

Curriculum Vitae

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Degrees :

1971 AB (General Honors)(Philosophy), University of Chicago
1975 PhD (Philosophy), Stanford University

Academic Appointments :

Department of Philosophy, University of Alberta:
1975-76 Visiting Assistant Professor
1976-82 Assistant Professor
1982-97 Associate Professor
1997 Professor
1997-99 Acting Chair, Department of Philosophy
1999-03 Chair, Department of Philosophy, University of Alberta.
2002 (July-Aug) Visiting Professor, Phil., University of Auckland
2005-08 Associate Dean (Research), Faculty of Arts, University of Alberta
2009-10 Associate Chair (Graduate Studies), Dept. of Philosophy
July 1, 2018 Professor Emeritus

Awards and Honours

Society for Exact Philosophy: President 1998-2000
Bertrand Russell Society Book Award 2012 (for Linsky 2011)
Royal Society of Canada, Fellow 2014
Bertrand Russell Society Book Award 2016 (for Wishon and Linsky 2015)

Publications

Books

1. *Philosophy and Biology*, Mohan Matthen & Bernard Linsky, eds., (*Canadian Journal of Philosophy, Supplementary Volume 14*), Calgary: University of Calgary Press, 1988.
2. *Russell's Metaphysical Logic*, Stanford: CSLI Publications, 1999.
3. *On Denoting:1905-2005*, Bernard Linsky & Guido Imaguire, eds., Munich: Philosophia Verlag, 2005.
4. *The Evolution of Principia Mathematica: Bertrand Russell's Manuscripts and Notes for the Second Edition*, Cambridge UK: Cambridge University Press, 2011.
5. *The Palgrave Centenary Companion to Principia Mathematica*, Nicholas Griffin and Bernard Linsky, eds. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, 2013.
6. *Acquaintance, Knowledge, and Logic: New Essays on Bertrand Russell's The Problems of Philosophy*, Donovan Wishon and Bernard Linsky, eds., Stanford: CSLI Publications, 2015.

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2. Critical Notice of: Mark Platts, *Ways of Meaning*, in *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*, 10, Sept. 1980, 513-23.
3. "Is Transmutation Possible?", *Philosophical Studies*, 41, 1982, 367-81.
4. Critical Notice of: Baruch Brody, *Identity and Essence*, in *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*, 12, June 1982, 391-407.
5. Critical Notice of: Nathan Salmon, *Reference and Essence*, in *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*, 14, Sept. 1984, 499-515.
6. "General Terms as Designators", *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly*, 65, 1984, 259-76.
7. "Phenomenal Qualities and the Identity of Indistinguishables", *Synthese*, 59, 1984, 363-80.
8. "Factives, Blindspots and Some Paradoxes", *Analysis*, 64, Jan. 1986, 10-15.
9. "Propositional Functions and Universals in *Principia Mathematica*", *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, 66, Dec. 1988, 447-60.

10. "Was the Axiom of Reducibility a Principle of Logic?", *Russell, The Journal of the Bertrand Russell Archives*, 10, Winter 1990-91, 125-40.
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11. "Truth at a World is a Modality", *Philosophia: Philosophical Quarterly of Israel*, 20, Feb. 1991, 387-94.
12. Bernard Linsky & Edward N. Zalta "Is Lewis a Meinongian?", *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, 69, Dec. 1991, 438-53.
13. "A Note on the 'Carving up Content' Principle in Frege's Theory of Sense", *Notre Dame Journal of Formal Logic*, 33, Winter 1992, 126-35.
 Chinese trans. by Wang Xuegang in *Zhexue Yicong* [Philosophical Translations], (Beijing) 1993, 60-65.
14. "Truth Makers for Modal Propositions," *The Monist* Apr. 1994 (77:2), 192-206
15. "G.W.Fitch's Paleontology", *Philosophical Studies*, 73, Mar. 1994, 189-193.
16. Bernard Linsky & Edward N. Zalta, "Naturalized Platonism versus Platonized Naturalism", *The Journal of Philosophy*, XCII, Oct. 1995, 525-55.
17. Bernard Linsky & Edward N. Zalta, "In Defense of the Contingently Non-concrete," *Philosophical Studies*, 1996, 84, 283-294.
18. "Logical Constructions", entry in *Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, Edward N. Zalta (ed.) 1997, revised 2019.
19. "The Substitutional Paradox in Russell's 1907 Letter to Hawtrey" corrected version *Russell: The Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s. 22(2), 2002, 151-160.
20. "Leon Chwistek on the no-classes theory in *Principia Mathematica*", *History and Philosophy of Logic*, 25(1), 2004, 53-71.
21. "The Notation in Principia Mathematica", *The Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, Edward N. Zalta (ed.) 2004, revised 2009, 2021, <http://plato.stanford.edu>
22. "Russell's Marginalia in his Copies of Frege's Works", *Russell: The Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s. 24(1), 2004, 5-36.
23. "Russell's Notes on Frege for Appendix A of *The Principles of Mathematics*", *Russell: The Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s. 24(2), Winter 2004-05, 133-72.

24. Bernard Linsky and Edward N. Zalta, "What is Neo-Logicism?", *The Bulletin of Symbolic Logic*, 2006, 12:1, 60-99.
25. "Russell's Notes on Frege's *Grundgesetze der Arithmetik*, from §53", *Russell: The Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s. 26(2), 2006-7, 127-66.
26. Critical Notice of: Richard Gaskin, *The Unity of the Proposition*, in *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*, 41, Sept. 2011, 469-482.
27. Leon Chwistek, "The Principles of Pure Type Theory (1922), translated by Adam Trybus with an Introductory Note by Bernard Linsky", *History and Philosophy of Logic*, 2012, 33:4, 429-352. (Note pp. 329-331)
28. "Russell's Notes for 'Meinong's Theory of Complexes and Assumptions'", *Russell: The Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s. 33 (2), Winter 2013-14, 143-70.
29. "Ernst Mally's Anticipation of Encoding", *Journal for the History of Analytical Philosophy*, Vol. 2, no.5, 2014, 1-14. <http://jhaponline.org>
30. "Russell's Paradox of Predicates", *Frontiers of Philosophy in China*, 2014, 9(1):149-165.
31. "Notes and Correspondence for Russell's 1905 Review of Meinong", *Russell: The Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s. 34 (1), Summer 2014, 35-62.
32. "The Tragedy of Verbal Metaphysics" by Leon Chwistek, translated by Adam Trybus and Bernard Linsky, *Journal for the History of Analytical Philosophy*, vol.5, no.1 (2017): 1-20.
DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.15173/jhap.v5i1.2957>
33. "The Logical Attempt at a New Formulation of Philosophy: A Critical Remark, by Roman Ingarden, with discussion by Rudolf Carnap and Otto Neurath", translated by Bernard Linsky, *Journal for the History of Analytical Philosophy*, vol.6, no.6 (2018): 1-5.
34. Francis Jeffrey Pelletier and Bernard Linsky, "Verification: The Hysteron Proteron Argument", *Journal for the History of Analytical Philosophy*, vol.6, no.6 (2018): 8-32.
35. Bernard Linsky & Edward N. Zalta, "Mathematical Descriptions", *Philosophical Studies* 176 (2019): 473-481.
36. Bernard Linsky and Andrew D. Irvine, "*Principia Mathematica*", *The Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, Edward N. Zalta (ed.), Summer 2019 Edition.
37. Adam Trybus and Bernard Linsky, "On Jan Lukasiewicz's 'The Principle of Contradiction and Symbolic Logic'", *History and Philosophy of Logic*, Vol. 41, No. 2, 2020, 183 – 190.

38. Jan Lukasiewicz, Adam Trybus and Bernard Linsky, “The Principle of Contradiction and Symbolic Logic”, *History and Philosophy of Logic*, Vol. 41, No. 2, 2020, 154 – 182.
39. Adam Trybus and Bernard Linsky, “Two Poles Worlds Apart: Chwistek, Ingarden and the Split Between Phenomenology and Analytic Philosophy”, *Journal for the History of Analytical Philosophy*, vol.10, no.5 (2022): 1-41.

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1. Bernard Linsky & John King-Farlow, “John Heintz’s Subjects and Predicates”, *Philosophical Inquiry*, 6, 1984, 47-56.
2. “The Logical Form of Descriptions”, (Critical Notice of Stephen Neale’s *Descriptions*), *Dialogue* XXXI (1992), 677-83.
3. “Why Russell Abandoned Russellian Propositions”, in *Russell and Analytic Philosophy*, A.D. Irvine and G.A. Wedeking, eds., Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 1993, 193-209.
4. Bernard Linsky & Edward N. Zalta, “In Defense of the Simplest Quantified Modal Logic”, in *Philosophical Perspectives*, 8, *Logic and Language*, J.E. Tomberlin, ed. Atascadero: Ridgeview, 1994, 431-58.
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5. “Russell’s Logical Constructions”, in *Studies in Dialectics of Nature* (Beijing), Vol. 11 Supplementary Issue, 1995, 129-148.
Reprinted in *Bertrand Russell: Critical Assessments* Vol.3, A.D. Irvine, ed., London and New York: Routledge, 1999, 128-150.
6. “The Vienna Circle and German Speaking Culture Before and After World War II”, *Acta Analytica* (Slovenia), 1995, 14, 189-194.
7. “Metaphysics II (1945 to the present)”, in *Philosophy of Meaning, Knowledge and Value in the 20th Century*, *Routledge History of Philosophy*, Vol. X, John Canfield, ed., London: Routledge, 1996, 108-133.
8. “Philosophy After Quine”, *Eidos*, 1996, 13(2), 55-65.
9. “Placing Abstract Objects in Naturalism”, *Philosophical Inquiry*, XXIII (1-2), 2001, 73-85.
10. “Russell’s Logical Form, LF, and Truth-Conditions”, in *Logical Form and Language*, Gerhard Preyer and Georg Peter, eds., Oxford: Clarendon Press, 2002, 391-408.
11. “The Resolution of Russell’s Paradox in *Principia Mathematica*”, in *Philosophical Perspectives*, 16, *Language and Mind*, 2002, James E. Tomberlin, ed. Boston and Oxford: Blackwell, 395-417.

12. "The Metaphysics of Logical Atomism", in *The Cambridge Companion to Bertrand Russell*, Nicholas Griffin, ed., Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2003, 371-391.
13. "Classes of Classes and Classes of Functions in *Principia Mathematica*" Godehard Link, ed. *One Hundred Years of Russell's Paradox*. Berlin and New York: Walter de Gruyter, 2004, pp. 435-447.
14. Francis Jeffry Pelletier & Bernard Linsky "What is Frege's Theory of Descriptions?", in B. Linsky and G. Imaguire, eds., *On Denoting: 1905-2005*, Munich: Philosophia Verlag, 2005, 195-250.
15. "Remarks on Platonized Naturalism", *Croatian Journal of Philosophy*, V(13), 2005, 3-15.
16. "Hugues Leblanc", in *The Dictionary of Modern American Philosophers*, J.R.Shook, ed. London: Thoemmes, 2005, Vol. 3, pp. 1434-5.
17. "Dana Scott", in *The Dictionary of Modern American Philosophers*, J.R.Shook, ed. London: Thoemmes, 2005, Vol. 4, pp. 2169-70.
18. Bernard Linsky and Kenneth Blackwell, "New manuscript leaves and the printing of the first edition of *Principia Mathematica*, *Russell: The Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s. 25(2), Winter 2005-06, 141-54.
19. "General Terms as Rigid Designators", *Philosophical Studies* (2006) 128 : 655-667.
20. "Logical Analysis and Logical Construction", in *The Analytic Turn: Analysis in Early Analytic Philosophy and Phenomenology*, Michael Beaney, ed., London: Routledge, 2007, 107-122.
21. Francis Jeffry Pelletier & Bernard Linsky, "Russell vs. Frege on Definite Descriptions as Singular Terms", in *Russell vs. Meinong: The Legacy of "On Denoting"*, Nicholas Griffin and Dale Jacquette, eds., London: Routledge, 2009, 40-64.
22. "Leon Chwistek's Theory of Constructive Types", in *The Golden Age of Polish Philosophy: Kazimierz Twardowski's Philosophical Legacy*, S. Lapointe, Jan Woleński, Mathieu Marion and Wioletta Miskiewicz, eds., Springer, 2009, 203 - 219.
23. "Logical Types in Arguments about Knowability and Belief", in *New Essays on the Knowability Paradox*, J. Salerno, ed., Oxford : Oxford University Press, 2009, 163-179.
24. "Russell and Frege on the Logic of Functions," in *200 Years of Analytic Philosophy :The Baltic International Yearbook of Cognition, Logic and Communication, Vol 4 (2009), 1-17*. www.thebalticyearbook.org

25. “From Descriptive Functions to Sets of Ordered Pairs,” in *Reduction–Abstraction–Analysis : Proceedings of the 31th International Ludwig Wittgenstein Symposium in Kirchberg, 2008*, Alexander Hieke and Hannes Leitgeb, eds., Frankfurt: Ontos Verlag, 2009, 259-272.
26. “Quantification and Descriptions”, in *The Continuum Companion to Philosophical Logic*, Leon Horsten and Richard Pettigrew, eds. London: Continuum, 2011, 77-104. Reprinted in paperback as *The Bloomsbury Companion to Philosophical Logic*, Bloomsbury Publishing, 2014.
27. “Kripke on Proper and General Names”, in *Saul Kripke*, Alan Berger, ed. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2011, 17-48.
28. “Russell’s theory of descriptions and the idea of logical construction”, *The Oxford Handbook of the History of Analytic Philosophy*, Michael Beaney, ed., Oxford University Press, 2013, 407- 429.
29. “Luosu Beilun de Yuyanzhe: Shiluode yu Cemeiluo” (“Ernst Schroeder and Zermelo’s Anticipation of Russell’s Paradox” trans. by Chen Lei). *Shijie Zhexue* Beijing (*World Philosophy*) 2013, 3:136-144.
30. “Ernst Schroeder and Zermelo’s Anticipation of Russell’s Paradox”, *La crise des fondements: quelle crise?*, François Lepage and Karine Fredet, eds., Montreal: Les Cahiers d’Ithaque, 2013, 7-23.
31. “Leonard Linsky on Russell against Meinong”, *Bertrand Russell Society Bulletin*, no.149, Spring 2014, 13-18.
32. “The Place of *The Problems of Philosophy* in Philosophy”, D. Wishon and B. Linsky, in *Acquaintance, Knowledge, and Logic: New Essays on Bertrand Russell’s The Problems of Philosophy*, Stanford: CSLI Publications, 2015, 1-24.
33. “Acquaintance and Certainty in *The Problems of Philosophy*”, in *Acquaintance, Knowledge, and Logic: New Essays on Bertrand Russell’s The Problems of Philosophy*, Stanford: CSLI Publications, 2015, 65-85.
34. “Propositional Logic from *The Principles of Mathematics* to *Principia Mathematica*” in *Early Analytic Philosophy: New Perspectives on the Tradition*, Sorin Costreie, ed., Springer, 2016, 213-229.
35. “The Law of Contradiction in the Light of Recent Investigations of Bertrand Russell”, by Leon Chwistek (1912), translated by Rose Rand, edited by Bernard Linsky, Nika Pona, and Adam Trybus, in *The Significance of the Lvov-Warsaw School in the European Culture*, A. Brozek, F. Stadler and J. Wolenski, eds., *Vienna Circle Institute Yearbook*, Springer Verlag, 2017, 227-290.

36. “The Near Riot over Negative Facts”, in *The Philosophy of Logical Atomism: A Centenary Reappraisal*, Landon D.C. Elkind and Gregory Landini, eds., Palgrave Macmillan, 2018, 181-197.
37. “Russell’s Objections to Frege and Meinong in Context”, in *The Bloomsbury Companion to Bertrand Russell*, Russell Wahl, ed., London: Bloomsbury, 2019, 75-98.
38. Bernard Linsky and Kenneth Blackwell, “Russell’s Corrected Page Proofs of *Principia Mathematica*”, in *Russell: The Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s. 39(2), Winter 2019-2020, 141-66.
39. “Russellian Propositions in *Principia Mathematica*”, in *Alasdair Urquhart on Nonclassical and Algebraic Logic and Complexity of Proofs*, Ivo Düntsch and Edwub Mares, eds., Springer Nature, 2020, 537-556.
40. “Introduction to the Routledge Classics Edition”, *The Problem of China* by Bertrand Russell, London and New York: Routledge, 2021, xi – xviii.

Book Reviews:

1. Esa Saarinen, ed. *Game Theoretical Semantics*, in *Canadian Journal of Linguistics*, 24, 1979, 159-161.
2. Mario Bunge, *Treatise of Basic Philosophy, Vols.I and II*, in *Dialogue*, 20, 1981, 384-90.
3. Hartry Field, *Science Without Numbers*, in *Canadian Philosophical Reviews*, 2, 1982, 161-4.
4. Gareth Evans, *The Varieties of Reference*, in *Canadian Philosophical Reviews*, 4, 1984, 103-5.
5. Simon Blackburn, *Spreading the Word*, in *Canadian Philosophical Reviews*, 5, 1985, 323-5.
6. Jon Barwise and John Etchemendy, *The Liar: An Essay in Truth and Circularity*, in *Canadian Philosophical Reviews*, 8, 1988, 3-5.
7. John G. Slater, ed., *The Philosophy of Logical Atomism and Other Essays: 1914-19. The Collected Papers of Bertrand Russell, Vol.8*, in *Dialogue*, 28, 1989, 675-7.
8. R.M.Sainsbury, *Paradoxes*, in *Philosophical Books*, 30, 1989, 164-6.
9. A.W.Moore, *The Infinite*, in *Philosophical Books*, 32, 1991, 62-4.
10. J. Alberto Coffa, *The Semantic Tradition from Kant to Carnap; To the Vienna Station*, in *Canadian Phil. Reviews*, 12, 1992, 233-5.

11. Robert C. Koons, *Paradoxes of Belief and Strategic Rationality*, in *Philosophical Books*, 34, 1993, 27-28.
12. Peter Van Inwagen, *Metaphysics*, in *Philosophical Books*, 35, 1994, 223-4.
13. Gregory H. Moore, ed., *Toward the "Principles of Mathematics" 1900-02. The Collected Papers of Bertrand Russell, Vol.3*, in *Philosophia Mathematica* (3), 4,1996, 73-78.
14. John G. Slater, *Bertrand Russell*, in *Dialogue* 36, 1997, 207-8.
15. James McCawley, *Everything That Linguists Have Always Wanted to Know About Logic*, 2nd ed., in *Studia Logica* 63, 1999, 121-3.
16. Jan Dejnozka, *Bertrand Russell on Modality and Logical Relevance*, in *Bulletin of Symbolic Logic*, VI, 2000, 95-6.
17. Charles Chihara, *The Worlds of Possibility: Modal Realism and the Semantics of Modal Logic*, in *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*, LXIII, 2001, 483-6.
18. Gillett, Carl and Loewer, Barry, (eds.), *Physicalism and Its Discontents*, in *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, [http:// ndpr.icaap.org](http://ndpr.icaap.org) , 2002.08.04, 7pp.
19. A.P.Martinich and David Sosa, (eds.), *A Companion to Analytic Philosophy*, in *Journal of the History of Philosophy* , XLI (1), 2003, 139-140.
20. Gideon Makin, *The Metaphysicians of Meaning*, in *Philosophical Books*, 44, 2003, 167-8.
21. Colin Cheyne, *Knowledge, Cause and Abstract Objects: Causal Objections to Platonism*, in *Philosophia Mathematica*, 11(2), 2003, 223-225.
22. Keith Green, *Bertrand Russell, Language and Linguistic Theory*, in *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, [http:// ndpr.nd.edu](http://ndpr.nd.edu), 2008.08.21, 1,500wds.
23. Omar Nasim, *Bertrand Russell and the Edwardian Philosophers: Constructing the World*, in *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, 2010.01.12, <http://ndpr.nd.edu>, 2,200wds.
24. Carolyn Swanson, *Reburial of Nonexistents: Reconsidering the Meinong-Russell Debate*, in *Grazer Philosophische Studien*, 85 (2012), 342-346.
25. Bertrand Russell, *The Collected Papers of Bertrand Russell, Vol. 5*, G. H. Moore, ed., in *Math Sci Net: Mathematical Reviews* MR 3469785, 2018.
26. *The Harvard Lectures of Alfred North Whitehead*, Paul A. Bogaard and Jason Bell, eds., in *Russell: the Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s. 38 (winter 2018-19), 186-8.

27. Sanford Shieh, *Necessity Lost*, in *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, 2020.04.12,
28. “Scholarship on Russell’s Visit to China,” review of *Bertrand Russell’s Visit to China*, Jan Vrhovski and Jana S. Rošker eds., in *Russell: the Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s.40 (winter 2021-22), 186-90.

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Guido Bonino, *Rivista di Filosofia*, XCII, no.3, 2001, 537-8.
Alasdair Urquhart, *University of Toronto Quarterly*, 70:1, 2001, 455-457.
Judy Pelham, *Studia Logica*, 70.3, 2002, 441-444.
2. *On Denoting:1905-2005*, Bernard Linsky & Guido Imaguire, eds.
Michael Scanlan, *Russell:The Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s.26 (2006-7), 167-90.
Kevin Klement, *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews* 2006.10.09
Michael Beaney, *History and Philosophy of Logic*, vol.29.
3. *The Evolution of Principia Mathematica*
Alasdair Urquhart, *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, 2012.01.32
Gregory Landini, *History and Philosophy of Logic*, 34:1, 2013, 79-97.
Chris Pincock, *The Bulletin of Symbolic Logic*, 19:1, 2013, 106-108.
Russell Wahl, *Russell: The Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s. 23 (summer 2013): 59-94.
Michael Potter, *Mathematical Reviews (MathSciNet AMS)*, 2013.
Nicholas Griffin, *Philosophia Mathematica*, 21, 2013, 403-411.
4. *Acquaintance, Knowledge, and Logic*
James Connelly, *Russell: The Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*, n.s. 36, no.2, (winter 2016-2017), 180-190.

Invited Talks, Contributed Papers, and Commentaries

- 1975 Comments on David Schwarz, American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, San Diego, March.
- 1976 “The Meaning of Kind Terms”, Univ of Calgary, Oct.26.
- 1977 “Putnam on the Meaning of Kind Terms”, Univ of Lethbridge, Feb.
- 1978 “Comments on C.B.Daniels”, Canadian Philosophical Association, London, Ontario, June.
“Comments on Mohan Matthen”, Northwestern Philosophy Conference, Victoria, Nov 18.
- 1980 “Natural Kinds and Necessary Properties”, CPA, Montreal, June 5.
Comments on Storrs McCall, CPA, Montreal, June 6.

- “The Refutation of Realism; Putnam and Berkeley”, Western Canadian Philosophical Association, Regina, Oct 19.
- 1981 “Is Transmutation Possible?” Univ Lethbridge, Feb 18.
 “The Sorites Paradox and the Logic of Vagueness”, WCPA, Calgary, Oct 19.
- 1983 “General Terms as Rigid Designators”, WCPA, Winnipeg, Oct.
- 1984 Comments on William Lycan, Conference on the Philosophy of Donald Davidson, New Brunswick, New Jersey, May 1.
 “General Terms as Rigid Designators” Society for Exact Philosophy, University of Georgia, Athens, May 3.
- 1985 “Factives, Blindspots and Some Paradoxes”, Simon Fraser Univ, Feb, SEP, Toronto, May.
- 1987 “Propositional Functions and Universals in *Principia Mathematica*”, APA, Central Div, Chicago, May 1, and at CPA, Hamilton, May 27.
 Comments on Ralph Johnson, CPA, Hamilton, May 24.
 “Truth-at-a-World and Other Semantic Facts”, U of Calgary, Nov 17.
- 1988 Comments on Robert Tully, CPA, Windsor, May 28.
 “Truth-at-a-World ...”, CPA, Windsor, May 28.
- 1989 Comments on Kenneth Ferguson, APA Central Div, Chicago, Apr. 28.
 Comments on Andrew Irvine, CPA, Quebec, May 27.
- 1990 “Truth Makers for Modal Propositions”, Center for the Study of Language and Information, Stanford Univ, April 26.
- 1991 “Russellian Propositions and Russell’s Multiple Relation Theory of Belief”, Univ of Rochester, April 29
 and at a conference: “Russell and the Rise of Analytic Philosophy”, Univ of British Columbia, June 15.
 Comments on Henry Laycock, CPA, Kingston, May 29.
 “A Note on the ‘Carving up Content’ Principle in Frege’s Theory of Sense”, CPA, Kingston, May 29.
- 1992 “A Note on the ‘Carving up Content’ Principle ...” Logic Section, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Beijing, May 14.
 “In Defense of the Simplest Quantified Modal Logic”, Logic Section, Dept of Philosophy, Beijing U, May 16, at the WCPA, Saskatoon, Oct 24 and the Univ of Western Ontario, Nov 26.
 “Metaphysics in the English Speaking World Since 1945”, Dept of Philosophy, Fudan Univ, Shanghai, May 19 and Univ of Waterloo, Nov. 27.

- 1993 “In Defense . . .”, SEP, Toronto, May 13.
 Comments on Greg Fitch, APA Pac Div, San Francisco, Mar 26.
 Comments on Jonathan Strand, APA Central Div, Chicago, April 24.
- 1994 Comments on Robert Tully, CPA, Calgary, June 11.
 “Naturalized Platonism vs. Platonized Naturalism”, WCPA Regina, Oct 21.
- 1995 “Naturalized Platonism . . .”, (presented with Edward Zalta) Univ of California at Irvine, Feb 22, and UC Santa Barbara, Feb 25. 21st Philosophy of Science Conference, Inter-University Center, Dubrovnik, Croatia, April 11.
 Comments on Greg Fitch, APA Pac Div, San Francisco, Mar 31.
 “Russell’s Logical Constructions”, Society for Exact Philosophy (SEP), Calgary, May 28, CPA, Montreal, June 3.
 Comments on John Devlin, CPA, Montreal, June 4.
- 1996 Comments on J. Andrew Schwartz, American Philosophical Association (APA), Pacific Division, Seattle, Apr 5.
 Comments on Brendan Gillon, CPA, St.Catherines, June 1.
 Comments on Darryl Jung, CPA, St.Catherines, June 1.
 “The Theory of Types in *Principia Mathematica*”, U. of Leeds, Nov7.
 “Russell’s Logical Constructions”, British Soc for the Phil of Science, LSE, London, Nov 11.
- 1997 “Russell’s Logical Constructions”, Macquarie Univ, Sydney, Mar 12, Univ of Melbourne, May 2.
 “The Theory of Types in *Principia Mathematica*”, Research School of Social Sciences, Australian National Univ, Canberra , Mar 27, Monash Univ, Melbourne, May 2 Univ of Queensland, Brisbane, May 9.
 “Possible objects and the Contingently Nonconcrete”, Univ of New South Wales, Sydney, May 23.
 “Russell’s Logical Atomism”, Dept of Philosophy, Australian National Univ, Canberra, May 30.
- 1998 “Placing Intentional Objects in Naturalism”, CPA, Ottawa, May 27, Dalhousie Univ, Aug 24.
 “Comments on Martens on S4”, CPA Ottawa May 27
 “Revisiting *Principia Mathematica*”, Univ of Calgary, Oct 30.
 “Russell’s Logical Form, LF and Truth Conditions”, WCPA, Vancouver, Nov 6.

- 1999 “Whistling what you don’t say: Comments on Elugardo and Stainton”, CPA, Sherbrooke June 4.
 “Impredicative Functions in *Principia Mathematica*; Comments on Landini”, Bertrand Russell Society, Boston Dec 28.
- 2000 “Comments on Rodych on Gödel’s Refutation of the Syntactical Point of View”, CPA, Edmonton, May 26.
 “Comments on V. Dayal - On the singular/plural distinction for kind terms” (with F.J.Pelletier), Rutgers University Center for Cognitive Science, Semantics Workshop, Sept 23.
 “Russell’s Resolution of Russell’s Paradox”, Dept. of Philosophy UCLA, Workshop on Philosophy of Mathematics, Nov 29.
- 2001 “Logical Types in Arguments about Knowability and Belief”, Conference on “The Limits of Warrant”, University of Waterloo, May 18, WCPA, Regina, Oct 12.
 “Remarks on Platonized Naturalism”, Symposium at Canadian Philosophical Association (CPA), Quebec City, May 24.
 “Are There Too Many Classes in *Principia Mathematica*?”, CPA, Quebec City, May 26.
 “Classes of Classes and Classes of Functions in *Principia Mathematica*”, June 4 and “Symposium on Propositional Functions”, June 5, at the conference: “One Hundred Years of Russell’s Paradox”, Ludwig Maximilian University, Munich.
- 2002 “Classes of Classes and Classes of Functions in *Principia Mathematica*”, *Society for Exact Philosophy*, Washington Univ, St. Louis, May 23, Victoria University of Wellington, Aug 2
 “Remarks on Platonized Naturalism”, University of Auckland, Aug 9
 “Logical Types in Arguments about Knowledge and Belief”, University of Sydney, Aug 19, University of Auckland, Aug 23
 Comments on Nicole Wyatt “Compositionality and context sensitivity”, WCPA, U of Calgary, Oct 27.
- 2003 “Comments on Marc Moffett on Doxastic Shift”, APA Pacific Division, San Francisco, March 27.
 “Remarks on Platonized Naturalism”, Univ. of Western Ontario, Oct 15, Department of Logic and Metaphysics, St.Andrews University, Dec 1.
 “Classes of Classes and Classes of Functions in *Principia Mathematica*, Logic Colloquium, McMaster University, Oct 21.
 “Logical Types in Arguments about Knowability and Belief”, Philosophy, McMaster U, Oct 24.

- “General Terms as Rigid Designators”, workshop on Modality, Department of Logic and Metaphysics, St. Andrews University, Nov 28.
- “Leon Chwistek on the No-Classes Theory in *Principia Mathematica*”, Workshop on the *Tractatus*, Department of Philosophy, Stirling University, Dec 6.
- 2004 “Remarks on Platonized Naturalism”, 31st Philosophy of Science Conference, Inter-University Centre, Dubrovnik, April 20.
- “What is Frege’s Theory of Definite Descriptions?” (with F.J.Pelletier), SEP, Univ of Maryland, May 15.
- “Leon Chwistek’s Theory of Constructive Types”, Conference: “Logic, Ontology, and Aesthetics, the Golden Age of Polish Philosophy”, Montreal, Sept 25.
- “What is Frege’s Theory ...?” (with F.J.Pelletier), WCPA, Victoria, B.C., October 29.
- 2005 “Logical Analysis and Logical Constructions”, British Society for the History of Philosophy conference “The Varieties of Analysis: Conceptions of Analysis in the History of Philosophy”, Oxford, March 30.
- “What is Frege’s Theory of Definite Descriptions?” (with F.J.Pelletier), Conference: “Russell vs. Meinong”, Bertrand Russell Research Centre, Hamilton, Ontario, May 14.
- “The Second Edition of *Principia Mathematica*”, Bertrand Russell Society, Hamilton, May 14. 2004. “Russell’s Notes on Frege’s *Begriffsschrift* and *Grundgesetze*”, SEP, Toronto, May 22.
- “Russell’s Notes on Frege’s Theory of *Sinn* and *Bedeutung*”, CPA, London Ontario, May 31.
- Comments on Ben Caplan, “The Way Things Were”, CPA, London Ontario, May 31.
- 2006 Comments on Mark McCullagh “The Mates Cases and the Generality Constraint”, WCPA, Vancouver, Oct 15.
- “The Second Edition of *Principia Mathematica*: Notes and Manuscripts from the Bertrand Russell Archives”, Dept. of Phil, University of Oklahoma, Oct 27.
- 2007 Comments on Heimir Geirsson, “Acquaintance and de re belief”, APA Pacific Division, San Francisco, April 8.
- “Appendix B of the Second Edition of *Principia Mathematica*”, Society for Exact Philosophy, Vancouver, May 20.
- “A function only appears in a proposition through its values”, Department of Philosophy, Leeds University, Nov 22. Philosophy Seminar, University of Helsinki, Dec 7.

- 2008 Comments on Greg Lavers, ‘Benacerraf’s Dilemma and Informal Mathematics’, CPA, Vancouver, June 2.
- Comments on Richard Vallee “Comparative Utterances”, CPA, Vancouver, June 5.
- “From Descriptive Functions to Sets of Ordered Pairs”, 31st International Wittgenstein Symposium, Kirchberg am Wechsel, Austria, August 12.
- “Russell and Frege on Functions”, 4th International Symposium for Cognition, Logic and Communication, University of Latvia, Riga, August 29.
- Comments on Chad Carmichael’s “Moderate Composition Without Vague Existence”, WCPA, Edmonton, Oct 18.
- 2009 Comments on Harold Hodes “Some Remarks on Ramified-type Logic”, Conference on Philosophical Logic, Department of Philosophy, Princeton University, May 23.
- “The Paradox in Russell’s Letter to Frege of June 16, 1902”, WCPA, Regina, Oct 16.
- 2010 “The Paradox in Russell’s Letter to Frege of June 16, 1902” Bertrand Russell Society, McMaster University, May 23.
- “Revising *Principia Mathematica*” Bertrand Russell’s Notes and Manuscripts for the Second Edition”, Conference: PM@100: Logic from 1910-1927, McMaster University, May 24 (self-invited as co-organizer).
- “Russell on ‘The Problem of the Unity of the Proposition’ ” Logos Colloquium, Facultat de Filosofia, University of Barcelona, October 20 and to the X Coloquio Compestelano de Lógica y Filosofía Analítica, University of Santiago de Compostela, October 27.
- “The Paradox in Russell’s Letter to Frege of June 16, 1902” to the 1st joint LanCog-Logos Workshop, Faculdade de Letras de Lisboa, University of Lisbon October 29.
- 2011 “Logical types and Ontology” Workshop on Type-Theory, Russell Research Centre, McMaster University, February 25.
- “Russell, Meinong and Neo-Meinongianism” Institut für Christliche Philosophie, University of Innsbruck, May 18.
- “The Paradox in Russell’s Letter to Frege of June 16, 1902” Department of Philosophy, University of Salzburg, May 26.
- “The Paradox in Russell’s Letter to Frege of June 16, 1902” Conference: La crise des fondements: quelle crise?/ The Foundational Crisis: Which Crisis?, Université de Montréal, October 8.
- 2012 “Russell’s Paradox of Predicates” University of Calgary, Department of Philosophy, March 14.

- “Mally’s Anticipation of Encoding” First annual meeting of the Society for the Study of the History of Analytic Philosophy, McMaster University, May.
- “Sense Data, Acquaintance, and Certainty” at Bertrand Russell’s *Problems of Philosophy*: The Centenary Conference, University of Mississippi, Oxford, November 29.
- 2013 “Russell and Meinong’s School” at the Terceiro Simpósio Internacional de Filosofia da Linguagem e Metafísica na Universidade Federal Fluminense, Niterói, Rio de Janeiro, April 8.
- “H.M. Sheffer’s Notes on Russell’s Lectures on Logic; Cambridge, Michaelmas Term 1910” Bertrand Russell Society, Iowa City, Iowa, June 1.
- “Leonard Linsky on Russell on Meinong”, Leonard Linsky Memorial Conference, University of Chicago, November 2.
- “Notes on Russell’s Lectures on Logic: 1910 and 1914” Conference: Russell and Wittgenstein at the Crossroads 1911-1921, McMaster University, November 8.
- 2014 “Writing *The Problems of Philosophy*” Society for the Study of the History of Analytic Philosophy, Montreal, May 23.
- “Author meets Critics: John Woods’ *Errors of Reasoning*” Western Canadian Philosophical Association, UBC, Vancouver, October 5.
- Comments on Timothy Houk “Solving the Transitivity Problem: A Defense of Mereological Russellian Propositions” Western Canadian Philosophical Association, UBC, Vancouver, October 5.
- 2015 “Peirce’s Law from *The Principles of Mathematics* to *Principia Mathematica*” American Philosophical Association (Pacific Division), Vancouver B.C., April 1.
- “Propositional Logic from *Principles of Mathematics* to *Principia Mathematica*” Society for Exact Philosophy, McMaster University, May 22.
- “Russell’s 1914 Course on Advanced Logic at Harvard” Society for the Study of the History of Analytical Philosophy, Trinity College Dublin, June 4.
- “The Harry T. Costello Papers”, Bertrand Russell Society, Trinity College Dublin, June 6.
- 2016 (with F. Jeffry Pelletier) “The Hysteron Proteron Argument” Western Canadian Philosophical Association, Edmonton, October 29.
- 2017 “T.S. Eliot’s notes on Advanced Logic, Harvard 1914”. Conference: Logic and Literary Form, Townsend Center for the Humanities, University of California, Berkeley, April 15.

- “Bertrand Russell ‘Advanced Logic’, Harvard 1914: Notes by Harry T. Costello and T.S. Eliot”, Department of Philosophy, Wesleyan University, Connecticut, April 20.
- (with Jeffry Pelletier) “Verification: The *Hysteron Proteron* Argument”, Society for the Study of the History of Analytical Philosophy, Calgary, May 8.
- “Bertrand Russell’s Lectures on Logic: Notes by Henry Sheffer, Harry Costello, and T.S. Eliot”, Plenary Talk, Society for the Study of the History of Philosophy, Calgary, May 9.
- “The Near Riot Over Negative Facts”, Obermann Summer Seminar, University of Iowa, Iowa City, June 13.
- 2018 “Notes on Bertrand Russell’s Lectures on Logic 1910 and 1914”, Institute of Philosophy, University of Warsaw, Warsaw, February 2.
- “Leon Chwistek on Platonism and Constructivism in the Philosophy of Mathematics”, Polish Philosophical Society, Krakow, February 5.
- “Verificationism: The *Hysteron Proteron* Argument” (co-author F. J. Pelletier), Institute of Philosophy, Jagiellonian University, Krakow, February 7.
- “Leon Chwistek on Platonism and Constructivism”, Colloquium of the Kazimierz Twardowski Society, L’viv, Ukraine, February 11.
- “Leon Chwistek on Platonism and Constructivism”, Society for the Study of the History of Analytical Philosophy (SSHAP), Hamilton, June 21.
- “Who was the present King of France?”, Bertrand Russell Society, Hamilton, June 24.
- “Finding Russell’s Lectures in China”, roundtable on “The Reception of Analytic Philosophy in China”, Jiang Yi and Bernard Linsky, moderators, World Congress of Philosophy, Beijing, August 19.
- 2019 “Comments on Landon Elkind: A Theorem of Infinity for *Principia Mathematica*”, American Philosophical Association, New York, January 7.
- “Bertrand Russell in China”, Annual Philosophy Lecture 2019, Department of Philosophy, University of Alberta, Edmonton, March 28.
- “Bertrand Russell in China: Roundtable on Analytic Philosophy in China” Society for the Study of the History of Analytic Philosophy (SSHAP), 2019, Boston, Mass. June 18.
- “The Corrected Proofs of *Principia Mathematica* in the Bertrand Russell Archives”, Bertrand Russell Society, U. Mass, Amherst, June 21. McMaster University Library, Hamilton, October 4.
- 2020 “Bertrand Russell’s Lectures on Logic and Philosophy in Beijing”, International Conference for the Centenary of Russell’s Visit to China and Lectures at Peking University, online, Peking University, November 7.

- 2022 “The use of dots in *Principia Mathematica*”, Bertrand Russell Society, Hamilton, June 4.
- “Zheng Weiping’s New Translation”, online talk “Russell and his *The Problems of Philosophy*”, China Renmin University Press, June 30.
- “On the use of dots in *Principia Mathematica*”, Society for the Study of the History of Analytic Philosophy (SSHAP), online, Shanxi University, July 6.
- “Bertrand Russell in China”, online lecture to Summer Seminar on Analytic Philosophy and China, Shanxi University, August 10.
- “Reflections on Lukasiewicz ‘The Principle of Contradiction and Symbolic Logic’”, online. Symposium: History in/of the Lvov-Warsaw School, LWS Research Centre, University of Warsaw, Oct. 20.

Grants

- 1991 Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) The Metaphysics of Formal Semantics, 4/91-3/94: \$25,800.
- 1994 SSHRC: The Metaphysical Foundations of Logic, 4/94-3/97: \$5,000.
- 1995 U. of A. Central Research Fund: Dubrovnik, Croatia, 1/95: \$1,928.
- 1997 Bertrand Russell’s Metaphysical Logic (“SSHRC 4A”), Vice President (Research), 5/97 - 12/98: \$3,000
- 2004 Russell and Neo-Russelianism (“SSHRC 4A”), VP (Research), 6/04-12/04, \$5,000.
- The Second Edition of *Principia Mathematica*, HFASSR fund, \$5,731. Faculty of Arts, SAS fund. 6/04-12/04, \$2,595.
- 2005 SSHRC, The Second Edition of *Principia Mathematica*, 4/05-3/07: \$26,332.
- 2008 SSHRC, Studies in Whitehead and Russell’s *Principia Mathematica*, 4/08-3/11: \$51,778.
- 2014 SSHRC, Bertrand Russell’s notes, lectures, and critics 1905-1914, 4/14-3/2018: \$77,051.

Teaching (in academic year beginning)

- 1975 Intro to Philosophy (full year), Set Theory (year), Modal Logic, Practical Logic.
- 1976 Intro to Symbolic Logic(year), Practical Logic, Computability and Logic, Seminar in Philosophy of Language.
- 1977 Practical Logic, Intermediate Symbolic Logic I, Intermediate Logic II, Phil Language, Modal Logic.

- 1978 Intro Phil (year), Phil Language, Computability and Logic, Many-valued Logic.
- 1979 Intro Logic (year), Honors Tutorial, Set Theory, Directed Reading, Sem Phil Lang.
- 1980 Intro Logic (year), Computability and Logic, Phil Lang, Phil Mathematics.
- 1981 Intro Phil, Intro Logic (year), Modal Logic, Seminar Phil Lang.
- 1982 Sabbatical: Jan - March 1983, Visiting Scholar, Dept. of Philosophy, University of California at Los Angeles.
- 1983 Intro Metaphysics, Phil Lang, Sem Phil Lang, Modal Logic, Computability and Logic, Hons Sem.
- 1984 Practical Logic (twice), Sem Metaphysics, Early Analytic Phil, Philosophy of Math.
- 1985 Practical Logic, Intro Logic, Modal Logic, Hons Sem: Phil Lang.
- 1986 Practical Logic, Intro Logic, Metaphysics, Computability & Logic, Seminar: Reference
- 1987 Intro Phil (year), Intro Logic, Hons Tutorial, Sem Phil Lang.
- 1988 Intro Phil (year), Intro Logic, Hons Sem, Hons Tutorial.
- 1989 Sabbatical: Sept 1989 - June 1990, Visiting Scholar, Center for the Study of Language and Information, Stanford University
- 1990 Intro Phil (year), Hons Seminar, Seminar: Descriptions.
- 1991 Intro Phil (year), Intro Logic, Hons Sem, Computability & Logic.
- 1992 Intermediate Logic, Phil Lang, Modal Logic, Phil Lang.
- 1993 Metaphysics, Intro Logic, Phil of Language, Kant to Russell, Seminar on Logical Positivism.
- 1994 Intro Phil: Knowledge & Reality, Intro Logic, Metaphysics, Intermediate Symbolic Logic, Hons Tutorial, Sem on Metaphysics.
- 1995 Intro Phil: Knowledge & Reality, Early Analytic Philosophy, Intro. Phil: Values & Society, Intro Logic, Sem Phil of Mathematics, Modal Logic.
- 1996 Sabbatical: Jan - June 1997, Visiting Fellow (without stipend), Philosophy Program, Research School of Social Sciences, Australian National University.
- 1997 Course Coordinator and lecturer, Introduction to Philosophy: Knowledge & Reality, Intro Symbolic Logic, Sem: Universals and Facts.

- 1998 Phil Language, Intro Metaphysics.
- 1999 Seminar on Logicism, Practical Logic for Nursing Students, Intro to Metaphysics, Hons essay supervisor.
- 2000 4th Year Hons Sem on Ethics, Sem Metaphysics: Ontology, Hons essay supervisor.
- 2001 Phil Language, Intro Symbolic Logic.
- 2002 (University of Auckland, July-August) Intro to Metaphysics, Phil of Language, Sem on Metaphysics.
(Sept-April) Intro to Symbolic Logic, Russell to Quine.
- 2003 Administrative Leave: July 2003 - June 2004. Directed Reading (1).
- 2004 Descartes to Hume, 4th Year Hons Sem: Leibniz and Russell, Intro Logic, Phil Lang.
- 2005 Seminar on Philosophy of Language: Reference, Hons. essay supervisor.
- 2006 Seminar on Logicism, Guest Lecture (Seminar on History of Logic, Simon Fraser University, March 31, 2006.)
- 2007 Seminar on Metaphysics: Ontology
- 2008 3rd Year Hons Seminar, Philosophy of Language, Metaphysics, Introduction to Philosophy: Knowledge and Reality.
- 2009 Metaphysics, Seminar: Realism and the background of Analytic Philosophy, Introduction to Philosophy: Knowledge and Reality. Hons. essay supervisor.
- 2010 Sabbatical: Guest lectures in various courses: University of Innsbruck, May 10, May 24, May 31 and at the Seminary Nicolas Cusanus, Brixen (Bressanone), Italy, May 19.
- 2011 Introduction to Symbolic Logic, Introduction to Philosophy: Knowledge and Reality, Philosophy of Language, 4th Year Hons Seminar.
- 2012 Introduction to Symbolic Logic, Directed reading: Logicism.
- 2013 Introduction to Symbolic Logic, Descartes to Hume.
- 2014 Introduction to Symbolic Logic, Descartes to Hume, Seminar on Early Analytic Philosophy.
- 2015 Introduction to Symbolic Logic, Philosophy of Language and Seminar on the History of Analytic Philosophy (both taught with F.J.Pelletier).

- 2016 Introduction to Symbolic Logic, Descartes to Hume. Five lectures on “Early Analytic Philosophy: Bertrand Russell and His Contemporaries”, Beijing Normal University, China, April 20-29.
- 2017 Introduction to Symbolic Logic, Seminar on Early Analytic Philosophy: Frege, Russell, and Wittgenstein.

Graduate Student Supervision

Supervisor

- Jian Kang “D. Davidson: Description and Differentiation” MA 1985
- Robert Bright “Nominalism Reconsidered” MA 1985
- Qiuen Yu “Consistency, Mechanicalness and Incompleteness” MA 1989
- Joanne Cey “Logical Form and LF” MA 1992
- Stephen Jones “Donald Davidson: Philosophy of Language without Languages?” MA 1992
- Michael Pool “Causal Constraints on Mathematical Knowledge” MA 1994
- Sarah Hoffman “Mathematics as Make-Believe: A Constructive Empiricist Account” PhD 1999
- Glenn Parsons “The Bundle Theory, Substance and Spacetime” (co-supervisor with A. Rueger) PhD 2001
- Jennifer Runke “Davidson’s Theory of Metaphor: Context not Content” MA 2002
- Gillian Shiskin “ ‘Because’ : An Explanation of the Pragmatics involved in Understanding ‘Because’ ” MA 2004
- Maryanne LeNebat “A Feminist Critique of Logic” MA 2005
- Vladan Djordevic, “Counterfactuals” PhD 2005
- Djordje (George) Belic “Ought Implies Might Not” MA 2006
- Seyed N. Mousavian “Empty Names and Russellian Propositions” (co-supervisor with Adam Morton) PhD 2008
- Peter Dobozy “Holy Intertextual Identity Conditions, Batman!” MA 2010
- Jeff Fedorkiw “The Language of Thought” (co-supervisor with Jeff Pelletier) MA 2011
- Morteza Abedinifard “The Status of Aesthetics in Wittgenstein’s *Tractatus* MA 2013
- Reza Sebt “The Status of Mathematical Induction in an Axiomatic System” MA 2014
- Hassan Masoud “The Epistemology of Natural Deduction” PhD 2015
- Özkan Öcevik “Conditional Sentences in Belief Revision Systems” MA 2015

Nasrin Sultana “A Defense of Bertrand Russell’s Theory of Definite Descriptions Against Donnellan’s Distinction”, co-supervised with Ingo Brigandt, MA 2017

Yang Zhao “The Nature of Scientific Laws”, co-supervised with Ingo Brigandt, MA 2018

Selcuk Kaan Tabacki “Actualism or Possibilism: A Grounding Approach”, MA 2018

Luke McNulty “Resolution’s Realism: Wittgenstein and Kierkegaard on the Remembrance of Meaning”, PhD 2020

Member, Supervisory Committees

PhD: Niall Shanks 1987, Bryan Wiebe 1988, Christos Panayides 2000, Murat Baç 2001, Matthew Stephens 2001, Patrick McGivern 2005, Yoshiki Kobasigawa (U.Calgary) 2006, Shaheen Islam 2009, Joel Buenting 2011, Jason Taylor 2011, Octavian Ion 2011, Ka Ho Lam 2019, Nicholas Ferenz 2019.

MA: Brendan Leier 1994, Sylvia Burrow 1997, Nikki Albert 2001, Chris Lepock 2002, Emily Jaklic 2002, Jim Stenberg 2005, Matthew Barker 2005, Yual Chiek 2007, Aristotle Hadjiantoniou 2009, Edward Hayman 2010, John Kardosh 2011, Nika Pona 2013, Lianghua Zhou 2015, Meysam Shojaheenajad 2017, Jackson Sawatzky 2019, Julian Chow 2020.

Member, Examining Committees (MA and PhD) in Philosophy, Sociology, Computing Science, Mathematics, Educational Policy Studies, Art and Design, at UofA. James Scott, MA Philosophy, University of Calgary.

External Examiner, Ph.D.

Nirmal Mukherji, University of Waterloo 1987
Brent Smart, University of British Columbia 1997
Mark Colyvan, Australian National University 1997
Nancy Salay, Dalhousie University 1998
Carolyn Swanson, Guelph University 2005
Anssi Korhonen, “Opponent”, University of Helsinki 2007
Gulberk Koç, McMaster University 2008
Mostafa Mansur, University of Calgary 2012
Teppei Hayashi, University of Calgary 2017

University Administration

University

Representative of General Faculties Council on Department Chair Selection Committees (1991-92): Genetics and Ophthalmology.

Member, review committee, Faculty of Graduate Studies & Research departmental reviews: Comparative Literature, Religion, Film/Media Studies (1999), Linguistics (2004).

Member, internal review committee, Canada Research Chairs Program.
Dean Selection Committee for Faculty of Arts, 2009.

Faculty

Member, Faculty of Arts Academic Affairs Committee, 1987-89, 2004-05. Dean's representative, hiring committees, Comp Lit, Modern Languages, 1998, Political Science, 2005.

Associate Dean (Research), Faculty of Arts, 2005 - 2008.

Ex officio offices: Member, Dean's Advisory Council (DAC). Chair: Faculty of Arts Research Committee, Faculty Support for the Advancement of Scholarship (SAS) Grant Committee. Member, Faculty Evaluation Committee (FEC). Member, University Research Policy Committee (URPC). Dean's representative, Advisory Selection Committees.

Elected member, Faculty Evaluation Committee (FEC), 2011-14.

Department

Member of department committees: Nominating Committee, Staff Selection, Graduate Studies, Visiting Speakers.

Chair, Dept Graduate Studies Committee and adviser, 1983-86.

Chair, Dept Undergraduate Studies Committee and adviser, 1990-93.

Acting Chair, Department of Philosophy, July 1997 - June 1999.

Chair, Department of Philosophy, July 1999 - June 2003. *Ex officio* member: Faculty Chair's Council, Faculty Evaluation Committee, Department Committees; Graduate Studies, Undergraduate Studies, Staff Selection Advisory Committee.

Associate Chair (Graduate Studies), July 2009 - June 2010.

Editing

Editor, *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*:

Board of Executive Editors, 1986-95. Book Review Editor, 1991-94.

Guest Editor: *Philosophical Studies*, Vol.65, Nos 1-2 February 1992, and Vol.69, Nos. 2-3 March 1993. (Papers from APA - Pacific Division, 1991 and 1992).

Editorial Board: *Russell: Journal of Bertrand Russell Studies*. 2009 -

Special Issue Vol.31, no.1, Summer 2011 *Principia Mathematica at 100*, edited by Nicholas Griffin, Bernard Linsky and Kenneth Blackwell. Published separately by Bertrand Russell Research Centre, McMaster University.

Advisory Board: *The Review of Symbolic Logic*, 2014-

Review Editors, member: *The Bulletin of Symbolic Logic*, 2015-2020.

Referee:

Journal articles: *Al-Mukhatabat* (Tunisia), *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *Axioms*, *British Journal for the History of Philosophy*, *British Journal for the Philosophy of Science*, *Bulletin of Symbolic Logic*, *Canadian Journal of Philosophy*, *Dialogue*, *Dialectica*, *Ergo*, *Erkenntnis*, *Grazer Philosophische Studien*, *History and Philosophy of Logic*, *Humanitarian Vision* (Lviv, Ukraine), *International Studies in the Philosophy of Science*, *Journal of the History of Philosophy*, *Journal of Philosophical Logic*, *Journal of Philosophical Research*, *The Journal of Philosophy*, *Linguistics and Philosophy*, *Linguistic Inquiry*, *Logic and Logical Philosophy* (Poland), *Mind*, *Notre Dame Journal of Formal Logic*, *Noûs*, *Philosopher's Imprint*, *Philosophical Papers*, *Philosophical Quarterly*, *Philosophical Studies*, *Philosophia*, *Philosophia Mathematica*, *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*, *Philosophies*, *Polish Journal of Philosophy*, *Religion*, *South African Journal of Philosophy*, *Synthese*, *Theoria*, *Tijdschrift voor Filosofie* (Leuven), *Vienna Circle Institute Yearbook*.

Books and Book proposals: Acumen Publishing, Bloomsbury Press, Broadview, Blackwell Publishers, Cambridge University Press, Canadian Federation for the Humanities, Oxford University Press, Princeton University Press, Palgrave Macmillan, Routledge, University of Toronto Press.

Service to the Profession and Public

“Rapporteur”, FOIP2002 Conference (Freedom of Information and Privacy Protection), Edmonton, June 12-13, 2002. (Summary remarks at conclusion of conference.)

Public Talks: Philosopher’s Cafés, 90 minute conversations with a guest “expert” held in various local restaurants and bars. About 25, monthly during the academic year, Nov 1999 to May 2003.

Conference Organizing Committee:

Western Canadian Philosophical Association, Edmonton, Oct 1981.

Society for Exact Philosophy: Honolulu, Feb 1986, Edmonton, Aug 1989 and Edmonton, May 2009.

“Philosophy and Biology”, Edmonton, May 1987.

PM@100: Logic from 1910-1927, McMaster University, May 2010, organized with Nicholas Griffin, Bertrand Russell Research Centre.

American Philosophical Association (Pacific Division):

Program Committee, member, 1988-91.

Chair, Program Committee 1991-92.

Chair, Nominating Committee, 1996-97, 2002-03.

Member, *Ad hoc* committee on by-law amendments, 2006.

Canadian Philosophical Association:

Member, Program Committee, 1986.

Board of Directors, 1987-89.
Chair, Nominating Committee, 2000.

Referee, Tenure and Promotion cases:

University of Calgary, Dalhousie University, University of California at Berkeley, Simon Fraser University, York University Toronto, University of Texas at Austin, University of Iowa, St. Louis University, Victoria University of Wellington, University of Massachusetts Amherst, Hofstra University, Lehman College CUNY, University of Nebraska, Harvard University, University of Ottawa, Texas A&M, Peking University, City University of New York, Manchester University.

External Reviewer:

Dept of Phil, Simon Fraser University, March 1994.
OCGS Extended Review, Dept of Phil, University of Waterloo, 2010.
Cyclical Review, Dept of Phil, University of Toronto Mississauga, 2012.
Review for Dean of Arts, Dept of Phil, MacEwan University, 2012.
Quality Review for Department of Religion and Philosophy, Concordia University of Edmonton, 2018.
BA proposal, Department of Religion and Philosophy, Concordia University of Edmonton, 2021.

Grant Reviews:

Canadian Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) research programmes
Canadian Philosophical Association (conference papers)
SSHRC research grants, referee
Canada Research Chairs Program (College of Reviewers)
Chair, Committee # 2, Aid to Scholarly Journals Program, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Sept, 2008.