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Curriculum Vitae

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Educational Record:

1. Harvard College (1960–64), A.B.scl, Field of concentration: Philosophy
Honors thesis: “Understanding in Wittgenstein’s Tractatus Logico-Philosophicus.”
Thesis director: John Rawls
2. Harvard University (1964–68), Ph.D. (March 1969), Field: Philosophy
Dissertation: “Wittgenstein, Philosophy, Logic and Mathematics.” Thesis
committee: Burton S. Dreben and Stanley Cavell

Teaching Experience:

1. As a graduate student, I taught logic, introductory philosophy, ancient philosophy and tutorials.
2. From January 1969 until June 1974 I was Assistant Professor at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. I taught a range of subjects from introductory material through political philosophy and the history of philosophy, but my main responsibility was philosophy of mathematics and mathematical logic.
3. In the spring of 1970 I was visiting Assistant Professor at C.C.N.Y.
4. From October 1974 until September 1984 I was Lecturer in Philosophy at University College London. I was Senior Lecturer there from October 1984 until September 1990, and Reader in the University of London from October 1990 until December 1991.

I taught a very broad range of subjects, and had primary responsibility for mathematical logic and philosophy of mathematics.

From 1980 until 1988 I was Departmental Tutor, responsible for the undergraduate program and for admission to the college of all undergraduates studying philosophy.

5. From 1980 until 1991 I gave a term’s lectures each year at Cambridge University on philosophy of mathematics.

6. In the autumn of 1988 I was visiting Professor of Philosophy at the University of Pennsylvania.
7. I was temporary Lecturer in Philosophy at Lincoln College Oxford for the Michaelmas Term of 1990 and the Hilary Term of 1991.
8. From January 1992 until July 1992 I was Associate Professor of Philosophy at the University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, and I was Professor of Philosophy there from August 1992 until July 1993.
9. In August 1993 I became Professor of Philosophy at the University of Illinois at Chicago.

Areas of Special Competence:

1. Philosophy of logic and mathematics
2. Elementary and intermediate mathematical logic
3. Metaphysics and epistemology

Other Areas of Interest:

1. History of analytic philosophy
2. Recursion theory
3. Social choice theory and politics

Languages:

French, German, Greek, Latin, Spanish

Honors and Awards:

Detur Award (1961), John Harvard Scholarships (1961–62 and 1963–64), Harvard College Scholarship (1962–63), Phi Beta Kappa (1964), A.B. summa cum laude (1964), Woodrow Wilson Fellowship (1964–65, Honorary), Harvard Graduate National Fellowship (1964–68), Arthur Lehman Scholarship (1966–69), Summer Institute in Philosophy of Language at Irvine, California (1971)

Other Responsibilities:

1. For some years I was an external examiner at the University of Ghana. I was an external examiner for the London School of Economics and for the North London Polytechnic from 1988 to 1990, and for Cambridge University in 1988.
2. For some years I was chief examiner in 'A' level logic in the U.K.

3. I was a member of UCL's Committee on Grants for Conference Expenses for seven years, of the Subcommittee on the Grote Chair of the Academic Board of UCL, and of the Shearman Lectureship Committee. I was also a member of the Publications Committee, the Academic Advisory Panel, and the Academic Board.
4. I was a member of the University of London Senate, and thus also of the Academic Council and the Standing Committee on Theology, Arts and Music.
5. At UIC in 1993–94 I worked on the Recruitment Committee and the Promotion and Tenure Committee. In 1994–95 I was acting chair of the department.
6. From 1995 until 2006 I was chair of the department at UIC.
7. I am presently a member of the Executive Committee, the Promotions and Tenure Committee, and the Recruitment Committee in the Philosophy Department.

Publications:

A. Book:

The Engines of the Soul (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1988).

Author meets Critics session on The Engines of the Soul at the Pacific Division meetings of the APA, March 1994.

Selections of The Engines of the Soul to be included in Brie Gertler and Lawrence Shapiro, *Arguing about the Mind* (London: Routledge, due 2007).

In progress:

A selective critical history of interactions between philosophy and logic for a series of books edited by Paul Guyer for Cambridge University Press.

B. Anthology:

Readings in the Philosophy of Mathematics, edited, with an introduction (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1996). This is a revision of the old Hintikka volume. The two have no overlap; mine is a collection of philosophy papers, not mathematics.

C. Papers:

1. "Skolem's Promises and Paradoxes," *Journal of Philosophy* 67 (26 February 1970): 98–109.

2. "On Self-Reference," *Philosophical Review* 79 (October 1970): 523–28.
3. "The Whole Sense of the Tractatus," *Journal of Philosophy* 68 (6 May 1971): 273–88.
4. "Probability as Degree of Possibility," *Notre Dame Journal of Formal Logic* 13 (April 1972): 286–88.
5. "On Utopia and Unanimity," *Ethics* 84 (April 1974): 243–47.
6. "On an Argument for Formalism," *Journal of Philosophy* 71 (31 January 1974): 29–46.
7. "Innate Ideas and A Priori Knowledge," in *Innate Ideas*, ed. Stephen P. Stich (Berkeley: University of California Press, 1975), 107–10.
8. "The Potential Infinite," *Proceedings of the Aristotelian Society*, 1975–76 86 (1976): 247–64.
9. (with Colin McGinn), "Knowledge and Necessity," *Journal of Philosophical Logic* 5 (1976): 205–08.
10. "Imagination, Necessity and Abstract Objects," in *Studies on Frege*, ed. Matthias Schirn (Stuttgart: Friedrich Frommann Verlag, 1976), 1: 161–92.
11. (with Colin McGinn), "On Propositions," *Notre Dame Journal of Formal Logic* 19 (April 1978): 299–306.
12. "Access and Inference," *Aristotelian Society*, supplementary vol. 53 (1979): 153–65.
13. "Causation and Self-Reference," in *Papers on Language and Logic*, ed. J. Dancy (Keele University, n.d. [1980]), 71–87; reprinted in *Self-Reference: Reflections on Reflexivity*, ed. Stephen J. Bartlett and Peter Suber (Dordrecht: M. Nijhoff, 1987), 179–92.
14. "Models of Repression," in *Philosophical Essays on Freud*, ed. Richard Wollheim and James Hopkins (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1982), 180–202.
15. "Prior and Belnap," *Theoria* 48 (1982): 127–38.
16. "The Anatomy of Thought," *Mind* 92 (1983): 264–69.
17. "Russell and Ramsey," *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly* 64 (1984): 193–210.

18. "The Cake Problem," *Acta Philosophica Fennica* 38 (1985): 25–35.
19. "The Price of Possibility," *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly* 70 (September 1989): 225–39.
20. "Clarity," in *The Analytic Tradition*, ed. David Bell and Neil Cooper (Oxford: Blackwell, 1990), 197–222.
21. "For Anil Gupta," *Proceedings of the Aristotelian Society*, 1989–90 90 (1990): 162–65.
22. "Variation" and "The Propositional Bond," in *Handbook of Metaphysics and Ontology*, ed. Hans Burkhardt and Barry Smith. *Philosophia*, Vol. 2, 1991, 731–33 and 927–29.
23. "Benacerraf's Dilemma," *Critica* 23 (August 1991): 87–103.
24. "Natural Numbers," *Critica* 23 (December 1991): 61–81.
25. "Motions of the Mind," in *Mind, Psychoanalysis and Art*, ed. James Hopkins and Anthony Savile, *Aristotelian Society Monograph Series* (Oxford: Blackwell, 1992), 220–36.
26. "Hat-tricks and Heaps," *Proceedings of the First Iranian Congress of Logic* (held in May 1990); also in *Philosophical Studies* (Ireland) 33 (1992): 1–24.
27. "On Non-Well-Founded Sets," *Critica* 24 (December 1992): 3–21.
28. "Frege and Carnap on Structure, Logic and Objectivity," in *Science and Subjectivity: The Vienna Circle and Twentieth Century Philosophy*, ed. David Bell and Wilhelm Vossenkuhl (Berlin: Akademie Verlag, 1992), 169–84.
29. "Interpolación y Relevancia," *Análisis Filosófico* 13 (May 1993): 55–56.
30. "Gödel" and "The Soul," in *Companion to Metaphysics*, ed. Jaegwon Kim and Ernest Sosa (Oxford: Blackwell, 1994).
31. "Dualism," in *A Companion to the Philosophy of Mind*, ed. Samuel Guttenplan (Oxford: Blackwell, 1994).
32. "The Syntax of the World," *Critica* 28 (April 1996): 13–24.

33. "Löwenheim–Skolem Theorems and Non-Standard Models," in *Routledge Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, ed. Edward Craig, sub. ed. Michael Detlefsen (London: Routledge, 1998).
34. "Meaning and Verification," in *Routledge Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, ed. Edward Craig, sub. ed. Graham Forbes (London: Routledge, 1998).
35. "Skolem Redux," *Notre Dame Journal of Formal Logic* 41, no. 4 (2000): 399–414.
36. "Long Decimals," in *Future Pasts: The Analytic Tradition in Twentieth Century Philosophy*, Festschrift for Burton S. Dreben, ed. Juliet Floyd and Sanford Shieh (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2001), 359–67.
37. "The Music of Modality," *Topoi* 22 (2003): 135–42.
38. "The Illusion of a Future," in *Psychoanalytic Knowledge*, ed. Man Cheung Chung and Colin Feltham (Basingstoke and New York: Palgrave MacMillan, 2003), 120–31.
39. "Natural Deduction and Trees," in *Social Aggressiveness*, ed. Vladimir Krasikov (Kemerovo, Russia: Kemerovo University Press, 2004), 2: 229–31.
40. "Which is to be Master?" abstract, in *Philosophy and the Future of Civilization*, ed. V. Sadovnichiy (Moscow: Russian Philosophical Society, 2005), 541.
41. "Justifying Violence," in *The Analysis of the Phenomenon of Terrorism*, ed. Vladimir Krasikov (Kemerovo, Russia: Kemerovo University Press, 2006), 28–31.
42. "Clap if you believe in κ ," in *Orayen: De la forma lógica al significado*, Memorial Festschrift for Raúl Orayen, ed. Maite Ezcurdia (Mexico City: Instituto de Investigaciones Filosóficas, UNAM, due 2006).
43. "Unity and Dualism," in *Irreducibly Conscious: Selected Papers on Consciousness*, ed. Alexander Batthyany and Avshalom Elitzur (Heidelberg: Winter Universitätsverlag, due 2006).
44. (with Takashi Yagisawa), "Ghosts are Chilly," in *Persons: Human and Divine*, ed. Peter van Inwagen and Dean Zimmerman (Oxford: Oxford University Press, due 2006), 166–68.
45. "Invincible Ignorance," in *New Essays on the Knowability Paradox*, ed. Joe Salerno, forthcoming.

46. "Hyperheaps," *International Journal of Philosophical Studies* (perhaps as an occasion for critical discussion), forthcoming.
47. "Les Liaisons Dangereuses," in the philosophy of mathematics volume, ed. Andrew Irvine, which will be the 11th volume in *The Handbook of the Philosophy of Science* (Amsterdam: North-Holland/Elsevier), forthcoming.

D. Reviews:

1. Review of *Prototractatus: An Early Version of Tractatus Logico-Philosophicus* by Ludwig Wittgenstein, *Journal of Philosophy* 70 (11 January 1973): 19–24.
2. Review of *Mathematical Knowledge* by Mark Steiner, *Journal of Philosophy* 74 (February 1977): 118–29.
3. Review of *Proofs and Refutations* by Imre Lakatos, *Mind* 87 (April 1978): 314–16.
4. Review of *Philosophical Subjects: Essays Presented to P. F. Strawson*, ed. Zak van Straaten, *London Review of Books*, 15 October–4 November 1981, 14–15.
5. Review of *Arrow's Theorem: The Paradox of Social Choice* by Alfred F. MacKay, *Mind* 92 (July 1983): 471–72.
6. Review of *The Meaning of Behavior* by J. R. Maze, *British Journal for the Philosophy of Science* 35 (1984): 411–14.
7. Review of *Structured Meanings* by M. J. Cresswell, *Philosophical Books* 27 (October 1986): 231–34.
8. Review of papers by P. Benacerraf, P. Kitcher and M. Jubien, *Journal of Symbolic Logic* 52 (June 1987): 552–54.
9. Review of *The Liar* by Jon Barwise and John Etchemendy, *Mind* 98 (July 1989): 451–53.
10. Review of *Anti-Realism and Logic* by Neil Tennant, *Journal of Symbolic Logic* 54 (December 1989): 1485–86.
11. Review of *The Metaphysics of Mind* by Michael Tye, *Philosophical Quarterly* 40 (April 1990): 255–57.
12. Review of *Philosophical Analysis: A Defense of Example*, ed. David F. Austin, *Philosophical Books* 31 (April 1990): 92–93.

13. Review of Abstract Particulars by Keith Campbell, *Philosophical Books* 32 (1991): 164–65.
14. Review of Deducibility and Decidability by R. R. Rockingham-Gill, *Philosophical Quarterly* 41 (1991): 242–43.
15. Critical notice of *The Concept of Logical Consequence* by John Etchemendy, *Philosophical Quarterly* 41 (1991): 488–93.
16. Note on A Formal Lexicon for the Social Sciences by Robert J. Wolfson, *Economic Journal* 101, no. 409 (November 1991): 1627.
17. Review of *Mathematics as a Science of Quantities* by Hippocrates G. Apostle, *Ancient Philosophy* 13 (1993): 440.
18. Review of *Matters of Metaphysics* by D. H. Mellor, *Philosophical Books* 34 (January 1993): 25–27.
19. Review of *Between Logic and Intuition: Essays in Honor of Charles Parsons*, ed. G. Sher and M. Tieszen, *Mind* 110 (October 2001): 1119–23.
20. Review of *A Brief History of the Paradox* by Roy Sorensen, *Mind* 115 (April 2006): 488–91.
21. Review of *Meaning and Method*, ed. George Boolos, *Philosophical Quarterly*, forthcoming.

E. Radio:

1. Discussion of Bertrand Russell on the Head On program for BBC Radio Scotland, 20 October 1989.
2. “Ideas of Time,” a discussion with Mark Price on the I Beg to Disagree program on KUNM, Albuquerque, 13 October 1992.
3. Discussion of the history of philosophy on the Extension 720 program on WGN, Chicago, 22 November 1994.
4. “What numbers are, how we know them, and whether it matters,” a discussion with Geoffrey Hellman on the Odyssey program for National Public Radio, 14 February 2005.