## ERIC WILAND

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## **EDUCATION**

The University of Virginia, Department of Economics, B.A., 1989, Highest Distinction.

The University of Chicago, Department of Philosophy, Ph.D., 1997, Honors.

## **TEACHING APPOINTMENTS**

Lynde and Harry Bradley Visiting Assistant Professor of Philosophy, University Honors Program, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 1997-2000.

Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, University of Missouri-St. Louis, 2000-2006.

Associate Professor, Department of Philosophy, University of Missouri-St. Louis, 2006-2018.

Professor, Department of Philosophy, University of Missouri-St. Louis, 2018-present.

## AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Ethics, Moral Psychology.

## **AREAS OF COMPETENCE**

Social Epistemology, Philosophy of Law, Political Philosophy.

## BOOKS

- 1. Reasons. Continuum Press. 2012.
- 2. *Guided By Voices: Moral Testimony, Advice, and Forging a "We"*. Oxford University Press. 2021.

## ARTICLES

- 1. Is there Ethical Knowledge?, Southwestern Philosophical Review 14:1 (1998), 63-8.
- 2. Personal Identity and Quasi-Responsibility, in *Moral Responsibility and Ontology*, ed. Ton van den Beld, Kluwer Academic Publishers (2000), 77-87.
- 3. A Fallacy in Korsgaard's Argument for Moral Obligation, *The Journal of Value Inquiry* 34:1 (2000), 103-4.
- 4. Unconscious Violinists and the Use of Analogies in Moral Argument, *Journal of Medical Ethics* 26:6 (2000), 466-8.

- 5. Advice and Moral Objectivity, Philosophical Papers 29:1 (2000), 1-19.
- 6. Good Advice and Rational Action, *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research* 60:3, (2000), 561-9.
- 7. Theories of Practical Reason, Metaphilosophy 33:4 (2002), 450-467.
- 8. On the Rationality of Desiring the Forbidden, Analysis 62:4 (2002), 296-9.
- 9. Psychologism, Practical Reason, and the Possibility of Error, *Philosophical Quarterly* 53 (2003), 68-78.
- 10. Stories, Autobiographies, and Moral Inquiry, *Journal of Social Philosophy* 34 (2003), 188-98.
- Some Advice for Moral Psychologists, *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly* 84 (2003), 299-310.
- 12. Trusting Advice and Weakness of Will, Social Theory and Practice 30 (2004), 371-89.
- 13. Monkeys, Typewriters, and Objective Consequentialism, Ratio 18 (2005), 352-60.
- 14. How Indirect can Indirect Utilitarianism Be?, *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research* 74 (2007), 275-301.
- 15. Intentional Action and 'In Order to', *Journal of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology* 27 (2007), 113-8.
- 16. On Indirectly Self-Defeating Moral Theories, *Journal of Moral Philosophy* 5 (2008), 384-393.
- 17. The Ethics of Terror and Torture, *Review Journal of Political Philosophy* 6 (2008), 139-52.
- 18. The Incoherence Objection in Moral Theory. Acta Analytica 25 (2010), 279-284.
- 19. The Limits of Maximization: Actions, Decision Procedures, and Meta-Decision Procedures, *The Polish Journal of Philosophy* 4 (2010).
- 20. Williams on Thick Ethical Concepts and Reasons for Action, in *Thick Concepts* (ed. Simon Kirchin), Oxford University Press (2013).
- 21. In the Beginning was the Doing, Canadian Journal of Philosophy 43 (2013), 303-21.
- 22. Rossian Deontology and the Possibility of Moral Expertise, in *Oxford Studies in Normative Ethics* 4, ed. M. Timmons, Oxford University Press (2015), 159-178.
- 23. Peer Disagreement and the Dunning-Kruger Effect, *Episteme* (2016), 1–18. doi: 10.1017/epi.2016.18.
- 24. Moral Testimony: Going on the Offensive, *Oxford Studies in Metaethics* 12 (2017), 51-75.
- 25. The Problem of Evil and the Grammar of Goodness, Religions 9 (2018).
- 26. Psychologism and Anti-psychologism about Motivating Reasons, in *Oxford Handbook* on *Reasons and Normativity*, ed. D. Star, Oxford University Press (2018).
- 27. Peer Disagreement: Special Cases, Logos & Episteme (2018), 221-226.

- 28. Should Children Have the Right to Vote?, *Palgrave Handbook of Philosophy and Public Policy*, ed. D. Boonin, Palgrave MacMillan (2018), 215-224.
- 29. Moral Advice and Joint Agency, *Oxford Studies in Normative Ethics* 8, ed. M. Timmons, Oxford University Press (2018), 102-123.
- 30. (En)joining Others, *Oxford Studies in Agency and Responsibility* 6, ed. D. Shoemaker, Oxford University Press (2019).
- 31. Irrationality, Charity, and Ambivalence, *The Philosophy and Psychology of Ambivalence*, eds. B. Brogaard & D. E. Gatzia, Routledge (2020), 66-74.
- 32. What is Group Well-Being?, Journal of Ethics and Social Philosophy 21 (2022), 1-23.
- 33. Gertrude Elizabeth Margaret Anscombe, *Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (2022), <u>https://plato.stanford.edu/entries/anscombe/</u>, (co-authored with Julia Driver).
- 34. The True, the Good, and their Fusion, *Practical Truth*, eds. J. Frey & C. Frey, Oxford University Press (forthcoming).

## **EDITED VOLUME**

Special issue of *American Philosophical Quarterly* (2015), co-edited with John Brunero, featuring a selection of papers from the St. Louis Annual Conference on Reasons and Rationality, 2010-2013; papers from Nomy Arpaly & Tim Schroeder, Patricio Fernandez, Anton Ford, Sarah Paul, Mark Schroeder, Paulina Sliwa, and Michael Smith.

#### **BOOK AND ARTICLE REVIEWS**

- 1. Review of Nicholas Smith, Strong Hermeneutics, in Philosophy in Review 19:1, 1999.
- 2. Review of Roger Crisp, Mill on Utilitarianism, in Ethics 109:4, 1999.
- 3. Wiland Reviews Jones, *Brown Electronic Article Review Service* 5, eds. Dreier and Estlund, http://www.brown.edu/Departments/Philosophy/bears/homepage.html, posted July 23, 1999.
- 4. Review of Joseph Hamburger, *John Stuart Mill on Liberty and Control*, in *Ethics* 111:3, 2001, 637-8.
- 5. Review of Russ Shafer-Landau (ed.), *Oxford Studies in Metathics, Vol 3.*, in *Ethics* 120: 202-5.
- 6. Review of Sarah McGrath, Moral Knowledge, in Ethics 131, 2021, 398-402.

### SHORT ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES

- 1. Objective and Subjective Utilitarianism and Indirect Utilitarianism, In James E. Crimmins, ed. *The Bloomsbury Encyclopedia of Utilitarianism* (London & New York: Bloomsbury Academic, 2013).
- 2. Virtue Ethics, Doctrine of Double Effect, Moral Luck, The Experience Machine and Weakness of Will, In *The Continuum Companion to Ethics*, 2011.

- 3. Metaethics and Ethics, In *International Encyclopedia of Ethics*, Routledge (with John Brunero), 2013.
- 4. Reasons for Action, In Routledge Encyclopedia of Philosophy (2015).

# **PROFESSIONAL TALKS**

- 1. The Ins and Outs of Reasons, Mid-South Philosophy Conference, University of Memphis, 1997.
- 2. Advice and the Objectivity of Ethics, Honors Program and the Department of Philosophy, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 1997.
- 3. Is there Ethical Knowledge?, Southwestern Philosophical Society, 1997.
- 4. Personal Identity and Quasi-Responsibility, Moral Responsibility and Ontology Conference, Zeno Institute for Philosophy and The Leiden-Utrecht Research Institute, The Netherlands, 1998.
- 5. Explaining Evil: Why the Metaethicist Should Study the Holocaust, Society for the Philosophic Study of Genocide and the Holocaust, Eastern Meeting, 1998.
- 6. Comment on Michael Ridge's "Why Particularists Cannot Explain Supervenience", American Philosophical Association, Central Division, 1999.
- 7. Advice and Moral Objectivity, Department of Philosophy, University of Missouri–St. Louis, 2000.
- Stories, Histories, and Moral Knowledge, North American Society for Social Philosophy, Eastern Michigan University, 2001. (Also at the Central States Philosophical Association, University of Oklahoma, 1999.)
- 9. Psychologism, Practical Reason, and The Possibility of Error, Central States Philosophical Association, 2001.
- Do as I Want, Not as I Say, American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, 2001. (Also at the 29<sup>th</sup> Conference on Value Inquiry, 2001.)
- 11. Psychologism, Practical Reason, and The Possibility of Error, American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, 2002.
- 12. Comment on Valerie Tiberius's, "Cynicism, Optimism, and the Endorsement of Ends", Central States Philosophical Association, University of Missouri-Columbia, 2002.
- 13. A Refutation of Utilitarianism, Department of Philosophy, Saint Louis University, 2002. (Also at Washington University, 2002; University of Missouri-Columbia, 2003, the American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, 2003, and the Joint Session of the Aristotelian Society and the Mind Association, 2003.)
- 14. Hurray for Heteronomy!: Comment on Travis Butler's, "Trusting Moral Experts", American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, 2002.
- 15. Trusting Advice and Weakness of Will, Philosophers' Forum, University of Missouri-St. Louis, 2004.

- On Some Limits of Trying To Do One's Best, Department of Philosophy, Southern Illinois University—Edwardsville, 2004. (Also at Workshop for Politics, Ethics, and Society, Washington University, 2004.)
- 17. Comment on Tedesco's "Indirect Consequentialism, Suboptimality, and Friendship", American Philosophical Association, Central Division, April 2006.
- 18. Comment on Ben Eggleston and Dale Miller's, "India House Utilitarianism", Central States Philosophical Association, University of Memphis, 2006.
- 19. On Indirectly Self-Defeating Moral Theories, Northwest Philosophy Conference, University of Portland, November 2006.
- 20. The Problem of Evil and the Grammar of Goodness, Baylor Philosophy of Religion Conference, Baylor University, Waco, TX, 2007.
- 21. Intentional Action, and "In Order To", American Philosophical Association, Central Division, 2007.
- 22. On Some Limits of Trying to Do One's Best, Rocky Mountain Ethics Conference, University of Colorado, 2008.
- 23. Feed the Musicians, Soak the Rich, Music and Morality Conference, London, 2009.
- 24. Williams on Thick Concepts and Reasons for Actions, Thick Concepts Conference, University of Kent, Canterbury, England.
- 25. Practical Gettier Problems, Joint Session of the Aristotelian Society and the Mind Association, The University of East Anglia, Norwich, UK, 2009.
- 26. Four Ways to Think about Kinds of Moral Theories, Department of Philosophy Colloquium Series, New School for Social Research, 2010.
- 27. Comments on Driver's Objective Consequentialism, WPES at Washington University, 2011.
- 28. Rethinking the Asymmetry Problem for Moral Expertise, Brackenridge Conference at University of Texas-San Antonio, 2012.
- 29. Getting Real about Trusting Moral Expertise, WPES at Washington University, 2012.
- 30. Belief, Knowledge and the Quaternary Value Problem, European Epistemology Network, Bologna, 2012. (Also at the Joint Sesssion, Stirling, 2012.)
- Rossian Deontology and the Possibility of Moral Expertise, Saint Louis University, 2012. (Also at Arizona Workshop in Normative Ethics, Tucson, 2013).
- 32. In the Beginning was the Doing: The Premises of Practical Reasoning, Rocky Mountain Ethics Conference, University of Colorado, 2013.
- 33. Against Advice. Rocky Mountain Ethics Conference, University of Colorado, 2014.
- Peer Disagreement and the Dunning-Kruger Effect, Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Charleston, 2014. (Also at the APA-Eastern, 2014; SLU Epistemology Workshop 2015).
- 35. Marx, Epistemic Solidarity and Happiness, Kansas Workshop on Well-Being, 2015.

- 36. Moral Testimony: Going on the Offensive, Chapel Hill Metaethics Workshop, 2015. (Also at the St. Louis Ethics Workshop, 2015).
- 37. Comments on Miles Tucker, "Thomson and Goodness: A Defense of Moorean Moral Philosophy", American Philosophical Association, Central Division, 2016.
- 38. Comments on Pamela Hieronymi, "Standpoints and Freedom", Saint Louis University Philosophy Graduate Student Conference, 2016.
- 39. Moral Advice and Joint Agency, Bled Philosophical Conferences, 2016. (Also at the Rocky Mountain Ethics Conference 2016, Arizona Workshop in Normative Ethics 2017, and British Society for Ethical Theory 2017).
- 40. Critic of Lisa Tessman's *Moral Failure*, American Philosophical Association, Central Division, 2017.
- 41. (En)joining Others, New Orleans Workshop on Agency and Responsibility, 2017.
- 42. Advice, Autonomy, and Empowering the Powerless, Virtue and Moral Reasoning under Oppressive Social Conditions Workshop, Concordia University, Montreal, 2018 (invited keynote speaker).
- 43. Comments on Sergio Tenenbaum, "Instrumental Virtues", Normativity and Reasoning VI Workshop, The NYU Abu Dhabi Institute, 2018.
- 44. Comments on Amelia Hicks, "Exculpation and Moral Theories", Chapel Hill Normativity Workshop, 2018.
- 45. The Logic of Collective Well-Being, Kansas Workshop on Well-Being, 2018. (Also at Department of Philosophy, University of Memphis, 2018; St. Louis Ethics Workshop 2019; Rocky Mountain Ethics Conference, 2019; Colgate University, 2019.) [Also titled, "What is Group Well-Being?")
- 46. Comments on Elizabeth Cohen, "Out of Line: The Political and Distributive Salience of Queues, Lines, and Ordered Waiting", Workshop in Politics, Ethics, and Society, Washington University, 2018.
- 47. Comments on Christopher Blake-Turner, "What Basing Might Be", American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, 2019.
- 48. Mince Pie Reasons (invited symposium paper), American Philosophical Association, Central Division, 2019.
- 49. Comments on Valerie Tiberius, "Value-Fulfillment, Ill-Being, and Oppression", Kansas Workshop on Well-Being, 2019.
- 50. Comments on Zak Kopeikin, "Value Invariabilism and Two Distinctions in Value", American Philosophical Association, Central Division, 2020.
- 51. Knowing Well-Being, Rocky Mountain Ethics Conference, 2021. (Also at American Philosophical Association, Central Division, 2022).
- 52. Intensifying Well-Being, Bled Philosophical Conference, 2022 (Also at Edinburgh Workshop on Well-Being, 2022).

- 53. Author-Meets-Critics Session on *Guided by Voices*, American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, 2023.
- 54. "Moral Testimony, First-Person Testimony, and Realism", Invited Symposium Paper, American Philosophical Association, Central Division, 2023.

#### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ASSOCIATIONS (ABRIDGED)**

Outside Examiner, Honors Program, Knox College, 2002.

Referee, Stenner Prize, Washington University (four times).

SLACRR, co-founder and organizer, 2010-present.

SLEW, co-founder and organizer, 2011-present.

APA Central Division Program Committee, 2014.

APA Central Division Nominating Committee, 2017.

APA Central Division Executive Committee Member-At-Large, 2020-present.

Thought, Editorial Panel Member, 2020-present.

APA Virtual Meetings Ad Hoc Committee, Chair, 2022-present.

Referee: Oxford University Press, *Social Theory and Practice, The Journal of Value Inquiry, Ethics, Philosophical Studies, Ethical Theory and Moral Practice,* and many others.

Member: American Philosophical Association, Southwestern Philosophical Society, Central States Philosophical Association, British Society for Ethical Theory, and many others.

## **UMSL SERVICE (ABRIDGED)**

Faculty Senator (multiple terms, not currently)

Director of Graduate Studies (Department), 2006-2012, 2014-2018

Committee on Committees (College), 2006, 2010.

Accreditation Committee (Campus), 2007-8.

UMSL Research Panel (Campus), 2007-2008 and earlier.

UMSL Student Conduct Committee (Campus), 2007-2009.

Consumer Behavior Research Group (Campus), 2010.

5-year review member (Accounting, History, Sociology), various years.

IACUC (Campus), 2012-2015.

Budget and Planning Committee (Campus), 2013-2014, 2018-present.

Director of Undergraduate Studies (Department), 2012-2014, 2018-present.

Provost Search Committee (Campus), 2016

Webmaster (Department), 2016-present. Health Management Planning Group, 2018-2019 Equity Resolution Hearing Panel, 2018-present

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

Echols Scholar, University of Virginia, 1986-89. University Fellowship, University of Chicago, 1990-94. Mellon Foundation Summer Stipend, University of Chicago, 1993. Zallys and Shaw Stipends, University of Chicago, 1994-95. Mellon Foundation Dissertation Fellowship, University of Chicago, 1995-96. University Junior Nominee for NEH Grant, University of Missouri-St. Louis, 2000-01. University of Missouri-St. Louis Research Grant, 2001. Meritorious Service Award, Students with Disabilities Association, University of Missouri-St. Louis, 2001-4. University of Missouri-St. Louis Small Grants Award, 2002. University of Missouri-St. Louis Research Grant, 2002. University of Missouri Research Board Award, 2002. University of Missouri-St. Louis Small Grants Award, 2003. University of Missouri-St. Louis Research Grant, 2006. University of Missouri-St. Louis Small Grants Award, 2006. University of Missouri-St. Louis Small Grants Award, 2008. University of Missouri Research Board Award, 2010-11. University of Missouri Research Board Award, 2015. University of Missouri-St. Louis Research Grant, 2018.

#### REFERENCES

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