# Curriculum Vitae

# Beata STAWARSKA

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| University of Oregon |
| Department of Philosophy |
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Employment

* University of Oregon, Professor of Philosophy, 2015-present (Associate 2009-15; Assistant 2003-09)
* National University, San Diego CA, 2001–2003

Academic Degree (highest):

* **Ph.D.** in Philosophy, University of Louvain (Belgium) 2000.

Areas of Specialization

Contemporary European Philosophy (esp. phenomenology and post-structuralism); Feminist Philosophy (esp. feminist phenomenology); Africana Philosophy; Philosophical Psychology; Philosophy of Language.

Areas of Competence

History of Philosophy (early Modern).

Books

* *Saussure’s Linguistics, Structuralism, and Phenomenology*. Palgrave Macmillan, 2020.
* Interview in New Books in Philosophy [https://newbooksnetwork.com/category/politics-society/philosophy/](https://newbooksnetwork.com/beata-stawarska-saussures-linguistics-structuralism-and-phenomenology-the-course-in-general-linguistics-after-a-century-palgrave-macmillan-2020/)
* Reviewed in: *Phenomenological Reviews.*
* *Saussure’s Philosophy of Language as Phenomenology. Undoing the Doctrine of the* Course in General Linguistics. Oxford UP, January 15, 2015 (330 pp. ms).

- Reviewed in: *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*; *Human Studies*; *Phenomenological Reviews*; Canadian Society for Continental Philosophy; Rivista Italiana di Filosofia del Linguaggio; *Psychology of Language and Communication*.

* *Between You and I. Dialogical Phenomenology,* Ohio UP, October 2009, 200pp.

- Reviewed in *Journal of Consciousness Studies*

Articles and Book Chapters

* Fanon on Language. *Palgrave Handbook on Frantz Fanon* (in preparation).
* Ontology in Black? Ontological Resistance in Fanon and Senghor. Special Edition on ‘Racialized Phenomenologies of Embodiment, Place, and Time’. Ed. H. Ngo and B. Kent. *Puncta: Journal of Critical Phenomenology* (under review).
* Revolutions in Early Kristeva. *Revolt, Politics, Psychoanalysis: New Directions in Kristeva Studies*. Ed. E. Angelova and E. Paquette. SUNY Press, 2026.
* Vulnerability and Violence: Transgressing the Gender Binary. In *Purple Brains*, Ed. A. Dufourq and A. Halsema. Radboud UP, Spring 2024.
* Black Speaking Subjects. Frantz Fanon’s Immanent Critique of Maurice Merleau-Ponty’s Phenomenology of Language, *Hel* (*Histoire, Epistémologie, Langage/*History, Epistemology, Language) (co-authored with A. Ring), 2023, pp. 65-86.
* Linguistic Creativity. *Language and Semiotic Studies*, Vol. 8, no. 1, special issue ‘Ferdinand de Saussure in Contemporary Semiotics’, co-ed. B. Sorenson and T. Thellefsen, 2022.
* Post-Structuralism and Phenomenology. *Encyclopedia of Phenomenology*, ed. T. Toadvine and N. de Warren, Springer (forthcoming).
* Struggle and Violence. Entering the Dialectic with Frantz Fanon and Simone de Beauvoir. *Violence, Slavery, and Freedom: Between Hegel and Fanon*. Ed. Ph. Van Haute and U. Kistner, Wits UP (8/2020).
* Subject and Structure in Feminist Phenomenology: Re-reading Beauvoir with Butler. *Emerging Trends in Feminist Phenomenology.* Ed. Sarah Cohen Shabot and Christy Landry. Rowman & Littlefield, 2018.
* Unhappy Speech, and Hearing Well. Contributions of Feminist Speech Act Theory to Feminist Phenomenology. *Future Directions of Feminist Phenomenology*, Ed. Helen Fielding and Dorothea Olkowski. Indiana UP (October 2017).
* Strukturalismus (Structuralism). *Husserl Handbuch. Leben - Werk – Wirkung*. Ed. Maren Wehrle and Sebastian Luft. Stuttgart, Germany: Metzler-Verlag (2017).
* Linguistic Encounters: The Performativity of Active Listening*. Body/Self/Other: The Phenomenology of Social Encounters.* Ed. Luna Dolezal and Danielle Petherbridge, SUNY Press 2017, pp. 185-208.
* Language as *Poeisis*. Linguistic Productivity and Forms of Resistance in Kristeva and Saussure. *New Forms of Revolt: Kristeva's Intimate Politics.* Ed. Rebecca Tuvel, and Sarah Hansen. SUNY Press 2017a, pp. 129-153.
* Ghostwriting: the Inception and the Reception of the *Course in General Linguistics* as Saussure’s work. *Semiotica.* Special Issue: 100 Years of the *Course in General Linguistics*; Guest-edited by Russell Daylight (2017). **doi:** [10.1515/sem-2016-0042](https://doi.org/10.1515/sem-2016-0042)
* Primacy of I–you connectedness revisited: some implications for AI and robotics. *AI & Society* (2017). doi:10.1007/s00146-017-0695-6
* Speaking Subjects. Towards a Rapprochement between Phenomenology and Structural Linguistics. *Metodo: International Studies in Phenomenology and Philosophy.* Special Issue:Phenomenology and Linguistics; Guest-edited by S. Aurora and P. Flack, 4: 2, 2016.
* Derrida and Saussure on Entrainment and Contamination. Shifting the Paradigm from the *Course* to the *Nachlass*. *Continental Philosophy Review.* 48.3 (Sep 2015): 297-312.
* Strange Life of a Sentence: Saussurean Doctrine and its Discontents. *Philosophy Today*. Vol. 59:2, 2015.
* Ambiguous Future. Comment on Christina Shuess. *Simone de Beauvoir’s Philosophy of Age. Gender, Ethics, and Time*. Ed. Silvia Stoller. De Gruyter, 231-4, March 2014.
* Uncanny Errors, Productive *Contresens*. Merleau-Ponty’s Phenomenological Appropriation of Ferdinand de Saussure’s General Linguistics. *CHIASMI International*, 15,151-165, March 2013.
* Sartre and Husserl’s *Ideen*: Phenomenology and Imagination. *Sartre – Key Concepts*. Ed. Jack Reynolds and Steve Churchill. Acumen Press, 12-31, 2013.
* Mutual Gaze and Intersubjectivity. *Handbook of Phenomenology and Cognitive Science.* Ed. Daniel Schmicking and Shaun Gallagher. Springer, 2010, pp. 269-282.
* Dialogue at the Limit of Phenomenology. *CHIASMI International*, 11, 145-156, December 2009.
* Merleau-Ponty and Sartre in Response to Cognitive Studies of Intersubjectivity. *Philosophy Compass,* 4: 2, March 2009, 312-328.
* Merleau-Ponty and Psychoanalysis. *Merleau-Ponty – Key Concepts*. Ed. Rosalyn Diprose and Jack Reynolds. Acumen Press, June 30, 2008, 57-69.
* *Feeling* Good Vibrations in Dialogical Relations. *Continental Philosophy Review*, vol. 41, no. 2, 2008, pp. 217-236.
* *You* and *I*, *Here* and *Now*. Spatial and Social Situatedness in Deixis. *International Journal of Philosophical Studies*, vol. 16, no. 4, 2008, pp. 399-418
* Seeing Faces. Sartre and Imitation Studies. *Sartre Studies International*, vol. 13, no. 2, 2007, pp. 27-46.
* Persons, Pronouns, and Perspectives. Linguistic and Developmental Contributions to Dialogical Phenomenology. *Folk Psychology Reassessed*. Ed. Matthew Ratcliffe and Jonathan Hutto. Springer, 2007, pp. 79-99.
* Anonymity and Sociality. The Convergence of Psychological and Philosophical Currents in Merleau-Ponty’s Ontological Theory of Intersubjectivity. *Merleau-Ponty. Critical Assessments of Leading Philosophers*, 4 vol. set. Ed. Ted Toadvine. Routledge, 2006 (reprint).
* Mutual Gaze and Social Cognition. *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*, Vol. 5.2, pp. 17-30, 2006.
* From the Body Proper to Flesh: Merleau-Ponty on Intersubjectivity. *Feminist Interpretations of Merleau-Ponty*. (*Feminists Read* *the Canon* Series, ed. Nancy Tuana). Ed. Dorothea Olkowski and Gail Weiss. Penn State University Press, 2006, pp. 91-106.
* Defining Imagination. Sartre between Janet and Husserl. *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*, Vol. 4.2, 2005, pp. 133-153.
* Philosopher and Dispassionate Scientist. *Dialogue and Universalism*, Vol. 15, no. 1-2, 2005, pp. 59-70.
* Anonymity and Sociality. The Convergence of Psychological and Philosophical Currents in Merleau-Ponty’s Ontological Theory of Intersubjectivity. *CHIASMI International*, vol. 5, 2004, pp. 295-309.
* The Body, the Mirror and the Other in Merleau-Ponty and Sartre. *Ipseity and Alterity: Interdisciplinary Approaches to Intersubjectivity*. Editors: Shaun Gallagher and Stephen Watson. Rouen: Presses Universitaires de Rouen, 2004, pp. 175-186.
* Worlds Apart? Sartre’s and Merleau-Ponty’s Transition from Transcendental to Ontological Perspective on the Nature of the World. *Does the World Exist?* Editor: A. T. Tymieniecka. *Analecta Husserliana*,vol. 79, pp. 239-258, 2004.
* Facial Embodiment in ‘Invisible’ Imitation. *Embodiment and Awareness: Perspectives from Phenomenology and Cognitive Science*, special edition of *Theoria et Historia Scientiarum: International Journal for Interdisciplinary Studies*, Vol. 7, N° 1, 2003, pp. 139-162.
* Merleau-Ponty in Dialogue with the Cognitive Sciences in Light of Recent Imitation Research. *Philosophy Today*, 2003, pp. 89-99.
* Memory and Subjectivity: Sartre in Dialogue with Husserl. *Sartre Studies International*,   
  Vol. 8, N° 2, 94-111, 2002.
* Reversibility and Intersubjectivity in Merleau-Ponty’s Ontology. *Journal of the British Society for Phenomenology*, Vol. 33, N° 2, 155-166, 2002.
* Pictorial Representation or Subjective Scenario? Sartre on Imagination. *Sartre Studies International*, Vol. 7, N° 2, 2001, pp. 87-111.

Editorial Introductions / Guest-edited Special Issues of Journals

* ‘Merleau-Ponty and Structuralism’ (with Patrick Flack). Special Issue for *Acta Structuralica,* 2018.
* ‘Concepts and Methods in Interdisciplinary Feminist Phenomenology’ (with Eva Simms). Special Edition on Feminist Phenomenology. *Janus Head: Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies in Literature, Continental Philosophy, Phenomenological Psychology, and the Arts*. Vol. 13, 1, pp. 6-16, 2013.
* ‘Intersubjectivity and Embodiment’. Special Edition on Intersubjectivity and Embodiment. *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*, Vol. 5.2, pp. 1-3, 2006.

Book Reviews

* Review article: Johanna Oksala’s *Feminist Experiences: Foucauldian and Phenomenological Investigations*. *Puncta: Journal of Critical Phenomenology*, 2019.
* Review of Susan Bredlau’s *The Other in Perception: A Phenomenological Account of Our Experience of Other Persons*, *Hypatia Reviews Online*, 2019.
* Review of Stephen Priest’s *The Subject in Question. Sartre’s Critique of Husserl in the Transcendence of the Ego*. *Sartre Studies International*, vol. 9 (2), pp. 84-87.

**Translations**

* English–Polish: Shaun Gallagher and Francisco Varela, Redrawing the Map and Resetting the Time: Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences. *Studies in Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences* (in Polish). Adam Marszalek Press. Ed. Shaun Gallagher and Tomasz Komendzinski.
* French–English: Jean-Luc Marion, *L’événement, le phénomène et le révélé*; “The Event, the Phenomenon and the Revealed.” *Transcendence in Philosophy and Religion*. University of Indiana Press, 2003, 87-105. Editor: James E. Faulconer.

Conference Proceedings

* The Communicative Use of the Face. *Glimpse: The Proceedings of the Society for Phenomenology and Media*, Vol. 4, 2002.
* Sartre on the Gaze and Surveillance Devices. *Glimpse: The Proceedings of the Society for Phenomenology and Media*, Vol. 3, N° 1, 2001, pp. 29–32.
* The Self, the Other, the Self as An/other. A Reading of Early Sartre. *Proceedings of the 20th World Congress of Philosophy*, 1999.

Fellowships/Awards/Honorary Memberships

* 2024-25 Oregon Humanities Center (OHC) Moll Faculty Research Fellowship in Literary Studies.
* 2022-23 OHC Faculty Fellowship alternate.
* 2020-21 Oregon Humanities Center (OHC) Wulf Professor in the Humanities.
* Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced Studies (STIAS) Fellowship, South Africa, Jan. – June, 2020.
* U. of Oregon (UO) 2017-18 Faculty Excellence Award ($20K).
* Institute of Advanced Studies at Nantes, France, Residential Fellowship, October 2017-June 2018.
* Center for Advanced Study Academia Fellowship for International Scholars, Oct. 2017-Feb. 2018, Sofia, Bulgaria (declined).
* Honorary Member of *Le cercle Ferdinand de Saussure*, France, 2016-present.
* UO Center for the Study of Women in Society (CSWS)/Feminist RIG Basic Support Grant, 2012.
* UO College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) Program Grant, 2013.
* Humboldt Foundation Fellowship for Experienced Researchers, University of Heidelberg, Germany, October 2009-June 2011.
* Larry Lokey Science and the Human Condition Fund, 2009
* Junior Professorship Development Fund, UO CAS, 2008.
* University of Louvain Research Council Junior Post-Doctoral Fellowship, 2001/02; 2002/03
* Flemish Educational Fund (VL) Post-doctoral Conference Stipend, 2000; 2001; 2001; 2002
* Brigham Young University Translation Stipend, 2001
* University of Louvain Research Council Doctoral Fellowship, 1998/99
* Soros Scholarship, 1997/98
* Hermann-Lina Reinle-Suter Foundation in Phenomenology Fellowship, 1996/97

Conference Presentations / Invited Lectures /Keynotes

* **Keynote address.** Phenomenology and Marxism conference, 2/2026, Padova U., Italy.
* **Keynote address.** Gendered and Racialized Asymmetries with Beauvoir and Fanon. Phenomenology and Psychoanalysis conference. University of Jyväskylä, Finland, March 4-6, 2026.
* De Anima: Senghor’s Vitalism and Serer Animism. Work-in-Progress Presentation, Oregon Humanities Center, 11/2024.
* Revolutions in Kristeva’s Early Work. **Plenary talk** at *The Kristeva Circle* Conference, Montreal, Canada, 10/2024.
* Senghor's Force Ontology in Light of the Untranslated Humanistic Writings. *Caribbean Philosophy Association*, Quintana Roo, Mexico, June 2024.
* Black Speaking Subjects. *International Merleau-Ponty Circle* Conference, Melbourne, Australia, 12/2023 (with A. Ring).
* Senghor’s Relational Ontology. *Re-Reading Senghor*, Franklin Humanities Institute, Duke U., 11/ 2023.
* Black Speaking Subjects: Frantz Fanon’s Critique of Coloniality of Language in Maurice Merleau-Ponty’s Phenomenology. GLOSS & Linguistics Department, U. of Oregon, April 2023.
* Fanon on Language and Literature (with A. Ring). *Caribbean Philosophical Association*, Michigan State U., Oct. 2022.
* Saussure’s Linguistics, Structuralism, and Phenomenology; Saussurean Language Theory Revisited Panel, *Modern Language Association* (MLA), January 2021.
* Rethinking the Morality of Violence. STIAS (Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced Studies), SA, June 2, 2020 (online).
* Ambiguity of Violence in Fanon and Beauvoir. Philosophy Department, U. of Stellenbosch, South Africa, April 11, 2020 (invited). Also: Philosophy Department, U. of Johannesburg, SA, May 2020 (postponed due to Covid).
* Ghostwriting or how to make an official doctrine. **Keynote address** at the *Semiotic Society of America*, Portland, OR, October 2019.
* Teaching Fanon about Violence. *Diverse Lineages of Existentialism II*, *The International Simone de Beauvoir Society*, Washington DC, June 2019.
* Martial Morality: Re-imagining Violence with Fanon and Beauvoir. *Resistant Imaginations Conference*, Eugene OR, February 2019.
* Performativity of Active Listening. *World Congress of Philosophy*, Beijing, China, August 13-20, 2018 (in absentia).
* Fanon and Beauvoir: Ethics and Politics of Violence. *The Caribbean Philosophy Association* conference, Dakar, Senegal, June 19-22, 2018.
* Female Bodies in Feminist Phenomenology. *The Forgotten Female Bodies* workshop, University of the Basque Country, San Sebastian, Spain, June 6-8, 2018 (invited).
* The morality of struggle and the ambiguity of violence in Beauvoir and Fanon; Book session on *Saussure’s Philosophy of Language* (Oxford UP, 2015). Radboud University, Holland, May 28-29, 2018 (two invited talks).
* Feminist Phenomenology: a Dialectical View. *Nordic Society for Phenomenology conference*, University of Gdansk, Poland, April 19-21, 2018.
* Subject and Structure in Feminist Phenomenology. *Toward a Phenomenology of Social Change*, Institute of Philosophy, Prague, Check Republic, Nov. 1-3, 2017.
* Famous Formula: Structural Linguistics and Elementary Structures of Kinship in the Academia. Concordia University, Canada, Sept. 29, 2017 (invited).
* Linguistic Encounters: the Performativity of Active Listening. June 24, 2016. Sofia Literary Seminar, Bulgaria (invited).
* Derrida’s Reception of the *Course in General Linguistics*. After a Century, a Plea for a Philosophical Rapprochement. Le *Cours de Linguistique Generale* 1916-2016. Le devenir. Université Sorbonne Nouvelle, Paris, France, June 15-17, 2016 (presentation on June 17).
* The Structuralist Claim to the Course in General Linguistics and a Phenomenological Alternative. Le *Cours de Linguistique Generale* 1916-2016. Le devenir. Université Sorbonne Nouvelle, Paris, France, June 15-17, 2016 (presentation on June 16).
* Language as Poeisis. Linguistic Productivity in Kristeva and Saussure. *PhiloSOPHIA: Society for Continental Feminism* conference. Colorado University, Denver, March 11-12, 2016.
* Unexpected Alliances between Kristeva and Saussure. Sofia Literary Theory Seminar, Sofia University, Bulgaria, June 20, 2015 (invited).
* Mutual Gaze and I-You Connectedness. *Visibility Symposium*, The Mahindra Humanities Center at Harvard University, 27-8 March, 2015 (invited).
* Strange Life of a Sentence. Tel Aviv University, and Haifa University, Israel, 16-17 December 2014 (two invited lectures).
* Saussurean Doctrine and its Discontents. 53rd Annual Meeting of *The Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy* (SPEP) Conference. New Orleans, LN, 23-5 October, 2014.
* Undoing the Doctrine of the *Course in General Linguistics*. The 6th International Conference on *Language, Culture, Mind*. Maria Curie-Sklodowska University in Lublin, Poland, 23-6 June 2014, **plenary speaker**.
* Paragrammatic Semiotics and/or Scientific Semiology. *The Kristeva Circle* Conference, Vanderbilt U., Nashville, TN, March 28-30, 2014.
* I-You Connectedness. Dept. of Philosophy, U. of Memphis, TN, March 27, 2014 (invited).
* Saussurean Doctrine and its Discontents. Talk to the COLT and German/Scandinavian Departments, U. of Oregon, 22 January 2014.
* Feminist Phenomenology and Feminist Speech Act Theory. *New Directions in Feminist Phenomenology* Conference. Western University, London, ON, Canada. Ontario, May 22-25, 2013.
* Cognitive Science, Phenomenology, and Narrative – a pre-conference workshop of the Philosophy and Communication Division, the *National Communication Association* (NCA), Orlando, FL, 15-18 Nov. 2012.
* Saussure, Old and New. The Fifth International Conference on *Language, Culture and Mind*. Catholic University of Portugal, Lisbon, 27-29 June 2012 (plenary speaker/in absentia).
* Strange Life of a Sentence. How Saussure Founded Structuralism from Beyond the Grave. **Keynote address** at the Annual UG Philosophy Conference, UO, May 2012.
* This is not a Book: Sassure’s *Cours de Linguistique Generale*. 3 Nov. 2011, UO Philosophy Department Colloquium Series Talk.
* Language in the Mirror Neuron Research. Department of Neuroscience, U. of Parma, Italy, 4 May 2011 (invited).
* Sociality in the Second Person. Department of Psychology, U. of Portsmouth, UK, 2 March 2011 (invited).
* Sociality as a Dialogical Phenomenon. *Embodiment, Intersubjectivity, Psychopathology.* International Conference at the U. of Heidelberg, Germany, Sept. 30-Oct. 2, 2010 (invited).
* Feminist Phenomenology Panel. *Nordic Society for Phenomenology* (NoSP) Conference, Stockholm, Sweden, April 2010.
* **Mirror Neurons and Language. V International Interdisciplinary Conference, CAT: Cognitivist Autumn in Torun, Poland, April 14-16, 2010.**
* Speech and Gender. Department of Gender Studies, Central European University, Hungary, 25 March 2010 (invited).
* Feminist Philosophy of Language. Symposium on *Contemporary Continental Feminism*. Eastern APA, 27 Dec. 2009.
* I and You. The Duality in Language and Body. *Between Nature and Culture. After the Continental-Analytic Divide. German Studies conference*, U. of Oregon, 1-2 May 2008.
* Response to Christina Schuess. *Age/Aging.* *Beauvoir Centenary* Conference. University of Vienna, Austria, 22-3 February 2008.
* Response to Richard Shusterman and Barbara Formis. Philosophical Collaborations conference on Embodiment, University of Oregon, May 11-12 2007.
* Merleau-Ponty. APA Eastern Division Meeting. Washington D. C. 27-30 December, 2006 (invited).
* Seeing Faces. Sartre and Imitation Studies. *North-American Sartre Society* Conference. NYC. 27-29 October 2006.
* Dialogue at the Limit of Phenomenology. *Merleau-Ponty Circle Conference*. Arlington, VA. 26-28 October, 2006.
* I-You Connectedness. *International Association for Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences* Conference. Durham, UK. 18-20 August, 2006.
* Obsession, Hallucination, and Consciousness. *North American Sartre Society* Conference. San Francisco CA, 18-20 February 2005.
* Beyond Analogy. *International Association for Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences* Conference. Orlando FL. 14-15 January 2005.
* From the Body Proper to Flesh. Merleau-Ponty on Intersubjectivity. *Society for Women in Philosophy* (SWIP) Conference. Eugene, OR. 15-16 November 2004.
* Phenomenological Alternatives to Theory Theory of Mind. Department of Psychology, University of Oregon, 15 October 2004 (invited).
* Dialogue between Phenomenology and Psychology. Department of Psychology, Seattle University, 30 April 2004 (invited).
* Dialogue between Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences in Light of Recent Imitation Research. *Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy* (SPEP) Annual Conference. Boston, MA. 6-8 November 2003.
* Mutual Gaze and Social Cognition. *The Association for Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences* Conference. Leuven, Belgium. 15-16 September 2003.
* Remembering. Sartre’s Critique of Husserl. The Institute of Philosophy, University College Dublin, 29 November 2002, Dublin, Ireland (invited).
* Phenomenological Perspectives on Neonate Imitation. Center for Subjectivity Research, Copenhagen, Denmark, 19 November 2002. Dan Zahavi, organizer.
* Embodiment and Intersubjectivity. Lessons from Imitation Studies. University of Gent, Belgium, 23 October 2002.
* Imagination in Sartre. *The Society for Phenomenology and Cognitive Science* Conference. London, UK. 22-23 July 2002.
* Feminism and Phenomenology: from Merleau-Ponty to Butler. Department of Philosophy, Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznan, Poland, 28 May 2002.
* Global Flesh and the Communicative Use of the Face. *The Society for Phenomenology and Media* Conference. Puebla, Mexico. 21-24 February 2002.
* Contemporary Perspectives on Gender. National University, Orange County, USA, 14 February 2002.
* Colors of a Woman. Femininity in K. Kieslowski’s *Blue*, *Red* and *White*. Film Forum on Central and Eastern European Film, National University, La Jolla, USA, 16 February 2002.
* Worlds Apart? Sartre’s and Merleau-Ponty’s Transition from Transcendental to Ontological Perspective on the Nature of the World. 51st International Phenomenology Congress. 26-30 June 2001, Rome, Italy.
* Merleau-Ponty: Movement, Vision, Reversibility. Department of Psychology, American International University in London, London, UK, 5 April 2001.
* Sartre’s Other: From the Disembodied Gaze to the Body Machine. The Rhetoric Department, University of Berkeley, 27 February 2001, Berkeley CA, USA.
* Sartre on the Gaze and Surveillance Devices. *The Society for Phenomenology and Media* Conference. La Jolla CA, USA. 22-24 February 2001.
* Body-Subject in Merleau-Ponty. Philosophy and Cognitive Science Department, Canisius College, Buffalo NY, USA, 19 September 2000 (invited).
* Memory and Subjectivity: Sartre in Dialogue with Husserl. *The North-American Sartre Society* Conference. Waterloo ON, Canada, 16-17 September 2000.
* Reversibility and Intersubjectivity. A Critical Reading of Merleau-Ponty’s Ontology.  
  *International Merleau-Ponty Circle* Conference. Washington DC, USA. 14-15 September 2000.
* Flesh and the Body. Has Merleau-Ponty Misinterpreted the Mirror Stage?   
  *International Merleau-Ponty Circle* Conference. Wrexham, Wales, UK, 29 July-1 August 1999.
* The Self, the Other, The Self as An/other. A Reading of Early Sartre. The 20th World Congress of Philosophy. Boston MA, USA, 10-16 August 1998.

Conferences Organized

* The 52nd Annual Meeting of *The Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy* (SPEP) Conference, Eugene, OR, October 24-6, 2013. Local host and co-organizer, with Ted Toadvine.
* The inaugural Institute and Conference of *The Society for Interdisciplinary Feminist Phenomenology* (SIFP). University of Oregon, May 21-23 (institute) and May 24 (public conference), 2008, co-organized with Bonnie Mann.
* *30th International Merleau-Ponty Circle* Conference: *The Child and the Animal*. University of Oregon, September 29 – October 1, 2005, co-organized with Ted Toadvine.
* *The Association for Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences* Conference: *Intersubjectivity and Embodiment*. Louvain, Belgium. 15-16 September 2003. Grant recipient: Fund for Scientific Research – Belgium (Flanders), 2003.

Courses Taught

University of Oregon, 2003 – present:

* PHIL 110 Human Nature
* PHIL 311 History of Modern Philosophy
* PHIL 315 Introduction to Feminist Philosophy
* PHIL 341 African Philosophy
* PHIL 399 Human Nature
* PHIL 350 Metaphysics
* PHIL 405 Independent Reading: Merleau-Ponty and Sartre.
* PHIL 405/605 Independent Reading: Husserl; Derrida; Rosenzweig; Afropessimism.
* PHIL 407 Philosophy of Dialogue
* PHIL 407/507 Psychoanalysis
* PHIL 407/507 Philosophical Psychology
* PHIL 415/515 Continental Philosophy
* PHIL 431 Philosophy of Language
* PHIL 433/533 Author: Berkeley; Descartes and Amo.
* PHIL 443: Feminist Philosophy of Language
* PHIL 458/558 Philosophy of Mind
* PHIL 463/563 Author: Merleau-Ponty; Sartre; Levinas; Freud; Derrida; Irigaray; Kristeva; Fanon.
* PHIL 471H: Honors Thesis Seminar
* PHIL 425: Philosophy of Language
* PHIL 607 The Dialogic Tradition
* PHIL 607: Phenomenology and Structuralism
* PHIL 643 Feminist Phenomenology (with B. Mann)
* PHIL 607: Continental Proseminar
* PHIL 610 Faculty Books Seminar (faculty presenter)
* PHIL 615: Post-Structuralism; African Philosophy
* COLT 607: Continental Theory

University of Heidelberg (Germany), 2010-11

* Empathy, Intersubjectivity, and the Knowledge of Other Minds (with T. Fuchs, and M. Dullstein)

National University, San Diego CA, 2001–2003:

-- American Film in International Context; Gender Identity; Introduction to Philosophy; Film History: American Film.

University of Louvain, Belgium, 1996–2003:

-- Phenomenology; Philosophical Anthropology.

Doctoral Committees

Chair:

in progress: Hawkins, Orlando (with C. Russell).

Completed:

MacLay, Sarah, 2024; Ring, Annie, 2024. TT faculty, U. of Houston Downtown.

Zimmer, Amie, 2021. TT faculty, St. John’s College.

Ferrari, Martina, 2021. TT faculty, Vanderbilt U.

McManaman Tyler (née Grosz), Elisabeth (with M. Unno), 2014. TT faculty, McDaniel College, Westminster, MD.

LaChance Adams, Sarah; 2011. Distinguished Professor of Philosophy & Religious Studies, Director of the Florida Blue Center for Ethics, U. of North Florida (formerly at U. of Windsor).

Jones, Emma, 2011 (with A. Vallega).

--Committee Member:

Maia Wellborn; Fitzpatrick, Devin (2022); Billingsley, Amy (2019); Ibrahimhakkioglu, Fulden (2016); Parzuchowski, Kimberly (2015); Culbertson, Carolyn (2012); Zebrowski, Robin (2009).

--Outside Member:

Ganster, Mary (English); Winter-Messiers, Mary Ann (Psychology; 2013); Lind, Joshua (English; 2013); Andersen, Daniel (Political Science; 2012); Bel-Bahar, Tarik (Psychology, 2008).

**Recent History Papers**

Chair:

Completed: Augie Schiano; Orlando Hawkins, Kirsten Waldkoenig; Maia Wellborn.

Professional Service

* Tenure and Promotion Reviews: Bucknell U.; Kent State U.; Oklahoma State U.; U. of Massachusetts, Boston; Seattle U.; Emory U.; Haifa U, Israel; Michigan Tech U.
* Manuscript Reviewer (articles): *Simone de Beauvoir Studies*; *Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy; Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*; *Continental Philosophy Review*; *Janus Head*; *Environmental Philosophy*; *Body and Society*; *Southern Journal of Philosophy*; *International Journal of Philosophical Studies*; *PhaenEx*; *Philosophy & Rhetoric; Philosophical Psychology; Journal of Consciousness Studies; Kemanusiaan: The Asian Journal of Humanities; Symposium: Canadian Journal of Continental Philosophy*.
* Book Review Editor: *Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*, 2003–2011.
* Manuscript Reviewer (monographs): Bloomington Press; Lexington Books; Polity Press; Psychology Press; Taylor and Francis; *Phaenomenologica* Bookseries, Husserl Archives/Kluwer Academic Publishers; Ohio UP.
* Member of the Editorial Board: *Puncta: Journal of Critical Phenomenology; Phenomenology and Practice; Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences*; *Language Under Discussion; Acta Structuralica*; *The Journal of the Institute for Western Affairs* (Poland).
* Grant reviewer: Dutch Research Council (NWO); Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC); German-Israeli Foundation (GIF) for Scientific Research and Development; Institute for Advanced Studies (IEA), Nantes, France; Volksvagen Foundation, Germany; Research Foundation Flanders (FWO), Belgium.
* General Council for Science and Higher Education Member (Poland).
* Co-founder: Society for Interdisciplinary Feminist Phenomenology (with Bonnie Mann).
* Society for Phenomenology and Media: Member of the Board of Advisors, 2001–2003.

University of Oregon (selected recent):

* Black Studies Steering Committee Member, 2021-present.
* TTRAC faculty member, 2023-24.
* UA Faculty Rep, 2022-23.
* UO Committee on Sexual and Gender-Based Violence Member, 2021-23.
* Affiliated member of WGSS, 2006-present; COLT 2015-present; German and Scandinavian, 2021-present.
* UO Faculty Senate Member 2016-17.
* UO Undergraduate Council (UGC) Member, 2012-15.

UO Department of Philosophy (selected):

* Faculty panelist, the ‘Unexpected Professor’ workshop (TEP and DEI committee), 2025.
* DGS for Advising, 2023-25
* Graduate Studies Committee 2023-25
* Curriculum Committee 2023-25
* GTF Appointment Committee 2023-25
* Diversity Committee Chair, 2022-23
* Graduate Philosophy Club Advisor, 2023-25
* Diversity Advisor, 2021-25
* Promotion Committee Chair, 2019-2020
* Graduate Director and Graduate Studies Committee Chair, 2017-18
* UG Director and Undergraduate Studies Committee Chair, 2011-17
* UG Philosophy Club Advisor, 2011-17
* Colloquium Committee Chair, 2012-13;
* Graduate School Advisor, 2011-13
* Search Committee Chair, 2015-16
* SPEP 2013 Local Organizing Committee Chair

Languages

French, German, and Polish; Spanish (intermediary).