pre-History  
of Capitalism," Fourth International Rethinking Marxism Conference, University of  
Massachusetts, September 2000.

### Interviews and Publications in Popular Press

- 2021 "Work" on Hotel Bar Podcast (<http://hotelbarpodcast.com/podcast/episode-39-work/>)
- 2021 "Spinoza, Marx, and the Great Resignation," Acid Horizon Podcast.
- 2018 "Marx in Bizarro World," LA Review of Book ([www.lareviewofbooks.org](http://www.lareviewofbooks.org)) March 2018
- 2014-15 Columnist, "A Closer Read," *Portland Phoenix*.
- 2012 "Off Campus: One year later, Occupy still a living movement," *Portland Press Herald*,  
September 17, 2012.
- 2011 "Phase Two: Occupy Wall Street on November 17," *Viewpoint Magazine*, ([viewpointmag.com](http://viewpointmag.com)).  
November 2011.
- 2007 "Philm: Movies to Make You Think Better,"  
*The Portland Phoenix*, January 2007.
- 2006 "Changing Worlds: A Talk with USM Philosophy Professor Jason Read,"  
*The Portland Phoenix*, October 2006.
- 2005 "Discussion of *Capital* and Capitalism Today with Nicholas Ruiz,"  
*Kritikos Online*, June 2005.
- 2003 "Discussion of *The Micro-Politics of Capital* with C.S. Soong,"  
*Living Room KPFA*, December 2003.
- 2002 "Between the Global and the Local: Maine and Globalization,"  
*Sound Ecology WMPG*, March 2002.

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2005- University of Southern Maine  
Hegel's Phenomenology of Spirit  
History of Early Modern Philosophy  
History of Late Modern Philosophy  
Nineteenth Century European Philosophy  
Medieval Philosophy  
Postmodernism  
Spinoza  
Shopping: American Consumerism (co-taught)  
Free Will and Determinism  
War, Fascism, and Mass Media: The Critical Theory of the Frankfurt School

Philosophy of Film  
Philosophical Anthropology  
The Philosophy and Politics of Work  
Political Philosophy  
Public Philosophy  
Marx Today  
Utopia/Dystopia: Politics and Imagination

- 2004-05                      Colby College  
                                    War, Modernity, Culture: Philosophy in the First Half of the Twentieth  
                                    Century  
                                    Philosophy of History  
                                    Environmental Philosophy  
                                    Philosophy of Film  
                                    Philosophical Anthropology
- 2001-03                      University of Southern Maine  
                                    Law, Politics and Society  
                                    Introduction to Feminist Perspectives in Philosophy  
                                    Introduction to Philosophy: Human Alienation  
                                    History of Early Modern Philosophy  
                                    Philosophical Reading and Writing  
                                    Introduction to Philosophy  
                                    Philosophy of History  
                                    Topics in Philosophy: Marxism
- 2000                              SUNY Cortland  
                                    Prejudice, Discrimination, and Morality

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

### University Service

- 2020-                      Core Curriculum Council Representative
- 2012-2013                  Advising Liaison
- 2008-2011                  Core Curriculum Council Representative
- 2007-2009                  College of Arts and Sciences Representative, Faculty Senate
- 2005-2008                  Department Representative to General Education Curriculum Planning Group.
- 2004                          "Discussion of *The Micro-Politics of Capital*"  
                                    Philosophy Colloquium, University of Southern Maine, March, 2004.
- 2001                          "After September 11: The Discussion Continues,"  
                                    Organizer and Panelist, University of Southern Maine, November 2001.
- 2001                          "This is the 21st Century: Freedom, Privilege, and Civil Rights in the Wake of Tragedy,"  
                                    Organizer and Panelist, University of Southern Maine, September 2001.

### Awards

- 2010                          Faculty Senate Award for Teaching in the Humanities

### Departmental Service

- 2022- Chair, Department of Philosophy and Department of Liberal Studies in Humanities
- 2015-2019 Chair, Department of Philosophy and Liberal Studies in the Humanities
- 2012-Present Department Speaker Series
- 2005-Present Symposium Philosophy Club  
Faculty Advisor, University of Southern Maine
- 2001-02 Symposium: Philosophy Club  
Faculty Advisor, University of Southern Maine

### **Additional Professional Experience**

- 2010- Reviewed Manuscripts for Verso Books and Polity Press
- 2006 Reviewed Manuscript "Responsibility after Liberalism" for University of Illinois Press
- 2004-2009 Co-editor (with Stephen De Caroli), *Out Sources: Philosophy, Culture, Politics*,  
Book Series with Lexington Press
- 2004-2010 Advisory Board Member, *Borderlands e-journal*  
The University of Adelaide, Australia
- 2004-Present Co-Director, Publications Committee,  
Society for Social and Political Philosophy (SSPP)
- 2001-2003 Founding Member and Chair,  
The Society for Social and Political Philosophy: Historical, Continental, and Feminist  
Perspectives (SSPP)

### **Community Service**

- 2015 Coordinator and Moderator for *Hooked: A Critical Look at the Shows we Love*, Maine  
Humanities Council.
- 2014 Think and Drink Panelist, "Truth in a Connected World," Space Gallery/Maine Humanities  
Council
- 2007-present Organizer, USM Philosophy Symposium Film Series, Space Gallery
- 2006 Workshop Coordinator and Presenter, Maine Social Forum
- 2002-present Volunteer, Animal Refuge League – Portland, ME
- 2001-2002 Member, Maine Global Action Network

### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

American Philosophical Association  
 North American Spinoza Society  
 Society for Social & Political Philosophy: Historical, Continental, & Feminist Perspectives  
 Co-founder and Executive Board Member  
 Society for the Philosophical Study of Marxism

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