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## Education

### The Graduate Center, City University of New York

September 2014: PhD in Philosophy

Dissertation: Constitutively Embodied Emotions (Defended with Honors, May 2014)

Committee: Jesse Prinz (supervisor), Noel Carroll, David Rosenthal

### Swarthmore College

May 2004: BA in Philosophy, with Honors

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## Employment

### Lawrence Technological University

January 2015 to present: Assistant Professor of Philosophy

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## Areas of Specialization

Philosophy of Mind, Philosophy of Cognitive Science

## Areas of Competence

Ethics, Philosophy of Science, History of Philosophy, Logic

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## Publications

“LOL: What we can learn from insincere laughter”

Forthcoming: in *The Moral Psychology of Amusement I*, edited by Brian Robinson, published by Rowan and Littlefield

“Review of *Emotion, imagination, and the limits of reason*, by Talia Morag”

2018: *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*

“An Enactivist theory of emotional content” (with Jesse J. Prinz)

2017: in *The Ontology of Emotions*, Edited by Hichem Naar and Fabrice Teroni, published by Cambridge University Press

“Appraisals and inherited intentional objects”

2017: *Emotion Review*

“The insignificance of empty higher-order thoughts”

2016: *Journal for Cognition and Neuroethics*

“Emotions without objects”

2015: *Biology and Philosophy*

“Review of John Deigh (Ed.), *On Emotions: Philosophical Essays*” (with Jesse J. Prinz)  
2013: *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*

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## **Selected Presentations**

- “LOL: What we can learn from forced laughter”  
Emotion Workshop, March 2019, City University of New York Graduate Center
- “Situating emotions in a dual-process account of moral judgment”  
Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, March 2019, Cincinnati
- “Victor Frankenstein Today: Shelley’s novel and contemporary Bioengineering”  
Humanity+Technology, October 2018, Lawrence Technological University
- “Situating emotions in a dual-process account of moral judgement”  
International Society for Research on Emotions, July 2017, St. Louis
- “Emotions and the sources of moral judgment”  
Idea Factory Research Symposium, April 2017, Lawrence Technological University
- “Emotions and the creation of affordances”  
Central Division of the American Philosophical Association, March 2017, Kansas City
- “Situating emotions in a dual-process account of moral judgment”  
Morality, Moral Philosophy, and the Humanities in the Age of Neuroscience, November 2016,  
Kent State University
- “The function of emotions”  
Central Division of the American Philosophical Association, March 2016, Chicago
- “The insignificance of empty higher-order states”  
Consciousness Conference  
October 2015, Center for Cognition and Neuroethics, Flint MI
- “The emotional function of bodily perceptions”  
Towards a Science of Consciousness, June 2015, Helsinki Finland
- “Emotions without objects”  
Pacific Division of the American Philosophical Association, April 2015, Vancouver BC
- “Dissecting Emotions”  
Idea Factory Research Symposium, March 2015, Lawrence Technological University
- “Emotions and desires”  
International Society for Research on Emotions, July 2013, Berkeley CA
- “Emotions without objects”  
Consciousness and Intentionality, February 2013, Salzburg Austria
- “Emotions beyond the brain”  
The Philosophy Society at Brooklyn College, October 2012, Brooklyn NY
- “Looking for emotions in the brain”  
Consciousness and Volition, September 2012, Jagiellonian University, Krakow Poland

“Kripke’s stubborn modal argument”

Towards a Science of Consciousness, April 2012, Tucson AZ

“Looking for emotions in the brain”

Psychology, Emotion, and the Human Sciences, April 2012, University of Windsor

“Emotions without objects”

The Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, March 2012, Savannah GA

“An empirically informed theory of desire and aversion” (with Mark Alfano and Brian Robinson)

The Philosophy and Linguistics Workgroup, October 2011, Northwestern University

“Looking for emotions in the brain”

Cognitive Science Speaker Series, August 2011, CUNY Graduate Center, New York NY

“Emotions without objects”

The Society for Philosophy and Psychology, July 2011, Montreal QC

## **Teaching**

### **Lawrence Technological University**

Spring 2015 to present: *Assistant Professor*

Development of the American Experience: Fall 2017-Spring 2019

Foundations of the American Experience: Spring 2015-Spring 2017

Topics in Philosophy: Emotions: Fall 2016

History and Philosophy of Science: Spring 2018, Spring 2016

Ethics: Fall 2017, Fall 2015

Philosophy of Mind: Spring 2019, Spring 2017, Spring 2015

### **Northeastern University**

Fall 2013-Fall 2014: *Adjunct Lecturer*

Technology and Human Values: Fall 2014, Summer 2014

Introduction to Philosophy: Summer 2014, Spring 2014, Fall 2013

### **The City University of New York**

Summer 2007 to Fall 2011: *Adjunct Lecturer*

The Rational Animal: Fall 2011, Spring 2010, Summer 2009, Spring 2009, Winter 2008, Fall 2007, Summer 2007

Introduction to Logic: Spring 2011, Fall 2010

Introduction to Philosophy: Fall 2010, Spring 2010, Fall 2009

Logical Reasoning: Fall 2008, Summer 2008

### **Lee-wen Foreign Language School, Qingdao China**

Summer 2005 to Spring 2006: *ESL Teacher*

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## **Professional Service**

### **Lawrence Technological University**

*Member:* Higher Learning Commission Accreditation Committee, Spring 2019 to present

*Member:* AITU Critical Thinking Summit Organizing Committee, Fall 2018 to present

*Member:* Animal Ethics Committee, Fall 2018 to present

*Member:* CRE Student Researcher Award Committee, Fall 2017 to present

*Member:* Course-based Research Experiences Faculty Committee, Spring 2015 to present

*Advisor:* Students in the Humanities Major, Spring 2015 to present

*Member:* Steering Committee of the Grand Challenge Scholars Program, Fall 2015 to present

*Chair:* HSSC Tenure-track Hire Advisory Committee, Summer 2017 to Fall 2017

*Member:* Faculty Senate Campus Affairs Committee, Spring 2015 to Fall 2017

*Chair:* Social Sciences Core Curriculum Review Committee, Spring 2016 to Fall 2016

**Service to the Field**

*Refereed journal articles:*

Biology and Philosophy

Cognitive Processing

Dialectica

Emotion Review

European Journal of Analytic Philosophy

The International Journal of Psychology

Philosophical Psychology

*Refereed book manuscript:*

MIT Press

*Editor:* Objects and Contents of Emotions, Philpapers.org, 2009 to present