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HONORS

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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Emeritus Professor, Department of Philosophy, Washington University, St Louis, MO (as of July 2025)

Emeritus Professor, Department of Philosophy, Durham University (as of January 2025).

Honorary Research Associate, Department of Philosophy, Monash University, Clayton, Vic. Australia (2020-continuing).

Tang Chun-I Visiting Professor, Department of Philosophy, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, March 2022 (postponed).

Philosophy Faculty, Oxford University, Trinity Term 2017.

Fellow, Institute of Advanced Study, Durham University, Epiphany Term 2015.

Visiting Professor (during 2005 and 2007) the University of Otago (Dunedin, NZ).

Paul B. Freeland Professor of Philosophy and Chair, Department of Philosophy, Davidson College, Davidson, NC (1987-2004).

Visiting Professor (September 1993) the University of Cape Town (Cape Town, SA).

Visiting Professor (July, August 1988) University of the Witwatersrand (Johannesburg, SA).

Visiting Professor, Department of Philosophy, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY (fall term, 1986).

Professor, Department of Philosophy, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA (1979-1987).

Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, Brown University, Providence, RI (spring term, 1976).

Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, Department of Philosophy, Randolph–Macon Woman’s College, Lynchburg, VA (1968–1979; department chair, 1975–1979). Tenured, 1974.

EDITORSHIPS AND EDITORIAL BOARDS

Inaugural Editor, *Journal of the American Philosophical Association* (winner of the 2017 Prose Award for the best new journal in the humanities and social sciences)

Editorial Board: *Philosophical Quarterly*; *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*; *Philosophical Psychology*; *American Philosophical Quarterly*; *Philosophies*

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Australasian Association of Philosophy, American Philosophical Association, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology

AMERICAN PHILOSOPHICAL ASSOCIATION

American Philosophical Association Committee on the Status and Future of the Profession, 2013–2016

American Philosophical Association 2005 Eastern Division Program Committee Chair.

American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division Program Committee, 2003–05.

American Philosophical Association Eastern Division Program Advisory Committee, 1995–1998.

NORTH CAROLINA PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

President, 1997–1999.

Secretary–Treasurer, Program Committee Chair 1995–1997.

EDUCATION

Ph.D., (Philosophy), Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN, 1970. Dissertation, ‘The Identity Theory of Mind’, directed by Clement Dore and John Compton.

PROFESSIONAL AWARDS (Fellowships and Grants are listed below on 25–7)

Fulbright Scholar Award, Monash University February–June 2020.

John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellow 2018–19.

Named one of ‘[The 50 Most Influential Living Philosophers](#)’ on TheBestSchools.Org

Recipient of the first annual Australasian Association of Philosophy Award for the best paper published the previous year in the *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, 2007.

ADDITIONAL HONORS

Conference held in my honor, Durham University, June 2023

Named Corresponding Fellow of the Australian Academy of the Humanities, 2020

PUBLICATIONS

• BOOKS

Things Are Seldom What They Seem, in progress.

Philosophy of Mind: A Contemporary Introduction 5th ed. London: Routledge, in press.

[*Appearance in Reality*](#). Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2021. Available as an audiobook at [Audible.com](#). The book is featured on the [Page 99 website](#).

[*What is Metaphysics?*](#) Cambridge: Polity Press Ltd, 2021. Published in Arabic by Dar Al Farqad Publishing House, Damascus, Syria.

[*Relations*](#). (Cambridge Elements in Metaphysics series) Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2021.

[*Philosophy of Mind: A Contemporary Introduction*](#) 4th ed. London: Routledge, 2019.

Philosophy of Mind: A Contemporary Introduction 3rd ed. London: Routledge, 2013.

[*First-Order Logic: A Concise Introduction*](#) (2d ed) Indianapolis/Cambridge: Hackett, 2021.

[*The Universe as We Find It*](#). Oxford: Clarendon Press, 2012.

Philosophy of Mind: A Contemporary Introduction 2nd ed. London: Routledge, 2004.

[*From an Ontological Point of View*](#). Oxford: Clarendon Press, 2003. French translation, *Du Point de Vue Ontologique* (Tr., François Loth) Paris: Editions d'Ithaque, 2011.

Philosophy of Mind: A Contemporary Introduction. London: Routledge, 1998. Published in Portuguese as *Filosofia da Mente: Uma Introdução Contemporânea* (Instituto Piaget, 2002). Korean edition has been published; a Chinese edition is part of the Philosophy Textbook Translation Series, publication information for which is in Chinese.

First-Order Logic: A Concise Introduction. Boston: Jones and Bartlett, 1994 (subsequently published by Wadsworth).

[*The Nature of True Minds*](#). Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1992.

[*Perception and Cognition*](#). Berkeley: The University of California Press, 1983. Excerpt reprinted in R. Schwartz, ed. *Perception* (Oxford: Blackwell Publishing, 2004): 88–99. Chapter 1 reprinted in F. E. Macpherson, ed. *The Senses: Classical and Contemporary Philosophical Perspectives* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2011): 136–55.

Logic and Language. Washington: University Press of America, 1978.

• VOLUMES DEVOTED TO MY WORK

M. Esfeld, ed. [*John Heil: Symposium on His Ontological Point of View*](#) (Frankfurt: Ontos-Verlag, 2006).

Giacomo Romano, ed. [*Symposium on From an Ontological Point of View*](#) (*SWIF Philosophy of Mind Review* 6 (2008)).

• EDITED VOLUMES

[*Ontology, Modality, and Mind: Themes from the Metaphysics of E. J. Lowe*](#), (edited with A. D. Carruth and S. C. Gibb), Oxford: Oxford University Press: 2018.

[*Philosophy of Mind: A Guide and Anthology*](#), Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2004.

[*Mental Causation*](#), (edited with A. R. Mele), Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1993.

[*Rationality, Morality, and Self-Interest*](#), Totowa, NJ: Rowman and Littlefield, 1993. (Epistemology and Cognition Series)

[*Cause, Mind, and Reality: Essays Honoring C. B. Martin*](#), Dordrecht: Kluwer, 1989. (Philosophical Studies Series No. 47).

- ELECTRONIC PUBLICATIONS AND PODCASTS

The Institute for Art and Ideas. 'Emergence: Fact or Fantasy?':

https://iai.tv/articles/emergence-explains-nothing-and-is-bad-science-auid-3385?_auid=2020

Institute of Art and Ideas. *Changing How the World Thinks*. '[Could Consciousness be a Brain Process?](#)'

Institute of Art and Ideas, [three lectures](#) on *The Universe as We Find It*.

[Interview on Discord Q&A](#)

['What's It Like to See What It's Like?'](#), *Institute of Art and Ideas News*

Richard Marshall's *3:AM Magazine* [interview with John Heil on *The Universe as We Find It*](#)

Tony Sobrado's *Biggest Questions* [interview with John Heil on 'What is Consciousness?'](#)

['Précis of *From an Ontological Point of View*'](#) together with responses to five discussants. *SWIF (Sito Web Italiano per la Filosofia) Philosophy of Mind Review*.

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['Metaphysics of Mind'](#). In *A Field Guide to the Philosophy of Mind*.

- ARTICLES AND CHAPTERS

'Rethinking Metametaphysics', *Inquiry*, forthcoming.

'Modal Realism'. *American Philosophical Quarterly* (special issue on Ontological Categories), forthcoming.

'Locke and Contemporary Philosophy: Ontological Categories'. In P. J. Connolly, ed. *The Oxford Handbook of Locke*. (Oxford: Oxford University Press): forthcoming.

'Things are Seldom What they Seem'. In A. Moran and C. Rossi, eds. *Objects and Properties*. (Oxford: Oxford University Press): forthcoming.

'Category Mistakes'. In A. Segal and N. Stang, eds. *Systematicity in Metaphysics*. (Oxford: Oxford University Press): forthcoming.

'What's on God's Mind?' In M. Szatkowski, ed. *Ontology of Divinity*. (Berlin: de Gruyter, 2024): 721–35.

'The Last Word on Emergence'. *Res Philosophica* 100 (2023): 151–69.

'Levelling the Universe'. In M. Hemmo, S. Ioannidis, O. Shenker, and G. Vishne, eds. *Levels of Reality in Science and Philosophy*. (Cham, Switzerland: Springer, 2022): 97–114.

- 'The Incremental Chain of Being'. In S. Wuppuluri, ed. *From Electrons to Elephants and Elections: Saga of Content and Context*. (Cham, Switzerland: Springer, 2022): 11–22.
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- 'Lowe's Progress' In Mirosław Szatkowski, ed. *E. J. Lowe and Ontology*. (London: Routledge, 2022): 31–54.
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- 'Ontology of Powers'. In A. S. Meincke, ed. *The Ontological Commitments of Dispositionalism*. (Springer 2019): 18–29.
- 'Emergence and Panpsychism'. In S. C. Gibb, R. Hendry, and T. Lancaster, eds. *The Routledge Handbook of Emergence*. (London: Routledge, 2019): 225–34.
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- 'Objects, Ordinary and Otherwise'. In J. Cumpa and B. Brewer, eds. *The Nature of Ordinary Objects*. (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2018): 75–93.
- 'The Mystery of the Mystery of Consciousness'. In M. P. Guta, ed. *Consciousness and the Ontology of Properties*. (London: Routledge, 2018): 15–23.
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- 'Natural Intentionality'. In Richard Schantz, ed. *The Externalist Challenge. New Studies in Cognition and Intentionality* (Berlin: de Gruyter, 2004): 287–96.
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- 'Levels of Reality'. *Ratio* 16 (2003): 205–21. Reprinted in S. Crawford, ed. *Philosophy of Mind: Critical Concepts in Philosophy*, vol. 2 (London: Routledge, 2011): 243–56.
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- 'Epistemology and the Philosophy of Mind'. In Paul Moser, ed. *The Oxford Handbook of Epistemology* (New York: Oxford University Press, 2002): 316–35.
- 'A History of Early Analytic Philosophy of Mind'. In Stephen Hales, ed. *Analytic Philosophy: Classic Readings* (Wadsworth, 2002): 221–30.
- 'Hilary Putnam'. In A. P. Martinich and David Sosa, eds. *A Companion to Analytic Philosophy* (Blackwell, 2001): 393–412.
- 'Funkcjonalizm, realizm i poziomy bytu' ('Functionalism, Realism, and Levels of Being'). In Urszula M. Zeglen, ed. *Pragmatyzm i filozofia Hilarego Putnama* (Torun: University of Torun, 2000): 135–52. A version in English appears in James Conant and Urszula Zeglen, eds. *Hilary Putnam: Pragmatism and Realism* (London: Routledge, 2002): 128–42.
- 'What Philosophers can Learn from Psychologists (and Vice Versa)'. In Thierry Brander et al., eds. *The Future of Psychology* (Amsterdam: Stichting VSPA Ledenservice, 1999): 21–27.
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- (with C. B. Martin) 'The Ontological Turn'. *Midwest Studies in Philosophy* 23 (1999): 34–60. Translated into Polish as 'Zwrot Ontologiczny' and reprinted in M. Miłkowski and R. Poczobut, eds. *Analytical Metaphysics of Mind (Analityczna Metafizyka Umysłu)* Institute of Philosophy and Sociology Publishing House, 2008.
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- (with C. B. Martin) 'Rules and Powers'. *Philosophical Perspectives* 12 (1998): 283–312.
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- 'Believing Reasonably'. *Noûs* 26 (1992): 47–62.
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- (with Alfred Mele) 'Mental Causes'. *American Philosophical Quarterly* 28 (1991): 61–71.
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- 'Perceptual Experience'. In B. P. McLaughlin, ed. *Dretske and his Critics* (Oxford: Basil Blackwell, 1991): 1–16.
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- ‘Dispositionalism and Mentality’, Centre Interfacultaire en Sciences Affectives, University of Geneva, 19 March 2015.
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- ‘Causal Production’, conference on ‘Causation in Science: Powers, Mechanism, Singularism’, Norwegian University of Life Sciences, Ås, Norway 15–17 September 2014.
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- 'Accidents, Modes, Tropes, and Universals', symposium on 'Metaphysical Fundamentals', University at Buffalo, 25 October 2013.
- 'Take Panpsychism. Please', workshop on 'Panpsychism and Russellian Monism', University of Oslo, 23-24 August 2013.
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- 'The Universe as We Find It', workshop, 'John Heil: *The Universe as We Find It*', the University of Lausanne, 1 May 2013.
- 'Cartesian Transubstantiation', Oxford University 29 April 2013.
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- 'Contingency', Monash University, 1 November 2012.
- 'Causal Relations', Conference on the Metaphysics of Relations, Institute of Philosophy, University of London, 5 October 2012.
- 'The Truth about Modality', York University, Toronto, 19 September 2012.
- 'Modes, Tropes, Tropers, and Real Accidents', Latin American Association of Analytic Philosophy (ALFAn), Buenos Aires, 21 August 2012.
- 'Real Modalities', Tercer Coloquio de Metafísica Analítica, Buenos Aires, 17 August 2012.
- 'Contingency', Department of Philosophy, National Chung-Cheng University, Chin-Yi, Taiwan, 6 June 2012.
- 'Consciousness', National Yang-Ming University, Taipei, Taiwan, 5 June 2012.
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- 'Causing', Institute for Philosophy, National Tsing-Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan, 4 June 2012.

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'Dispositions and Causes', Florida State University, 8 October 2010.

'Causing', Alabama Philosophical Association Keynote Address, 24 September 2010

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'Relations', University of New Mexico, 6 February, 2009.

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- 'Real Tables', Department of Philosophy, Monash University (Melbourne), 29 July 2005.
- 'Real Tables', Department of Philosophy, University of Otago, 27 July 2005.
- 'Language and Thought', Public Lecture, University of Otago, 13 July 2005.
- 'The Hot Hand in Basketball', Rhodes College, 15 April 2005.
- 'Distinguishing the Senses' presented at a conference on 'Individuating the Senses', University of Glasgow, 4-5 December 2004.
- 'Senses', Washington University, St Louis (15 October 2004).
- 'Levels of Reality', St Louis University, 13 October 2004.
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- 'Zombie Ontology', Royal Institute of Philosophy Lecture, Durham University, 29 April 2004.
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- 'Truth Making and Entailment', University of New South Wales, Sydney, May 2001.
- 'Are there Levels of Reality?' University of Canterbury, Christchurch, NZ, May 2001.
- 'Levels of Reality', University of Otago, Dunedin, NZ, May 2001.
- 'Truth Making', University of Auckland, Auckland, NZ, May 2001.
- 'Properties and Powers', LaTrobe University, Melbourne, March, 2001.
- 'Levels of Reality', Monash University, Melbourne, March, 2001.
- 'The Reality of Levels of Reality', University of Queensland, February, 2001.
- 'Levels of Reality', Monash University, Melbourne, 17 November 2000.
- 'Levels of Reality and the Reality of Levels', The Australian National University, Canberra, 31 August 2000.
- 'Levels of Reality: The Very Idea', LaTrobe University, Melbourne, 23 August 2000.
- 'Levels of Reality and the Reality of Levels', Greensboro Philosophy Colloquium, 31 March–2 April, 2000.
- 'What Philosophers Can Learn from Psychologists (and Vice Versa)', VSPA Congress on the Future of Psychology, Amsterdam 11-12 November, 1999.
- 'Ontological Issues in the Philosophy of Mind', The University of Virginia, Charlottesville, October, 1999.
- 'Metaphysics and the Philosophy of Mind', Texas Tech University, Lubbock, April 1999.
- 'Metaphysics of Mind: Three Dogmas', Southern Methodist University, Dallas, April 1999.
- 'Functionalism and Levels of Being', Texas A & M University, College Station, April 1999.
- 'How Functionalism got us into the Mess We are In', University of Georgia, Athens, April, 1999.
- 'Metaphysics of Mind', Presidential Address, North Carolina Philosophical Society, 13 February 1999, Wake Forest University.
- 'Functionalism, Realism, and Levels of Being', University of Mississippi, Oxford, October 1998.
- 'Predicates, Properties, and Levels of Being', University of Memphis, Memphis, October 1998.
- 'Functionalism, Realism, and Levels of Being', delivered at a conference on 'American Pragmatism: A Conference Honoring Hilary Putnam's Philosophy', Nicholas Copernicus University, Toruń, Poland, September, 1998.
- 'Rules and Powers', Trinity University, San Antonio, April 1998.
- 'Multiple Realizability', University of Texas, Austin, April, 1998.
- 'Multiple Realizability', Triangle Unethical Society, June 1997.
- 'The Hot Hand in Basketball and Other Cognitive Illusions', Washington and Lee University, Lexington, VA, May, 1997.
- 'Multiple Realizability', East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, April, 1997.

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- 'The Philosophy of Mind: How I See It', Ohio University, Athens, OH, October, 1996.
- 'Rules and Powers', University of Keele, Keele, UK, May 1996.
- 'Rules and Powers', Wake Forest College, Winston Salem, NC, 29 March 1996.
- 'Dispositions', Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN, April 1996.
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- 'Skepticism', Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, 29 October 1995.
- 'Skepticism and Realism', College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, MA, 28 October 1995.
- 'Skepticism and Realism', University of Leeds, Leeds, UK, 18 May 1995.
- 'Skepticism', Cambridge University, Cambridge, UK, 28 May 1995.
- 'Skepticism', University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, 18 November 1994.
- 'Skepticism', Duke University, Durham, NC, 28 October 1994.
- 'Thought and Language', University of Glasgow, Glasgow, Scotland, 16 May 1994.
- 'Skepticism', Invited paper, Scots Philosophical Club, St. Andrews, Scotland, 21 May 1994.
- 'Thought and Language', Durham University, Durham, England, 23 May 1994.
- 'Thought and Language', University of Reading, Reading, England, 24 May 1994.
- 'Talk and Thought', University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, 8 April 1994.
- 'Language and Thought', University of California, Berkeley, CA, 29 April 1994.
- 'Connectionism and the Philosophy of Mind', Rhodes University, Grahamstown, S.A., 19 October 1993.
- 'Skepticism and Semantics', Spring Philosophy Colloquium, Grabouw, South Africa, 17 October 1993.
- 'Thought and Language', University of Cape Town, Cape Town, South Africa, 4 October 1993. (Given as well at Rhodes University, Grahamstown, S.A., 18 October 1993, and at the University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, S.A., 22 October 1993.)
- 'Mental Causation', University of Cape Town, Cape Town, South Africa, 11 October 1993. (Given as well at the University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, S.A., 23 October 1993.)
- 'Is Supervenience Trivial', North Carolina Philosophical Society, Charlotte, NC, February, 1993.
- 'Reasonable Belief', discussion of Eugene Mills's 'The Unity of Justification', Virginia Philosophical Association, Blacksburg, Virginia, October 1992.
- 'Language and Thought', The University of St. Andrews, Scotland, May, 1992.
- 'Language and Thought', University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, April, 1992.

- 'Mental Causation', University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, April, 1992.
- 'Talk and Thought', University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, April, 1992.
- 'Externalism and Privileged Access', Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Memphis, April, 1992.
- 'Externalism and Privileged Access', North Carolina Philosophical Society, Elon College, February, 1992.
- 'Uses of Power', discussion of C. B. Martin's 'What's Imagistic about Verbal Imagery and Why Does it Matter?' conference on 'Perspectives on Mind', Washington University, St. Louis, December, 1991.
- 'The Hot Hand in Basketball and Other Cognitive Illusions', philosophy colloquium, Virginia Commonwealth University, November, 1991.
- 'Talk and Thought', philosophy colloquium, St. Andrews College, October, 1991.
- 'The Hot Hand in Basketball and Other Cognitive Illusions', Seamon Lecture, University of Idaho, April, 1991.
- 'Mental Causation', University of Idaho/Washington State University joint colloquium, April, 1991.
- 'Going Global', discussion of John Post's 'Supervenience, Reduction, and Intentionality', Central States Philosophical Association/Illinois Philosophical Association, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville, November, 1990.
- 'Davidson on Irrationality', University of Toledo, April, 1990.
- 'The Hot Hand in Basketball and Other Cognitive Illusions', Hampden-Sydney College, April, 1990.
- 'Talk and Thought', Cognitive Science Colloquium, Lehigh University, March, 1990.
- 'Believing Reasonably', Philosophy Colloquium, University of Oklahoma, Norman, February, 1990.
- 'Harwood on Weakness of Will', commentary on a colloquium paper, 'For an Amoral Dispositional Conception of Weakness of Will', by Sterling Harwood, Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology (Louisville, April, 1990).
- 'Mental Causation', Philosophy Colloquium, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, February, 1990.
- 'Talk and Thought', Philosophy Colloquium, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, December, 1989.
- 'The Hot Hand in Basketball and Other Cognitive Illusions', Philosophy Club, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, December, 1989.
- 'Agency, Causality, and Content', Fourteenth International Wittgenstein Symposium, Kirchberg-am-Wechsel, August, 1989.
- 'Believing Reasonably', Philosophy Colloquium, East Carolina University, Greenville, September, 1988.
- 'Intentionality, Reality, and Rationality', three Hoernle lectures, Department of Philosophy, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa, July–August, 1988.

Four lectures on topics in rationality and philosophy of mind, Department of Philosophy, University of Cape Town, Cape Town, South Africa, August, 1988.

'Being Indiscrete', discussion of Steven Stich, 'Connectionism and the Future of Folk Psychology', for a conference on 'The Future of Folk Psychology', The University of North Carolina, Greensboro, April, 1988.

'Anti-Realism and the Mental', North Carolina Philosophical Society, University of North Carolina, Greensboro, March, 1988.

'Talk and Thought', Department of Philosophy, University of Wyoming, Laramie, November, 1987.

'Andy Rooney Meets Cognitive Science', invited address, Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Atlanta, April, 1987.

'When Are Beliefs Reasonable?' Cognition Colloquium, Department of Psychology, University of California, Berkeley, February, 1987.

'Practical and Epistemic Rationality', Department of Philosophy, University of Rochester, Rochester, November, 1986.

'Believing Reasonably', Theory of Knowledge Institute colloquium presentation, University of Colorado, Boulder, August, 1986.

Commentator on Neil Tennant's 'Philosophy and Biology: One-Sided Encroachment or Mutual Enrichment?' Conference on 'Philosophy and Science: The End of Autonomy', University of Virginia, Charlottesville, April, 1986.

'The Molyneux Question', Washington Wittgenstein Circle, Washington, March, 1986.

'Realism Within the Limits of Reason Alone', Davidson College, Davidson, March, 1986.

'Formalism and Psychological Explanation', Virginia Philosophical Association, Williamsburg, October, 1985.

'The Challenge of Formalism', invited symposium contribution, American Psychological Association, Div. 24 (Theoretical and Philosophical), Los Angeles, August, 1985.

'Are We Brains in a Vat? Top Philosopher says, 'No'', Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, New Orleans, April, 1985.

'The Molyneux Question' and 'Does Psychology Presuppose Rationality', invited addresses, University of Alabama in Birmingham, Birmingham, November, 1984.

Commentator on Alexander Rosenberg, 'Davidson's 'Unintended' Attack on Psychology', Davidson Conference, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, May, 1984.

'Rationality and Psychological Explanation', invited symposium paper, Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Columbia, April, 1984.

'Rationality and Psychological Explanation', invited address, Department of Philosophy, East Carolina University, Greenville, spring, 1984.

'Believing What One Ought', Virginia Philosophical Association (Richmond, October, 1983).

'Half-baked Belief', Graduate Colloquium, Department of Philosophy, University of California, Berkeley, November, 1982.

'Sensory Modalities', Cognitive Science Colloquium, University of California, Berkeley, June, 1982.

'Doxastic Incontinence', Sonoma State University Conference on Action and Responsibility, Rohnert Park, April, 1982.

'Language and Thought', Cognition Colloquium, Department of Psychology, University of California, Berkeley, January, 1982.

'Distinguishing the Senses', Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Louisville, April, 1981.

'Making Sense of the Senses', Virginia Philosophical Association, Roanoke, October, 1980.

'Language and Thought', Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Birmingham, April, 1980.

'The Misrepresentation of Representation', Department Colloquium, Department of Psychology, Cornell University, Ithaca, January, 1979.

'Philosophy and Cognitive Psychology', Department of Education, Cornell University, Ithaca, November, 1978.

'Wittgenstein's Argument for Simple Objects', Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Orlando, April, 1978.

'*Tractatus* 2.0211–2.0212', Second International Wittgenstein Symposium, Kirchberg-am-Wechsel, Austria, August, 1977.

- SYMPOSIA AND COLLOQUIA CHAIRED

'Truth-Making and Difference-Making', David Lewis (C. B. Martin respondent) Chapel Hill Colloquium in Philosophy, October 1999.

APA Colloquium, 'Self Knowledge' (Lisa Hall and Gary Ebbs), Chicago, May, 1998.

'Skepticism', Ernest Sosa (Peter Klein respondent) Chapel Hill Colloquium in Philosophy, October 1997.

APA Colloquium, 'Philosophy of Mind' (Dan Lloyd, Jay Atlas, Adam Vinueza, Danielle MacBeth), Berkeley, March, 1997.

APA Colloquium, 'Kim on Emergentism: Dead Again?' (James Fehey, Michael Zenzen, and Terence Horgan), New York, December, 1995.

APA Symposium, 'Epistemology and the Understanding of Language', (Ernest LePore, Donald Davidson, and Stephen Schiffer), San Francisco, March 1995. APA Colloquium, 'Understanding the Phenomenal Mind' (Robert Van Gulick and Joseph Levine), New York, December, 1991.

APA Symposium, 'Philosophy of Mind' (Anthony Bruckner and Richard Foley; David Braun and Corey Washington), San Francisco, March, 1991.

APA Colloquium, 'Connectionism, GOFAI, and Psychological Explanation' (Don Ross and Joseph Levine), Atlanta, December, 1989.

Fourteenth International Wittgenstein Symposium, 'Wittgenstein's New Approach to the Philosophy of Language' (E. A. Panove, A. Papi, P. Poljakov, and B. Gesang), Kirchberg-am-Wechsel, August, 1989.

Society for Philosophy and Psychology Symposium, 'Folk Psychology' (Terry Horgan, George Graham, and Richard Warner main speakers), Chapel Hill, May, 1988.

APA Symposium, 'Skepticism Old and New' (Julia Annas and Richard Popkin), Eastern Division (New York, December, 1987).

APA Colloquium, 'Epistemic Virtue', Eastern Division (Boston, December, 1986).

Philosophy of Science Association Symposium, 'Cognitive Models in Philosophy of Science' (Ronald Giere, Paul Thagard, and Ryan Tweney) Pittsburgh, October, 1986.

APA Symposium, 'Semantics Naturalized' (Richard Grandy, Terry Horgan, and Gregory Murphy), Central Division (St. Louis, April, 1986).

APA Symposium, 'Rationality, Action, and Meaning' (Alfred Mele, Paul Weirich, and Irwin Goldstein), Pacific Division (Los Angeles, March, 1986).

APA Symposium, 'Emotions' (Jerome Neu, David Sachs, and Robert Solomon), Pacific Division (San Francisco, March, 1985).

APA Colloquium, 'Recursive Behaviorism', Eastern Division (New York, December, 1984).

APA Colloquium, 'Necessity, Certainty, and the A Priori', Western Division (Cincinnati, April, 1984).

APA Colloquium, 'Conclusive Reasons', Eastern Division (Baltimore, December, 1982).

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- AUSTRALIAN-AMERICAN FULBRIGHT COMMISSION

Fulbright Scholar Award January–April 2020, Monash University

- JOHN SIMON GUGGENHEIM MEMORIAL FOUNDATION

1918-19 Fellowship for work on a monograph, *Appearance in Reality*.

- DURHAM UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED STUDY

Fellowship for participation in the 'Emergence' project, Epiphany term 2015, Durham University.

- AUSTRALIAN RESEARCH COUNCIL

Participating member of the 'Mindful Things' project, an ARC Innovative Project for 2002, investigating conceptions of the mind in different eras and in different cultures. Dirk Baltzy and Monima Chadha, principle investigators.

- NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF MENTAL HEALTH

National Research Service Award (two-year award), for study and research on conceptual issues in psychology, Department of Psychology, University of California, Berkeley, CA, 1981–83.

- AMERICAN COUNCIL OF LEARNED SOCIETIES

Study Fellowship (one-year), for study and research in psychology and philosophy, Department of Psychology, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, 1978–79.

- NATIONAL HUMANITIES CENTER

Fellowship for work on a manuscript in the philosophy of mind; 1996–97.

- NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES

Director, NEH Summer Seminar, 'Metaphysics and Mind', Washington University, Summer 2013.

Fellowship for University Teachers, for work on a monograph in the metaphysics ('The Ontological Turn'); 2011–12.

Director, NEH Summer Seminar, 'Metaphysics and Mind', Washington University, Summer 2009.

Director, NEH Summer Seminar, 'Mind and Metaphysics', Washington University, Summer 2006.

Director, NEH Summer Seminar, 'Metaphysics of Mind', Cornell University, Summer 1996.

Fellowship for College Teachers, for work on a manuscript in the philosophy of mind, University of California, Berkeley, 1993–94.

Summer Stipend for work on mental causation, summer, 1991.

Summer Seminar Grant, for work on supervenience; director: Jaegwon Kim, Brown University, Providence, RI, summer, 1990.

Fellowship for College Teachers, for work on a manuscript concerned with rationality; Department of Psychology, University of California, Berkeley, 1996–1997.

Summer Institute in the Theory of Knowledge; directors: Keith Lehrer and Alvin Goldman; University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, summer, 1986.

Summer Seminar Grant, for work in rationality and inductive reasoning; director: Henry Kyburg, Department of Philosophy, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, summer, 1984.

Summer Seminar Grant, for work in epistemology; director: Robert Audi, Department of Philosophy, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE, summer, 1981.

Summer Stipend, for research in perception, Department of Psychology, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, summer, 1980.

Summer Seminar Grant, for work in action theory; director: Bruce Aune, Department of Philosophy, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA, summer, 1977.

Summer Seminar Grant, for work in Wittgenstein; director: Norman Malcolm, Department of Philosophy, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, summer, 1974.

Summer Stipend, for research in logic and linguistics, Lynchburg, VA, summer, 1972.

- NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Grant for participation in institute on educational computer usage, Lynchburg, VA, spring, 1972.

- SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES RESEARCH COUNCIL OF CANADA

Collaborator (with C. B. Martin, University of Calgary) Neuroscience and the Philosophy of Mind, 1996.

- VIRGINIA COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITY FACULTY AWARD

Support for revision of book manuscript concerned with issues in perception and the philosophy of psychology, summer, 1981.

- DAVIDSON COLLEGE FACULTY GRANTS

Research in metaphysics and ontology 2000–01.

Computer Software, 1998.

Support for research travel, 1996.

Computer hardware and software, 1995.

Computer hardware and software, 1993–94.

Computer software, 1991.

For participation in the Fourteenth International Wittgenstein Symposium, Kirchberg-am-Wechsel, Austria, August, 1989.

For research, Oxford University, Summer, 1988.

- FORD HUMANITIES GRANTS (ADMINISTERED BY HOME INSTITUTION)

For participation at Second International Wittgenstein Symposium, Kirchberg-am-Wechsel, Austria, August, 1977.

For revision of book manuscript concerned with logic and linguistic theory, summer, 1977.

For participation in National Workshop/Conference on the Teaching of Philosophy, Union College, Schenectady, NY, August, 1976.

For research in philosophy, psychology and linguistics, Cornell University, 1974–75.

For travel and study (the British Enlightenment) in Britain, summer, 1973.

For study in linguistics and the philosophy of language, S. U. N. Y., Buffalo, summer, 1971.

For study in linguistics and the philosophy of language, Ohio State University, summer, 1970.

For dissertation research, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN, summer, 1969.

- SLOAN FOUNDATION GRANTS (ADMINISTERED BY HOME INSTITUTION)

For research in the philosophy of mind, University of California, Berkeley, fall term, 1987.

For research on reasoning, rationality, and techniques aimed at improving reasoning, Davidson College, Summer, 1989.

- FACULTY RESEARCH GRANT (ADMINISTERED BY HOME INSTITUTION)

For research in metaphysics and philosophy of mind, Washington University in St Louis, summer, 2007.

EDITORIAL BOARDS

American Philosophical Quarterly
Behavior and Philosophy
Brain and Mind
Eide Foundations of Ontology book series (de Gruyter)
Journal of the American Philosophical Association
Metaphysica
Philosophy and Phenomenological Research
Philosophical Psychology
Philosophical Quarterly

REFEREEING

• BOOKS AND JOURNALS

Referee for Brown, Cambridge, Columbia, Cornell, Harvard, and Princeton University Presses, for the University of California Press, for Blackwell Publishers, Bradford Books/M.I.T. Press, Jones and Bartlett, Open Court, Rowman and Littlefield, Polity Press, Rutledge, Westview, and for the *American Journal of Psychology*, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *American Philosophical Quarterly*, *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, *Behaviorism*, *British Journal for the Philosophy of Science*, *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*, *Dialectica*, *Dialogue*, *Erkenntnis*, *European Journal of Philosophy*, *International Journal of Philosophical Studies*, *Journal for the Theory of Social Behaviour*, *Journal of Mind and Behavior*, *Journal of Philosophical Research*, *Minds and Machines*, *Mind and Language*, *New Ideas in Psychology*, *Nous*, *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly*, *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*, *Philosophy of Science*, *Philosophy of the Social Sciences*, *Philosophical Papers*, *Philosophical Psychology*, *Philosophical Review*, *Philosophical Studies*, *Synthese*.

• OUTSIDE REFEREE FOR TENURE AND PROMOTION

Numerous cases.

• BA, MA, AND PHD THESES (SUPERVISOR OR EXAMINING COMMITTEE MEMBER)

Numerous cases.

• OUTSIDE DEPARTMENTAL EVALUATOR

Gallaudet University
 Bowdoin College
 Wake Forest University (twice)
 Franklin and Marshall College
 University of Delaware
 Smith College
 University of North Carolina Greensboro
 York University (Toronto)

- REFEREE: GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

ACLS

AHRC (Great Britain)

Alexander von Humboldt Foundation

American Academy of Arts & Sciences

American Philosophical Society

Bloomsbury Press

British Academy

Croatian National Science Foundation

European Research Council

Fonds National de la Recherche (Luxembourg)

FWO (Belgium)

John Simon Guggenheim Foundation

Israel Science Foundation

National Science Foundation

National Endowment for the Humanities

National Humanities Center

Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study

NSC (Taiwan)

The Royal Academy

The Royal Society

Alfred P. Sloan Foundation

Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada

SSHRC (Canada)

Swiss National Science Foundation