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SPECIALIZATIONS	Social philosophy, Feminist Philosophy, Social Epistemology, Oppression	
COMPETENCIES	Ethics, Political Philosophy, Critical Philosophy of Race	
APPOINTMENTS	FRQSC Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Philosophy, University of British Columbia, 2022-Present	
	Visiting Researcher, School of Humanities, University of Glasgow, 2021	
EDUCATION	PhD in Philosophy, McGill University, 2022 Thesis: <i>Guilt, Blame, and Oppression: A Feminist Philosophy of Scapegoating</i> Supervisors: Natalie Stoljar, Alia Al-Saji Examiners: Carol Hay (external) and Kristin Voigt (internal). Passed without corrections.	
	MA with Distinction in Philosophy, University of Sheffield, 2015 Supervisor: Jennifer Saul	
	BA with Honors in Philosophy, Western University, 2013	
PUBLICATIONS	Edited Volumes <i>Feminist Ethics: An Introduction to Fundamental Concepts and Current Issues</i> , with Charlotte Sabourin (eds.). Routledge. Under Contract.	
	Refereed Journal Articles "Reciprocal Recognition and Epistemic Virtue", <i>Ithaque</i> 25, pp.1-21, 2019.	
	Book Chapters "White Ignorance and the Racial Imaginary", in <i>The Philosophy of Imagination: Technology, Art, Ethics</i> . London: Bloomsbury. Forthcoming.	
	Public Philosophy "Witches and 'Welfare Queens': The Construction of Women as Threats in the Anti-Abortion Movement", <i>Women in Philosophy Series, Blog of the APA</i> . 2023. "How 'Hogwarts Legacy' video game uses goblins to reinforce antisemitic scapegoating", <i>The Conversation</i> . 2023. "Self-Incrimination as Feminist Pedagogy", <i>Graduate Student Reflection Series, Blog of the APA</i> . 2022.	
	Works in Progress "Anti-trans legislation as scapegoating" (Under Review) "Practical dilemmas of feminist online shaming"	
HONORS & AWARDS	UBC-Vancouver Public Humanities Hub Public Engagement Award, 2023	
	Réseau Québécois en études féministes (RéQEF) Doctoral Excellence Scholarship, 2021-22	
	The Centre for Research in Ethics (CRÉ) Graduate Fellowship, 2021-22	

David Fate Norton Fellowship in Philosophy, 2021 [7000 CAD]

McGill-Glasgow Award, 2021

The Centre for Research in Ethics (CRÉ) Special Scholarship, 2021

Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Doctoral Scholarship, SSHRC, 2018 [105K CAD]

Society for Ricoeur Studies Travel Grant, 2018

Canada Postgraduate Merit Scholarship, 2014 [7000 GBP]

Faculty of Arts and Humanities Alumni Award, Western University, 2011-12

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Out of the armchair and into the fire: Self-incrimination as feminist pedagogy”
Pedagogies of Discomfort, APA Eastern, Montreal, 2023.

“The Cyclical Nature of Structural Scapegoating”
38th International Social Philosophy Conference, North American Society for Social
Philosophy (NASSP), 2021.

“Mediation in Measuring the Pure Experience of Pain”
The Canadian Society for the History and Philosophy of Science (CSHPS) annual
conference as part of the Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, University of
British Columbia, 2019.

“Theorizing the Persistence of Oppression: Epistemology of Ignorance”
philoSOPHIA: Society for Continental Feminism, Memorial University, 2019.
Graduate Philosophy Student Association 2019 Conference, Concordia University, 2019.

“Solitary Confinement Through a Ricoeurian Lens”
The Society for Ricoeur Studies Annual conference, Mount St Mary’s University, 2018.

“The Role of Genesis in Claims for Equality and Superiority of Women”
The Department for the Study of Religion Conference, University of Toronto, 2017.

“Masculinity and the Internalisation of the Male Gaze”
Centre for the Study of Women and Gender Graduate Conference, The University of
Warwick, 2015.

TEACHING

Instructor of Record

PHIL 330: Social and Political Philosophy (UBC, Summer 2023)

PHIL 442: Topics in Feminist Theory (McGill University, Winter 2022)

PHIL 327: Philosophy of Race (McGill University, Fall 2019)

Teaching Assistant

PHIL 375: Existentialism. (McGill University, Fall 2018)

PHIL 327: Philosophy of Race (McGill University, Winter 2018)

PHIL 200: Introduction to Philosophy (McGill University, Fall 2017)

PHIL 334: Ethical Theory (McGill University, Winter 2017)

PHIL 200: Introduction to Philosophy (McGill University, Fall 2016)

Invited Lecturer

HUMS1101: Frontiers of Thought (Douglas College, Summer 2023)

PHIL 2360: Philosophy and Feminist Thought. (Douglas College, Fall 2022)

PHIL 1101: Critical Thinking (Douglas College, Fall 2022)
 PHIL 442: Critical Race Feminisms (McGill University, Fall 2019)
 PHIL 442: Critical Race Feminisms (McGill University, Fall 2019)
 PHIL 237: Contemporary Moral Issues (McGill University, Winter 2019)
 PHIL 375: Existentialism (McGill University, Fall 2018)
 PHIL 327: Philosophy of Race (McGill University, Winter 2018)

PROFESSIONAL
DEVELOPMENT

Marc Sanders Foundation Mentoring Workshop for Early Career Women Faculty in Philosophy, University of Missouri, 2023.

Visiting Researcher, COGITO Research Group, University of Glasgow, 2021.

SERVICE

Refereeing

Journal of Social Philosophy, Feminist Philosophy Quarterly, Philosophical Studies

Conference Organization

Organizer, The Centre for Research in Ethics (CRÉ) International Conference, 2022

Director of Graduate Studies, Society for Ricoeur Studies 2019-2021

Organizer, Montreal Workshop in Critical Philosophy of Race, 2019

Mentorship

Co-founder and Organizer, Minorities and Philosophy (MAP) McGill, 2018-2022

Equity, Diversity, Inclusion

VP EDI, Postdoctoral Association, University of British Columbia, 2023- present

Graduate Representative, EDI Community of Practice, Faculty of Arts, McGill, 2021-22

Graduate Representative, Equity and Climate Committee, Philosophy, McGill, 2020-22

PUBLIC
ENGAGEMENT

Interview, *AskMen.com*, "An Exploration into the Concept of the "High-Maintenance Woman", 2023.

Interview, *Philoparlons* podcast, "A Feminist Philosophy of Scapegoating", 2023.

Q&A moderator, *Burlington Literary Festival*, Feminist Fiction Panel, 2022.

Interview, *American Philosophical Association*, 2022.

Interview, *The Dandy*, "What Have You Gained from 2020?", 2020.

Interview, *The Polyester Podcast*. Episode: Fighting imposter Syndrome, 2019.

Interview, *Retweet* podcast. Episode: "How to be an ally", 2019.

Interview, *The Buddle Huddle* podcast with the Dean of Students at McGill University. Episode: "Imposters Everywhere", 2019.

Interview, *Study Breaks Magazine*, "Celia Edell Is YouTube's Budding Philosopher", 2018.

Interview, *Rebelliously Tiny* Podcast. Episode: Celia, 2017.

Content Creator at *Everyday Feminism*, 2015-17.

GRADUATE
COURSEWORK

PhD, McGill University:
 Forgiveness: Jankélévitch, Arendt, Derrida and Ricœur (Gaelle Fiasse), grade A
 Measuring the Mind (Eran Tal), grade A
 Care of Self (Alison Laywine and Sarah Stroud), grade A
 Politics of Recognition (Natalie Stoljar), grade A
 Aristotle's Biology (Marguerite Deslauriers), grade A-
 Philosophy of Time: Bergson and Deleuze (Alia Al-Saji), grade A
 Feminist Metaphysics (Natalie Stoljar), grade A-
 History of Conceptions of Sexual Equality (Marguerite Deslauriers), grade A
 Thought Experiments (Emily Carson & David Davies), grade A

PROFESSIONAL
AFFILIATIONS

Canadian Philosophical Association
 American Philosophical Association

REFERENCES

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