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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor of Philosophy, DePaul University, 2023-present
Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Kent State University, 2017-2023 (tenured & promoted 03/2023)
Lecturer, Philosophy & Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, Dartmouth College, 2014-2017
Mellon Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Philosophy, Dartmouth College, 2012-2014

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Philosophy, Emory University, 2012

Dissertation: Phantasie and Phenomenological Inquiry – Thinking with Edmund Husserl

Committee: David Carr (advisor), Thomas Flynn, John Lysaker

M.A., Philosophy, Emory University, 2010

B.A., Philosophy and German Studies, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, 2006, summa cum laude

BOOKS (EDITED)

- 2. Doing a Phenomenology of Political Life: Social Critique, Sense-Institution, and Political Emancipation (co-editor: Delia Popa), Inaugural Volume of the New Directions in Phenomenology book series, Dordrecht: Springer, forthcoming November 2025 (in press; see book page here).
- 1. Phenomenology as Critique: Why Method Matters (co-editors David Carr & Sara Heinämaa), New York: Routledge, 2022 (see book page here)

EDITED SPECIAL ISSUES (ACADEMIC JOURNALS)

- 3. Husserl and Critical Theory
 Special Issue, Continental Philosophy Review (co-editor: Sara Heinämaa, forthcoming 2026)
- 2. Imagination in Husserlian Phenomenology: Variations and Modalities
 Special Issue, Husserl Studies (co-editor: Julia Jansen, vol. 36/3, October 2020)
 https://link.springer.com/journal/10743/volumes-and-issues/36-3
- 1. Husserl and Foucault Reflections on the Historical A Priori
 Special Issue, Continental Philosophy Review (co-editor: Amy Allen, vol. 49/1, April 2016)
 https://link.springer.com/journal/11007/volumes-and-issues/49-1

ARTICLES (**' refers to peer-reviewed)

- 11. "Husserl and Critical Theory Tensions and Resonances," Continental Philosophy Review, Special Issue entitled 'Husserl and Critical Theory' (invited; co-authored with Sara Heinämaa; forthcoming 2026).
- 10. "Husserl and Marcuse on Critique and Realizable Historical Alternatives," Continental Philosophy Review, Special Issue entitled 'Husserl and Critical Theory' (forthcoming 2026).*
- 9. "Modality Matters: Imagination as Consciousness of Possibilities and Husserl's Transcendental Eidetics," Husserl Studies, Special Issue: Imagination in Phenomenology: Variations and Modalities, vol. 36/3 (2020): 303-318.*
- 8. "We Have Only Just Begun: On the Reach of the Imagination and the Depths of Conscious Life," Husserl Studies ((invited; co-authored with Julia Jansen), vol. 36/3 (2020): 205-211.
- 7. "Critical Imagination and Lived Possibilities An Other Kind of Otherwise," New Yearbook for Phenomenology and Phenomenological Philosophy: Imagination in Kant and Husserl, vol. XVII (2019): 204-224.*
- 6. "Making Sense of Husserl's Notion of Teleology Normativity, Reason, Progress and Phenomenology as 'Critique from Within," Hegel Bulletin, Special Issue: Hegel and Phenomenology, vol. 38/1 (2017): 104-128.*
- 5. "History, Critique, and Freedom: The Historical A Priori in Husserl and Foucault," Continental Philosophy Review, Special Issue: Husserl and Foucault – Reflections on the Historical A Priori (invited; coauthor: Amy Allen), vol. 49/1 (2016): 1-11.
- 4. "Phenomenology as Critique: Teleological-Historical Reflection and Husserl's Transcendental Eidetics," Husserl Studies, vol. 31/1 (2016): 21-46.*
- 3. "Spinoza's Imagination Rethinking Passivity," *Idealistic Studies*, vol. 45/1 (2015): 21-39*
- 2. "Husserl's Break from Brentano Abstraction and the Structure of Consciousness," Axiomathes, vol. 24/3 (2014): 395-426.*
- 1. Husserl's Struggle with Mental Images Imaging and Imagining Reconsidered," Continental Philosophy Review, vol. 46/3 (2013): 371-394.*

BOOK CHAPTERS (**' refers to peer-reviewed)

- 7. "Realizability, Radical Reflection, and the Critical Performativity of Phenomenological Work," in Doing a Phenomenology of Political Life: Social Critique, Sense-Institution, and Political Emancipation, eds. Andreea Smaranda Aldea & Delia Popa (Dordrecht: Springer; inaugural volume of the New Directions in Phenomenology series, forthcoming November 2025, in press)*
- 6. "Possibilities of Political Phenomenology" in Doing a Phenomenology of Political Life: Social Critique, Sense-Institution, and Political Emancipation (co-authored with Delia Popa), eds. Andreea Smaranda Aldea & Delia Popa (Dordrecht: Springer, forthcoming November 2025, in press)
- 5. "Self-Othering, Self-Transformation, and Theoretical Freedom: Self-Variation and Husserl's Phenomenology as Radical Immanent Critique," in Husserl, The Cartesian Meditations. Commentary and Interpretation, ed. De Santis. D. (Baden-Baden: Verlag Karl Alber, 2023): 427-455.*

- 4. "Husserlian Phenomenology as Radical Immanent Critique Or How Phenomenology Imagines Itself," in Why Method Matters: Phenomenology as Critique, eds. Aldea, A.S., Carr, D. & Heinämaa, S. (New York: Routledge, 2022): 56-79.*
- 3. "Matters of Method: Suspension, Imagination, and Critique," in Why Method Matters: Phenomenology as Critique (co-authored with Sara Heinämaa and David Carr), eds. Aldea, A.S., Carr, D. & Heinämaa, S. (New York: Routledge, 2022): 1-8.*
- 2. "The Normativity of Imagination: Its Critical Import," in Norms, Values, Goals, eds. Heinämaa, S., Hartimo, M., Hirvonen, I. (New York: Routledge, 2022): 157-179.*
- 1. "Transcendental Phenomenology as Radical Immanent Critique Subversions and Matrices of Intelligibility," in Critique in German Philosophy, eds. Colin McQuillan & María del Rosario Acosta (Albany: SUNY Press, 2020): 281-300.*

BOOK REVIEWS/SYMPOSIUM PAPERS

- 1. "Comments on Johanna Oksala's Feminist Experiences Foucauldian and Phenomenological Investigations," Continental Philosophy Review (invited), vol. 52/1 (2019): 125-134.
- part of a 3-paper invited symposium with Amy Allen & Johanna Oksala https://link.springer.com/journal/11007/volumes-and-issues/52-1

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

"The Critical Power of the Imagination and Why It Matters... A Phenomenological Account," blog post (March 15, 2023), The Junkyard of the Mind (curated by Amy Kind) – https://junkvardofthemind.com/blog/2023/3/11/the-critical-reflective-power-of-the-imaginationand-why-it-matters-a-phenomenological-account

CONFERENCE AND SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

- 66. Phenomenology as Radical Critique of the Present, Biennial Conference of the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Phänomenologische Forschung entitled 'Crisis and Critique,' TU Dartmstadt, Germany, September 2025, (invited, keynote)
- 65. Husserl, Critique, and the Political Imagination, Biennial Conference of the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Phänomenologische Forschung entitled 'Crisis and Critique,' TU Dartmstadt, Germany, September 2025, (co-panelist: Délia Popa; invited panel on *Doing a Phenomenology of Political Life*, Springer, 2025)
- 64. Besinning and the Performativity of Phenomenological Work, The von Wright and Wittgenstein Research Seminar, University of Helsinki, Finland, May 2025 (invited)
- 63. Restoration, Reactivation, Reorientation Husserl's Method for a Historical Critique of the Present, Post-Kantian and Continental Philosophy Workshop, Northwestern University, April 2025 (invited)

- 62. Limits, Thresholds, Lived Impossibilities A Phenomenological Account of Imaginative Resistance, 'Disturbances and Promises of Imagination and Phantasy' Conference, University of Wuppertal, Germany, February 2025 (invited, keynote speaker)
- 61. Doing a Phenomenology of Political Life: Social Critique, Sense-Institution, and Political Emancipation, Intercontinental Phenomenology Research Seminar, February 2025 (invited; co-presenter: Délia Popa)
- 60. Husserl and Merleau-Ponty on Passivity and Institution, What is Sedimentation? Consciousness, History, Language' Conference, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, December 2024 (invited)
- 59. Imagination and Critique Exemplarity, "As If" Thinking, and Re-collective Tracing, Intercontinental Phenomenology Research Seminar, October 2024 (invited)
- 58. Husserl's Besinnung Revisited the Critical Performativity of Phenomenological Work, Department of Philosophy, Loyola University Chicago, September 2024 (invited)
- 57. Husserl and Marcuse Critique as Possibility Constitution, 'Phenomenology and Critical Theory Panel,' (with Delia Popa, Christian Lotz, and Christian Ferencz-Flatz), Historical Materialism Conference – 'Polycrisis Across Divides,' Cluj-Napoca, Romania, August 2024
- 56. Husserl and Marcuse on the Possibility of a Radical Critique of the Present Renewal and Historical Alternatives, Annual Meeting of the Nordic Society for Phenomenology, 'Between Past and Future: Existence, Embodiment, and Historicity' Conference, Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Trondheim, Norway, June 2024
- 55. The Possibility of Transcendental Phenomenology as Radical Critique of the Present: Imagination as Self- and Lifeworld-Constituting, Interdisciplinary Feminist Theory and Emotions Workshop, Brock University-University of Padua, May 2024 (invited, keynote and workshop leader)
- 54. Phenomenology: Critical Approaches to the Structures of Consciousness, Invited Symposium Speaker (with David Carr, David Woodruff Smith, and Chad Kidd): On Occasion of its 50th Anniversary: A Phenomenological Assessment of Nagel's "What is it Like to be a Bat?", American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, March 2024 (invited)
- 53. Imagined Embodiment, Hesitation, and the Reflexive Future Perfect Interrogating the Self-Constituting Power of Gestures, University of Bucharest/Romanian Society for Phenomenology: 'Phenomenology and the Limits of Experience' Conference, September 2023 (invited)
- 52. Self-Imagining, Re-collection, and the Future Perfect Husserl's radikale Selbstbesinnung and the Imagining Narrativity of the Self, Nordic Society for Phenomenology, Reykjavík, April 2023
- 51. Narrativity, Reflective Distance, and the Imagined Self, Helsinki Phenomenology Research Seminar, December 2022 (invited)
- 50. Husserl's Crisis of European Sciences and Transcendental Phenomenology Matters of Method: Critique and the Transcendental Self, Texas A &M Philosophy Reading Group Speaker Series, November 2022 (invited)
- 49. Imagining Reflection Marks, Traces, and the Self, Peruvian Circle of Phenomenology and Hermeneutics, 'Phenomenological Transfers: Representations, Images, and Social Imaginaries' conference, May 2022 (invited, keynote speaker)
- 48. Memory, Imagination, and Phenomenology as Radical-Immanent Critique, on 'Why Method Matters Three Takes on Phenomenology as Critique Panel' (with David Carr and Sara Heinämaa), Nordic Society for Phenomenology, Stockholm, April 2022

- 47. Roundtable on Critical Phenomenology Today, Philosophy Department, Villanova University, March 2022 (invited)
- 46. Phenomenology as Radical Immanent Critique, Helsinki Phenomenology Research Seminar, December 2021 (invited)
- 45. A Phenomenology of Critical Imagination Possibility, Potentiability, Absence, SPEP (Society for Phenomenology and Existential Phenomenology) Annual Meeting, October 2021
- 44. Wiedererinnerung, Wiederholung, Rückfragen The Critical Import of Deep Memory, Helsinki Phenomenology Research Seminar, University of Helsinki, March 2021 (invited)
- 43. Oneself Another Varieties of Absence and Renewal, Helsinki Phenomenology Research Seminar, University of Helsinki, November 2020 (invited)
- 42. Husserlian Phenomenology as Radical Immanent Critique: Genetic and Generative Approaches, Conference on 'Phenomenology: Method and Critique', Academy of Finland, University of Jyväskylä, University of Helsinki, October 2020 (invited)
- 41. The Limits of Imaginability: Habit, Anonymity, Resistance, Helsinki Phenomenology Research Seminar, University of Helsinki, March 2020 (invited)
- 40. The Given and the Taken Transcendental Phenomenology as Diagnostic and Prescriptive Social Critique, Jyväskylä Philosophy Research Seminar, University of Jyväskylä, December 2019 (invited)
- 39. The Indelible 'As If'? Beyond Husserl's Reality-Irreality Divide. A New Look at the Structure of Modification, Helsinki Phenomenology Research Seminar, University of Helsinki, October 2019 (invited)
- 38. Self-Othering, Self-Transformation, and Theoretical Freedom: Self-Variation and Husserl's Phenomenology as Radical Immanent Critique, Conference entitled 'From the Paris Lectures to the Cartesian Meditations. The Legacy of Husserl's Transcendental Phenomenology', Charles University, Prague, October 2019
- 37. Learning through Difference The Power of Bearing Witness: Bodies, Voices, Spaces, American Voices Symposium, Fulbright Finland Foundation, University of Turku, October 2019 (invited)
- 36. Imagination and Critical Inquiry Challenging Normalized Commitments, Resident Researcher Series, National Library of Finland, October 2019 (invited)
- 35. Motivating Critical Possibilities Imagination and its Normativity, Deutsche Gesellschaft für phänomenologische Forschung, University of Vienna, September 2019 (invited)
- 34. Imagination and Empathy Self-Variation, Alterity, and Radical Self-Reflection North American Society for Early Phenomenology (NASEP), Memorial University in St. John's, Newfoundland, May 2019 (invited, keynote speaker)
- 33. Critical Self-Variation as Self-Critique: Reconceiving the Self through Difference Eidetic-Historical Considerations, Co-Panelists: Sara Heinämaa (Jyväskylä) and Timo Miettinen (Helsinki), Panel on Husserlian Ethics of Self-Critique, Annual Meeting of the Nordic Society for Phenomenology, University of Copenhagen, April 2019
- 32. Contingency, Indeterminacy, Conceivability The Normativity of Imagination and its Methodological Import for Phenomenology as Immanent Critique, 'Norms, Goals, Values' Conference, University of Helsinki/Jvväskylä, Finland, March 2019 (invited)

- 31. Phenomenology as Critique Modalities and Method, Boston College, Philosophy Department, February 2019 (invited)
- 30. Transcendental Phenomenology: Modalities and Critique, American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, New York, January 2019
- 29. Experiencing Difference: Normativity, Orientation, and Modality in Imagining Consciousness University of Copenhagen, Center for Subjectivity Research, Denmark, May 2018 (invited)
- 28. Phenomenology as Critique Subversions and Matrices of Intelligibility, DePaul University, Critical Philosophy in Germany Conference, November 2017 (invited)
- 27. Imagination and its Possibilities: Beyond Acts, Attitudes, Horizons, University of Montréal, Imagination in Kant and Husserl Conference, May 6-7, 2017 (invited)
- 26. A Phenomenology of Difference Lived, Imagining, and Critical Possibilities, Gender Research Institute, Radical Unlearning Seminar, Feminist Pedagogies Panel, Dartmouth College (GRID), April 12, 2017 (invited)
- 25. Modality Matters: The Possible, the Conceivable and Husserl's Transcendental Eidetics Husserl Archives: Centre for Phenomenology and Continental Philosophy, Catholic University of Leuven, Conference on Imagination, Modalities, and Method, November 2016 (invited)
- 24. Husserl and Merleau-Ponty on Lived Possibilities, New School for Social Research, Philosophy Department, November 2016 (invited)
- 23. Whence Theoretical Freedom? Imagination and its Possibilities, Husserl Colloquium, Universidad Alberto Hurtado, Santiago, Chile, November 2015 (invited)
- 22. Modality in Kant and Husserl, Comments on Julia Jansen's "Between Contingency And Necessity: Kant And Husserl On The Problem Of Unity," Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Atlanta, GA, October 2015 (invited)
- 21. Modality Matters: The Possible, the Conceivable, and the Intersection of Phenomenology and Positive Science Phenomenology and the Positive Sciences panel (co-panelists: Dan Zahavi, Shaun Gallagher, and Julia Jansen), Pacific APA, April 2015 (invited)
- 20. Modality and Conceptualization: Critical Lenses for Husserl's Transcendental Idealism, Center for Subjectivity Research, University of Copenhagen, February 2015 (invited)
- 19. Conceivability and Teleology: The Structure of Husserl's Historical Reflection, New School for Social Research, Philosophy Department, November 2014 (invited)
- 18. Is Transcendental Phenomenology Insular? Thoughts on a Necessary Dialogue: Phenomenology and the Positive Sciences Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy (SPEP), New Orleans, LA, October 2014
- 17. Beyond the Eidetic Method Transcendental Phenomenology, the Sciences, and the Everyday Sapientia Lecture Series, Philosophy Department, Dartmouth College, January 2014 (invited)

- 16. Crisis, Reflection, and Meaning in Husserl's Genetic Phenomenology, Panel speaker and panel organizer, Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy (SPEP), Eugene, Oregon, October 2013
- 15. Historical Reflection and Transcendental Eidetics: The Methodological Import of Husserl's Theory of Types, Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy (SPEP), Eugene, Oregon, October 2013
- 14. Thinking about Depiction Phenomenological Reflections on Imaging Consciousness, Annual Meeting of the European Society for Aesthetics, Prague, Czech Republic, June 2013
- 13. Real, Irreal, and Ideal Possibilities and the A Priori of History, Annual Meeting of the New York Phenomenology Research Group, New School for Social Research, New York, NY, March 2013
- 12. Phenomenology and the Problem of Content Twardowski, Meinong, Husserl, Sapientia Lecture Series, Philosophy Department, Dartmouth College, February 2013 (invited)
- 11. On Assumptions, Play, Art, Lies, and Inquiry A Reading of Alexius Meinong, Leslie Center for the Humanities, Dartmouth College, February 2013 (invited)
- 10. What Led to Husserl's Break from Brentano?, Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy (SPEP), Rochester, NY, November 2012
- 9. Husserlian Eidetics Thoughts on Husserliana XLI, Zur Lehre vom Wesen und zur Methode der Eidetischen Variation, Texte aus dem Nachlass 1891-1935 Annual Meeting of the Husserl Circle, Boston College, June 2012 (invited)
- 8. Husserlian Phenomenology Rethought: Phantasie and the Path to Eidetic Knowledge Sapientia Lecture Series, Philosophy Department, Dartmouth College, February 2012 (invited)
- 7. Husserl's Struggle with Mental Images, Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy (SPEP), Philadelphia, October 2011
- 6. Eidetic Consciousness Eidetic Modification: From the Variant to the Invariant, Werkkreis, Husserl Archiv, Universität Köln, July 2011 (invited)
- 5. Imagination and Empathy Uniqueness of Thought in a Community of Thinkers, Annual Meeting of the International Society for Intellectual History, Bucharest, Romania, May 2011
- 4. Phantasie and Husserl's Eidetic Variation, Annual Meeting of the Nordic Society for Phenomenology, Reykjavík, Iceland, April 2011
- 3. Phantasie and Imagining Consciousness in Husserlian Phenomenology, Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy (SPEP), Montréal, November 2010
- 2. Phantasie in Husserl's Phenomenological Inquiry, Husserl Circle Annual Meeting, New School for Social Research, New York, June 2010
- 1. Thinking with Sartre Imagination the Path to Philosophy?, American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, New York, December 2009

COMMENTS ON SCHOLARLY PAPERS

- 4. Husserl, Phenomenology, and the Possibility of Social Critique Comments on David Carr's Phenomenology of Crisis (keynote panel), Annual Meeting of the Husserl Circle, Creighton University, Nebraska, May 2024 (invited)
- 3. Comments on 'Mundane Yet Powerful: The Meso-Level of the Political, Transformative Justice, and Rethinking Social Change' by Muhammad Velji (Wesleyan University), American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, February 2024 (invited)
- 2. Comments on Pol Vandevelde's paper 'Husserl's Semiotics: The Role of a Natural Language in Constitution in the Revisions of the Logical Investigations (Hua XX/1-2),' Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy (SPEP), October 2018 (invited)
- 1. Husserl, Foucault and Feminist Critique, A Commentary on Johanna Oksala's Feminist Experiences – Foucauldian and Phenomenological Investigations, Northwestern UP, 2016 (Book Panel), Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Memphis, October 2017 (invited)

WORKS IN PROGRESS

BOOKS (AUTHORED)

Limits, Possibilities, and Beyond – Transcendental Phenomenology as Radical Critique of the Present (Northwestern University Press; in preparation for review)

The Critical Imagination – A Phenomenological Account of Possibilities and Difference (in progress)

EDITED VOLUMES

Imagination and Method, in Husserlian Legacies: Themes for the 21st Century book series, Springer (invited; in preparation for review)

ARTICLES

"Sedimentation, Generativity, and Husserl's Late Method of Historical Eidetics," Metodo: International Studies in Phenomenology and Philosophy, Special Issue on 'Generativity' (issue expected mid 2026, vol. 14/1) (invited article; in preparation for review)

"The Historical A Priori and the A Priori of History – A Generative Account of Transcendental Necessity," Philosophy and Society, Special issue on 'Phenomenology, Historical A Priori, and the Quasi-Transcendental' (issue expected mid 2026) (invited article, in preparation for review)

"Flânerie and the Limits of Imaginability – A Phenomenological Account" (in progress)

BOOK CHAPTERS

"Exemplarity, 'As If Thinking, Recollective Tracing, and the Imagination: Revisiting Husserl's Method of Eidetic Variation as Self-Reflective Critique," in From Jena to Freiburg: Transcendental Philosophy after Kant, Anthony Bruno, Nick Stang, and Dave Suarez (Eds.), Oxford University Press (invited chapter; in preparation for review)

UPCOMING CONFERENCE AND SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

Husserl and the Historicity of Philosophical Reflection, Workshop on Political Philosophy and its History: New Challenges in the Historical Approach to Philosophy, DePaul University (co-organizers: Giulia Valpione & Elizabeth Millán-Brusslan), upcoming October 2025 (invited)

Husserl on Critique as Renewal, Fifth Symposium on Husserlian Phenomenology, Federal University of Bahia & Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, upcoming October 2025 (invited, online)

Fissures, Fields, Thresholds, and Horizons – Phenomenology as Critique of the Present, Political Phenomenology in Debate: Key Concepts in Political Phenomenology lecture series (online); organized by Sophie Loidolt, Thomas Bedorf, Steffen Herrmann, and Gerhard Thonhauser, upcoming December 2025 (invited, online)

Passivity, Institution, Sedimentation. A Generative Approach to Transcendental Modalities, Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies, University of Helsinki, upcoming December 2025 (invited)

Phenomenology as Radical Critique of the Present, Utah Valley University's 2026 G. Lawrence Anderson Undergraduate Philosophy Conference, upcoming February 2026 (invited, keynote)

Husserl as Philosopher of the Imagination, Chicago-Area Consortium in German Philosophy, DePaul University, upcoming March 2026 (invited)

Potentiability Reconsidered. On the Modal Intertwinement of Perception and Imagination, The Annual Spring Symposium of the Boston Phenomenology Circle, upcoming April 2026 (invited)

SELECTED AWARDS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 12. Fulbright Core Scholarship for the Project Transcendental Phenomenology as Critique Limits, Possibilities, and Beyond; Research Residence at University of Jyväskylä, August-December 2019 Fulbright Commission or the Institute of International Education's Council for International Exchange of Scholars (IIE/CIES) and Fulbright Finland Foundation
- 11. Senior Researcher Grant for the Project Transcendental Phenomenology as Critique Limits, Possibilities, and Beyond; Research Residence at University of Jyväskylä/Helsinki, August 2019-May 2020, January 2021-March 2021, Kone Foundation (Koneen Säätiö), Finland
- 10. Resident Research Fellowship, 2019-2020; National Library of Finland, Helsinki (reserved research space and special collections support; competitively awarded to 12 researchers per academic year)
- 9. Visiting Researcher Grant, Marginalization and Experience: Phenomenological Analyses of Normality and Abnormality Project, Academy of Finland, Spring 2018
- 8. Faculty Fellowship, Gender Research Institute, Dartmouth College, Spring 2017
- 7. Diversity Teaching Grant. Arthur Vining Davis Foundation, Dartmouth College, Winter 2017
- 6. Faculty Research Fellowship, Leslie Center for the Humanities, Dartmouth College, Winter 2015
- 5. Mellon Postdoctoral Research Fellowship, Leslie Center for the Humanities, Dartmouth College, 2012-2014

- 4. Marion and Jasper Whiting Foundation Research Grant, Research at the Husserl Archives, Leuven, Belgium, Summer 2013
- 3. Mellon Dissertation Completion & Graduate Teaching Fellowship, Emory University Graduate School of Arts and Sciences & Dillard University, 2011-2012
- 2. Halle Foundation Fellowship for Research in Germany, Research at the Husserl Archives, University of Köln, Summer 2011
- 1. Center for Advanced Research in Phenomenology José Huertas-Jourda Award, Best Conference Submission by Junior Scholar, Husserl Circle, New School for Social Research, NY, June 2010

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Philosophical Association
Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy
Husserl Circle
Nordic Society for Phenomenology
Deutsche Gesellschaft für Phänomenologische Forschung
North American Society for Early Phenomenology
International Society for Intellectual History
SERVICE

UNIVERSITY

Committee on Research Policy (AQ24-present) Fulbright Campus Committee (AQ23-present) University Honors Program Committee (AQ23, WQ24) Honors Language Requirement Taskforce (AQ23)

COLLEGE

LAS Senate Member (AQ24-present)
LAS SGD Committee Member (AQ25-present)
Teaching, Learning, and Assessment Committee Member (AQ24-present)

DEPARTMENT

Director of Undergraduate Studies (Summer 2025-present)

Planning Committee Member (AQ25-present)

Undergraduate Affairs Committee Chair (AQ25-present)

DUOS (Doctoral & Undergraduate Opportunities for Scholarship) Committee Chair (AQ25-present)

DUOS Committee Member (AQ23-SQ25)

Visiting Speaker Committee Member (AQ23-present)

Graduate Affairs Committee Member (AQ23-SQ25)

DISSERTATION ADVISING

Co-Director (with Prof. Frédéric Seyler), "Realizing the Unforeseeable: Time, Subjectivity, and Language in Philosophies (of Life) East and West," Student: Héctor Ramos, SQ24-present

Committee Member, "Carceral Care: A Critical Genealogy of Rape Kits," Student: Aurora Laybourn-Candlish, WQ24-present

M.A. THESIS ADVISING

Director, "Doing a Phenomenology of Bureaucratic Management of Subjectivation," Student: Sheldon White, Summer 2025-present

UNDERGRADUATE THESIS/SCHOLARLY PROJECTS ADVISING

Honors Thesis Reader, "Visual Media as Technology to Discipline,' Student: Anton Hakopian, SQ25 Honors Thesis Director, "Intersubjectivity, Embodiment, and the Possibility of Communal Experience in the Digital Age," Student: Jacob Casto, WQ25

Honors Thesis Director, "Beyond the Modern Subject: Concept of Self in Husserl and Sartre," Student: Nelson Munene, SQ24

Honors Thesis Director, "Between Worlds: Aesthetic Experience as Radical Reflection in Revelation of the Alien," Student: Olga Mourgelas, SQ24

OTHER UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Faculty Moderator, Honors Program Student Conference, Philosophy Session, May 17, 2024

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Founding Co-Editor, New Directions in Phenomenology book series, Springer, 2023-present (see book series website here)

Advisory Editorial Board Member, Continental Philosophy Review, 2021-present

Editorial Board Member, *Phenomenological Investigations* (the official journal of the North American Society for Early Phenomenology), 2021-present

Advisory Board Member, Continental Philosophy and the History of Thought series, Lexington Books at Rowman and Littlefield, 2019-present

Active Referee (presses and academic journals in alphabetical order): British Journal of Aesthetics, Canadian Journal of Philosophy, Chiasmi International, Continental Philosophy Review, Critical Philosophy of Race, Dialogue, Epoché: A Journal for the History of Philosophy, Études phénoménologiques/Phenomenological Studies, Human Studies, European Journal of Philosophy, Filozofia, Husserl Studies, International Journal of Social Imaginaries, Journal of Aesthetics and Phenomenology, Journal of the American Philosophical Association, Northwestern University Press, Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences, Philosophy Today, Research in Phenomenology, Puncta: Journal of Critical Phenomenology, Routledge, Rowman & Littlefield, Springer, Studia Phaenomenologica

Fulbright US Scholar Reviewer (for Faculty in Philosophy), 2025-present

Fulbright Finland Foundation Reviewer for the Study of the U.S. Institutes for Scholars and Professionals, 2019-present

ASLA-Fulbright Reviewer for the Pre-Doctoral Research Fellows Program, Fall 2019-present

CONFERENCES & WORKSHOPS ORGANIZED

Organizer, Intercontinental Phenomenology Research Seminar (IPRS online), 10-12 two-hour workshop sessions per academic year (co-organizers: Sara Heinämaa & Delia Popa), 2024-present **Conference Organizer,** 'Phenomenology: Method and Critique,' Academy of Finland/University of Helsinki (co-organizer: Sara Heinämaa; October, 2020)

Convenor, Husserl Circle Annual Meeting, Dartmouth College, May 2014

Conference Co-organizer (with Amy Allen), Husserl-Foucault Conference, Dartmouth College, May 2014

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES/SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

External Committee Member, Ph.D. Thesis, University of Iceland (Director: Björn Þorsteinsson, Other Committee Member: Dan Zahavi), "The Role of the Imagination in Phenomenology," Student: Sigurjón B. Dadason, SQ 2025-present

External Committee Member, Ph.D. Thesis, Villanova University (Co-Directors: Delia Popa & Surti Singh), "Appearing to No One: Non-Correlational and Critical Phenomenology," Student: Sterling Hall, SQ 2024-present

External Committee Member, Ph.D. Thesis, Duquesne University (Director: Lanei Rodemeyer), "A Phenomenological Analysis of Dyslexia," Student: John Henry Reilly, SQ 2024-present

Fulbright Finland Foundation Faculty Panelist: U.S. Faculty Insights on U.S. Graduate Admissions and Visiting Scholar Placement – Tips for Finnish Candidates, April 2020

Senior Researcher/Seminar Co-leader, Helsinki Phenomenology Research Seminar

(with Prof. Sara Heinämaa; mentored 10 Ph.D. Students and 2 Post-doctoral researchers: 2019-2020) **Job Candidate Mentoring Program for Women in Philosophy**, Faculty Mentor, 2018-2019 **Panel Organizer, '**Possibilities of Political Phenomenology,' Biennial Conference of the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Phänomenologische Forschung, Book Panel on *Doing a Phenomenology of Political Life* (Springer, Aldea & Popa eds.), September 2025

Panel Organizer, 'Critical Theory and Phenomenology,' Polycrisis Across Divides,' Biannual Historical Materialism Conference, Cluj-Napoca, Romania (with Délia Popa, Christian Ferencz-Flatz, and Christian Lotz), August 2024

Panel Organizer, 'Imagination as Method,' Annual Meeting of the Nordic Society for Phenomenology (conference on the theme of 'Sensory Methodologies') (with Délia Popa & Christian Ferencz-Flatz), Revkjavík, April 2023

Panel Organizer, 'Why Method Matters – Three Takes on Phenomenology as Critique,' Annual Meeting of the Nordic Society for Phenomenology (conference theme: 'Politics of Life and Death') (with Sara Heinämaa & David Carr), Stockholm, 2022

Panel Organizer, 'Husserlian Ethics of Self-Critique', Annual Meeting of the Nordic Society for Phenomenology, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, April 2019

Panel Moderator, Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, virtual, upcoming October 2025

Panel Moderator, Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Toronto, Canada, October 2023

Panel Moderator, Annual Meeting of the Nordic Society for Phenomenology, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, April 2019

Panel Moderator, Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, State College, Penn State, October 2018

Session Chair, American Philosophical Association, Eastern Annual Meeting, December 2012