

Curriculum Vitae
ANNE LOUISE BEZUIDENHOUT

Chronology of Education

- University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Ph.D. in Philosophy, December 1990.
 Doctoral Dissertation: The Cognitive Constraints on Singular Thoughts. Advisors: Crispin Wright, Paul Boghossian, William Taschek and Edward Smith (Psychology).
- University of Cape Town, MA in Philosophy, December 1982.
- University of the Witwatersrand, BA Honours in Philosophy, 1980.
- University of the Witwatersrand, BA in Philosophy, 1979.

Chronology of Employment

- Professor of Philosophy, U. of South Carolina, Columbia, Fall 2008 – present.
- Professor of Philosophy and Senior Associate Dean of Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences, USC, July 1, 2011 – June 30, 2016.
- Professor and Chair of Philosophy, U. of South Carolina, Columbia, July 1, 2008 – June 30, 2011.
- Adjunct Faculty, Experimental Psychology, U. of South Carolina, Columbia, January 2000 – present.
- Associate Professor of Philosophy, U. of South Carolina, Columbia, Fall 1997 – Spring 2008.
- Core Member of Linguistics Program, U. of South Carolina, Columbia, Fall 1993 – present.
- Assistant Professor of Philosophy, U. of South Carolina, Columbia, Fall 1990 – Spring 1997.
- Lecturer, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Spring 1989.
- Teaching Assistant, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, 1983-1989.
- Junior Lecturer, University of Cape Town, January 1981- August 1983.

Publications

Edited collections:

(co-edited with Marga Reimer) *Descriptions and Beyond*. Oxford University Press, 2004 (with a general introduction and six section introductions by Reimer & Bezuidenhout).

Articles:

- (35) 'Noun-noun compounds from the perspective of Relevance Theory', in K. Scott, B. Clark and R. Carston (Eds.), *Relevance: Pragmatics and Interpretation*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, January 2019, pp. 174-186.
- (34) 'The role of context in semantics: A Relevance Theory perspective', in Sarah-Jane Conrad & Klaus Petrus (eds.), *Meaning, Context, and Methodology*, Mouton Series in Pragmatics, Berlin: de Gruyter, October 2017, pp. 91-114.
- (33) 'What properly belongs to grammar? A response to Lepore and Stone', in special issue of *Inquiry* edited by J. Armstrong and E. Michaelson, 2016, v. 59(2): 175-194.
- (32) 'Presupposition failure and the assertive enterprise', in special issue of *Topoi* edited by Filippo Domaneschi. April 2016, vol. 35(1), pp. 23-35.
- (31) 'Cognitive environments and conversational tailoring', *Croatian Journal of Philosophy*, vol. XV, No. 44, 2015, pp. 151-162.

- (30) 'The implicit dimension of meaning: Ways of "filling in" and "filling out" content', in special issue of *Erkenntnis*, edited by Alex Burri & Anna Kollenberg, March 2015, v. 80(1): 89-109.
- (29) 'Reply to Brown-Schmidt and Heller', *Journal of Pragmatics*, 2014, 60: 285-290.
- (28) 'The (in)significance of the referential-attributive distinction', in A. Capone, F. Lo Piparo, & M. Carapezza (eds.), *Perspectives on Pragmatics and Philosophy*, Springer, 2013: 351-366.
- (27) 'Structuring silence versus the structure of silence', in L. Goldstein (ed.), *Brevity*, Oxford University Press, 2013: 36-52.
- (26) 'Perspective taking in conversation: A defense of speaker non-egocentricity', *Journal of Pragmatics*, special issue titled "Focus on the speaker" edited by Istvan Kecskes, 2013, vol. 48: 4-16.
- (25) 'Contextualism and Information Structure: Towards a Science of Pragmatics', in L. C. Baptista & E. Rast (eds.), *Meaning & Context*. Peter Lang, 2010, pp. 65-96.
- (24) 'Grice on presupposition', in Klaus Petrus (ed.), *Meaning and Analysis: Themes from H. Paul Grice*, Palgrave MacMillan, 2010, pp. 75-102.
- (23) 'Contextualism and the role of contextual frames', special issue of *Manuscrito: Revista Internacional de Filosofia* edited by André Leclerc, v.32, 2009, pp. 59-84.
- (22) (with R. Morris & C. Widmann) 'The DE-Blocking hypothesis: The role of grammar in scalar reasoning', in Uli Sauerland & Kazuko Yatsushiro (eds.), *Semantics and Pragmatics: From Experiment to Theory*, Palgrave Macmillan, 2009, pp. 145-165.
- (21) 'Metaphorical singular reference: The role of enriched composition in reference resolution', in S. Lapointe & J. Skilters (eds.), *Baltic International Yearbook for Cognition, Logic and Communication* 3, 2007, pp. 1-22.
- (20) 'VP-ellipsis and the case for representationalism in semantics', *ProtoSociology* 22, 2006, 136-164.
- (19) 'Indexicals and perspectivals', *Facta Philosophica*, Vol. 7, No. 1, 2005, 3-18.
- (18) 'Procedural meaning and the semantics/pragmatics Interface' in C. Bianchi (ed.) *The Semantics/ Pragmatics Distinction*, CSLI Publications, 2004, 101-131.
- (17) (with Robin Morris) 'Implicature, relevance and default pragmatic inferences', in D. Sperber & I. Noveck (eds.), *Experimental Pragmatics*. Palgrave Press, 2004, 257-282.
- (16) 'Truth-conditional pragmatics'. *Philosophical Perspectives*, 16, 2002, pp.105-134.
- (15) (with J. Cooper Cutting) 'Literal meaning, minimal propositions and pragmatic processing', *Journal of Pragmatics*, 34, 2002, pp. 433-456.
- (14) 'Generalized conversational implicatures and default pragmatic inferences.' In Campbell, J. K. et al., (eds.), *Meaning and Truth: Investigations in Philosophical Semantics*. New York: Seven Bridges Press, 2002, pp. 257-283.
- (13) 'Radical pragmatics', in Campbell, J. K. et al., (eds.), *Meaning and Truth: Investigations in Philosophical Semantics*. New York: Seven Bridges Press, 2002, pp.292-302.
- (12) 'Metaphor and what is said: A defense of a direct expression view of metaphor'. *Midwest Studies in Philosophy* 25, 2001, pp. 156-186.
- (11) 'Attitude ascriptions, context and interpretive resemblance', in K. Jaszczolt (ed.), *The Pragmatics of Propositional Attitudes*, pp.137-168. Oxford: Elsevier Press, 2000.
- (10) 'Is verbal communication a purely preservative psychological process?', *Philosophical Review*, 107(2), April 1998, pp. 261-288.
- (9) (with Mary Sue Sroda) 'Children's use of contextual cues to resolve referential ambiguity: An application of Relevance Theory', *Pragmatics and Cognition*, special issue on the Concept of Reference in Cognitive Science, edited by Lawrence Roberts and Ami Kronfeld, 6(1), 1998, pp. 255-290.
- (8) 'How context-dependent are attitude ascriptions?', *The Maribor Papers in Naturalized Semantics*, edited by D. Jutronic, December 1997, pp.271-284.

- (7) 'Pragmatics, semantic underdetermination and the referential/attributional distinction', *Mind*, vol.106, no.423, July 1997, pp.375-409.
- (6) 'The communication of de re thoughts', *Noûs*, 31 (2), June 1997, pp.197-225.
- (5) 'The truth-conditional relevance of de re modes of presentation: A reply to Grimberg', *Mind & Language*, 11(4), December 1996, pp.427-432.
- (4) 'Pragmatics and singular reference', *Mind and Language*, 11(2), June 1996, pp. 133-159.
- (3) 'Resisting the step toward naturalism', *Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*, 56(4), December 1996, pp.743-770.
- (2) 'The impossibility of punctate mental representations', *Grazer Philosophische Studien*, 46, 1993, pp.197-212. This paper is included in an issue titled *Holism: A Consumer Update*, edited and with replies by Jerry Fodor & Ernie Lepore.
- (1) 'Demonstrative modes of presentation', *Communication and Cognition*, 26(1), 1993, pp.17-36.

Dictionary/Encyclopedia/ Handbook Entries:

- (9) 'Joint reference' in Jeanette Gundel & Barbara Abbott (eds.), *Oxford Handbook on Reference*. Oxford University Press, 2018, pp. 45-66.
- (8) 'Contextualism vs. semantic minimalism', in *The Oxford Handbook of Pragmatics*, edited by Yan Huang, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2017, pp. 21-46.
- (5) - (7) 'Experimental pragmatics'; 'Primary pragmatic processes'; and 'Perspective-taking/Point of view', in L. Cummings, (ed.), *Routledge Encyclopedia of Pragmatics*, London: Routledge, 2009.
- (4) 'Language as internal', in E. Lepore & B. Smith (eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of Philosophy of Language*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2006, chap. 5, pp. 127-139.
- (1) - (3) 'The Semantics/Pragmatics boundary'; 'Expression meaning vs. utterance/speaker meaning' and 'Non-standard language use', in second edition of *The Encyclopedia of Language and Linguistics*, Elsevier Publishers, 2005. Editor-in-Chief for the new edition is Keith Brown. Section editors for the expanded *Philosophy and Language* volume are Rob Stainton and Alex Barber.

Book Reviews:

- (12) Review of Emma Borg, *Minimal Semantics*. (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2004), in *Philosophical Books*, 2008, 49(1): 59-63.
- (11) 'The Coherence of Contextualism', in *Mind & Language*, vol. 21, no. 1, February 2006, 1-10. One of multiple reviews of Cappelen & Lepore's *Insensitive Semantics* (Blackwell, 2005).
- (10) Review of Searle, J. (2002). *Language and Consciousness*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, in *Language*, 2006, 82(4): 930-934.
- (9) Review of Carston, R. (2002). *Thoughts and Utterances*, Oxford: Blackwell, in *Mind*, 2005, 114: 722-728.
- (8) Review of Bloom, P. (2000). *How Children Learn the Meanings of Words*, MIT Press, for *Metapsychology*, June 18, 2002. (<http://mentalhelp.net/books/books.php?type=de&id=1203>).
- (7) Review of Hahn, L. E., (ed.) 1997: *The Philosophy of P.F. Strawson*, Open Court, for *Philosophical Review*, volume 110, issue no.3, July 2001, pp. 460-465.
- (6) Review of Recanati, F. (2000): *Oratio Obliqua, Oratio Recta*. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press, for *Linguist List*, Issue 12.481, February 21 2001.
- (5) Review of Bok, Hilary, *Freedom and Responsibility*, Princeton University Press, 1998, for *Metapsychology*, September 1, 2000.
- (4) Review of Ostertag, Gary (ed.) (1998) *Definite Descriptions: A Reader*, Cambridge, MA: MIT Press, for *Linguist List*, Issue 9.1307, 19 September 1998.
- (3) Review of Cohen, L. J. 1992: *An Essay on Belief and Acceptance*, Oxford: Clarendon Press, for *Review of Metaphysics*, December 1996, pp.392-395.

(2) Review of Moser, P.K. & Trout, J. D. (eds.) 1995: Contemporary Materialism, New York: Routledge, for Teaching Philosophy, 19, no.4, December 1996, pp.421-424.

(1) Review of William Lyons (ed.) 1995: Modern Philosophy of Mind, London: J. M. Dent, for Teaching Philosophy, 19, no.2, June 1996, pp.209-212.

Teaching-Related Publications:

(1) 'Integrating Research and Undergraduate Teaching', Teaching Excellence, vol.7, no.4, 1995-1996.

Work in Progress:

'Truth-conditional pragmatics' for IPrA Handbook of Pragmatics, edited by Jef Verschueren, Benjamins.

'Tests of at issue versus backgrounded content'

'Joint categorization with general extenders'

(with Catherine Wearing): 'Context sensitivity', Oxford Online Bibliographies.

(with Robin Morris) 'Conjunction buttressing: a psycholinguistic study' and 'Scalar implicatures and default meanings: evidence from a visual image identification task'.

(with Robin Morris and Erick Bousman) 'Centering theory, parentheticals and discourse topics'.

(with Robin Morris, Cintia Widmann and Bingfei Chen) 'Scalar implicature and the interaction of grammar and context: Evidence from on-line reading and judgment tasks'.

(with Amit Almor & Kat Wilson) 'Discourse coherence, verb bias and pronoun resolution: Evidence from a Visual World study'.

(with Amit Almor, Emily Bowling & Kanan Luce) 'The Shifting Status of Appositive Relative Clauses (ARCs): Moving ARC Content into the Conversational Foreground'

Scholarly Presentations

(73) Introduction to Pragmatics. Short course to be offered at the 2019 LSA Linguistics Summer Institute, UC Davis, June 24- July 19, 2019.

(72) 'Joint communication with general extenders', to be presented at the 16th biennial International Pragmatics Association meetings, Hong Kong, June 9-14, 2019.

(71) 'Context-sensitivity' to be presented at ECOM workshop on Communication, Context, and Content, to be held at the University of Connecticut, May 3-4, 2019.

(70) (with Emily Bowling and Amit Almor). 'Appositive relative clauses and the foreground/background distinction', presented at AMPRA-4, University at Albany, SUNY, November 1-3, 2018.

(69) 'General extenders and joint communication', presented at the joint meetings of the SCSP and the NCSP, Winthrop University, Rock Hill, SC, March 23-24, 2018.

(68) 'Metaphor as joint communication', invited presentation for workshop on "Fictional and Figurative Speech", University of Hamburg, Germany, September 22-23, 2017.

(67) 'The direct challenge test for at-issue content', 15th Biennial International Pragmatics Association conference, Belfast Ireland, July 17-21, 2017.

(66) 'At-issue versus backgrounded content: The case of parentheticals'. Keynote presentation for 8th Lodz Symposium: New Developments in Linguistic Pragmatics, Lodz, Poland, May 15-17, 2017.

(65) Comments on 'What denial Isn't', APA Eastern Division meetings, Baltimore, Maryland, January 4-7, 2017.

(64) 'Non-egocentric referential communication: How we jointly construct our acts of referring in face-to-face interaction'. Invited presentation on perspective-taking at workshop on "Interpretability in Context", University of Tübingen, Friday November 25th, 2016.

(63) 'Noun-noun compounds and the semantics-pragmatics boundary', 3rd International Conference of the American Pragmatics Association (AMPRA), Indiana University, November 4-6, 2016.

- (62) Comments on Lepore & Stone, *Convention and Imagination* (Oxford University Press, 2014), Author-Meets-Critics session, APA Eastern Division meetings, Philadelphia, December 27-30, 2014.
- (61) 'Relevance Theory and context as cognitive environment', conference on Philosophy of Language and Linguistics, Interuniversity Center, University of Dubrovnik, Croatia, September 8-12, 2014.
- (60) 'Categories and analogies: Comments on Hofstadter & Sander (2013)', paper presented at Go Figure workshop, University College London, June 20-21, 2013.
- (59) 'Ellipsis and the case against silent syntax', paper presented at 1st biennial American Pragmatics Association (AMPRA) meeting, UNC Charlotte, October 19-21, 2012.
- (58) 'Perspective monitoring and perspective switching in natural conversation', invited talk for a conference titled *Language: The Limits of Representation and Understanding*, held at the University of Erfurt, Germany, from August 30-September 1, 2012.
- (57) 'Language and Normativity: Locating Norms Outside of Language', invited presentation to Expressive Communication & Origins of Meaning (ECOM) Research Group's "Brute meaning, meaning-in-context and meaning-in-mind" speaker series, UNC-Chapel Hill, December 8, 2011.
- (56) 'The implicit dimension of meaning: Drawing boundaries at the semantics-pragmatics interface', invited talk to the 3rd Semantic Content workshop, held at the University of Barcelona, Spain, from November 2-4, 2011.
- (55) 'Discourse connectives, verb bias and pronoun resolution: Evidence from a Visual World study', invited talk to the 2nd EURO-XP prag workshop, held at the Scuola Normale Superiore in Pisa, Italy, from September 30-October 2, 2011.
- (54) 'Perspective taking in conversation: A defense of speaker non-egocentricity', presented at a panel titled "Focus on the speaker", organized by Istvan Kecskes, at the 12th International Pragmatics Association meetings, Manchester, UK, July 3-8, 2011.
- (53) 'Presupposition failure and the assertive enterprise', presented at the 3rd Context & Communication Workshop, Barcelona, Spain, September 17-19, 2010.
- (52) 'Conversational principles and the constraints on pragmatic presuppositions', presented at the meeting of the Society for Exact Philosophy, Kansas City, MO, March 19-21, 2010.
- (51) 'Conversational tailoring: The foregrounding and backgrounding of information', invited talk presented at Rochester University, Tuesday March 16, 2010.
- (50) 'Filling in and filling out: Conversational implicatures and discourse coherence', paper presented at the joint SCSP/NCPS meetings, Queens University of Charlotte, Charlotte, NC, February 26-27, 2010.
- (49) 'Information structure and the S/P interface', invited paper presented at conference on the challenge of contextualism, to be held at Queens University, Kingston, Ontario, September 11-13, 2009.
- (48) 'Constraints on what is unarticulated: Structuring silence versus the structure of silence' presented at the 1st Context & Communication Workshop, University of Kent, Canterbury, September 19-21, 2008.
- (47) 'Subsentences and information structure', invited contribution to an author-meets-critics session on Rob Stainton's book *Words & Thoughts*, Central Division APA meetings, Chicago, April 17-19, 2008.
- (46) 'Metaphorical singular reference and discourse interpretation', paper presented at joint meetings of NCPS/SCSP, February 29-March 1, 2008, UNC-Chapel Hill.
- (45) 'Metaphorical singular reference and discourse interpretation', paper presented at plenary session of *Figure of Speech: Conference on Metaphor*, Third International Symposium of Cognition, Logic and Communication, Riga, Latvia, December 16-18, 2007.
- (44) (with Robin Morris & Cintia Widmann) 'The DE-Blocking Hypothesis: The role of grammar in scalar reasoning', poster presented at Experimental Pragmatics conference (XP prag 2007), Berlin, Germany, December 13-16, 2007.
- (43) 'Speech acts and normativity: Locating norms outside of language', paper presented as part of a panel on *Speech Acts and Norms*, organized by Mitch Green, at the 10th International Pragmatics Association meeting in Göteborg, Sweden, July 9-14, 2007.

- (42) 'Towards a unified account of perspective shifting in conversation', paper presented for the Wake Forest University Philosophy Colloquium series, November 16, 2006.
- (41) 'The processing of novel definites: Comments on Frazier', invited contribution to a workshop on presupposition accommodation, held at the Ohio State University, 13-15 October 2006.
- (40) 'Lectures on contextualism', series of 4 invited lectures for a short course at the Norwegian University of Science & Technology, Trondheim, Norway, September 25-29, 2006.
- (39) 'The problem of irrelevance and the minimalist-contextualist debate in semantics', invited response to paper by Kent Johnson, to be presented at the SSPP meetings to be held in Charleston, SC, April 13-15, 2006.
- (38) 'Presupposition and assertoric inertia', invited talk given to the Institute for the Philosophy of Language, The New University of Lisbon, Lisbon, Portugal, March 3, 2006.
- (37) 'Presupposition and assertoric inertia' presented at the joint SCSP/NCPS meetings in Columbia, SC, February 17-18, 2006.
- (36) 'Parentheticals and the re-ranking of forward-looking centers', paper delivered as part of the panel on the semantics-pragmatics boundary, organized by Rob Stainton, at the 9th International Pragmatics Association meeting in Riva del Garda, Italy, July 10-15, 2005.
- (35) 'Presupposition failure and the topic/focus structure of utterances', invited talk given at a conference in honor of Jay Atlas, Pomona College, April 1, 2005.
- (34) 'Reply to Yablo on non-catastrophic presupposition failure', invited response delivered at 38th Chapel Hill Colloquium, October 1-3, 2004.
- (33) 'Reply to Jackson on holism, context and content', invited response presented at the Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology meetings, New Orleans, April 8-10, 2004.
- (32) 'Perspective shifting with indexicals' read at the joint meeting of the South Carolina Society for Philosophy and the North Carolina Philosophical Society, Raleigh, NC, February 6-7, 2004.
- (31) 'Context-shifting'. Invited paper read at conference on philosophy of language, Yale University, November 7-9, 2003.
- (30) 'Explaining lexical-pragmatic processes: The role of Q- and I-Principles vs. the Principle of Relevance'. Invited contribution to Panel on Relevance and Lexical Pragmatics, organized by Tomoko Matsui & Deirdre Wilson. Presented at the 8th International Pragmatics Association meeting in Toronto, July 13-18, 2003.
- (29) 'Procedural meaning and the semantics/pragmatics interface'. Invited contribution to Workshop on Context 2002, an international conference on semantics and pragmatics, Genoa, Italy, October 25-26, 2002.
- (28) 'Truth-Conditional Pragmatics', presented at the joint meetings of the South Carolina Society for Philosophy and the North Carolina Philosophical Society, Charleston, February 8-9, 2002.
- (27) 'Implicature, Relevance and Default Inferences'. Invited contribution to a Workshop on Experimental Pragmatics, held in Lyon, France May 17-19, 2001. Presented also to the USC Linguistics Colloquium series, Columbia, SC, September 14, 2001.
- (26) 'Metaphor and What is Said' presented at the South Carolina Society for Philosophy meetings, Myrtle Beach, March 4, 2001.
- (25) 'Radical Pragmatics', invited contribution to closing workshop of 3rd Annual Inland Northwest Philosophy Conference, Univ. of Idaho, Moscow, ID, April 2000.
- (24) 'Generalized Conversational Implicatures and Default Pragmatic Inferences' presented at the 3rd Annual Inland Northwest Philosophy Conference, Univ. of Idaho, Moscow, ID, April 2000.
- (23) 'Literal Meaning and What is Said', read at conference on Pragmatics and Negotiation, Tel Aviv University, Israel, June 13-16, 1999.

- (22) (With Cooper Cutting, Katherine Robinson & David Poynor) 'Anti-Minimalism and the Local Pragmatic Processing Model', read at the autumn meeting of the Linguistics Association of Great Britain, University of Luton, Thursday September 10, 1998.
- (21) (With Mary Sue Sroda) 'Pragmatics and Children's Referential Communication Skills', presented at the Hard Data Cafe (a forum run by a group of experimental cognitive psychologists at the University of South Carolina), Wednesday April 9, 1997.
- (20) 'The Prospects for Naturalizing Normativity: A Reply to Post', invited participant in colloquium held at North Carolina Philosophical Society meetings, Elon, NC, February 1997.
- (19) 'Pragmatics and the Referential/Attributive Distinction', presented to Philosophy Colloquium, USC, October 17, 1996.
- (18) 'How Context-Dependent are Attitude Ascriptions?', invited contribution to a conference on Naturalistic Semantics and its Methodology, held at the University of Maribor, Slovenia, June 11-15, 1996.
- (17) (With Mary Sue Sroda): 'Disambiguation of Reference by Young Children: An Application of Relevance Theory', presented at the International Conference on the Interface Between Language and Cognition, held at Keio University, Tokyo, Japan, March 26-29, 1996. This paper was also presented at a poster session at the conference on Language and Thought, held at the University of Sheffield, June 26-29, 1996.
- (16) 'The Pragmatics of Reference: A Solution to Schiffer's "Dilemma"', read at the North Carolina Philosophical Society Meetings, held in Charlotte, NC, February 23-24, 1996.
- (15) 'Integrating Research and the Teaching of Undergraduates', presented at the Lilly Conference on College Teaching - South, June 2-4, 1995.
- (14) 'Language Understanding and the Child's Knowledge of Other Minds: A Reply to Risjord', read at the Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology Meetings in Virginia Beach, April 14, 1995.
- (13) 'Models of Explanation in Cognitive Science : Comments on Von Eckhardt's What is Cognitive Science?', read at Society for Philosophy and Psychology Meetings, June 1-4, 1994. (One of a panel of three speakers invited to participate in a plenary session devoted to discussion of Von Eckhardt's book).
- (12) 'The Nature of Explanation in Linguistics', read to the Linguistics Colloquium, University of South Carolina, April 22, 1994.
- (11) 'A Reply to Axtell on Epistemic Virtues and the Theory of Value', read at APA Pacific Division meetings, March 31 - April 2, 1994.
- (10) 'Resisting the Step Toward Naturalism', read at South Carolina Society for Philosophy meetings, Litchfield Beach, February 25-27, 1994.
- (9) 'Can There Be a Science of the Mind?', presented at the Hard Data Cafe (a forum run by a group of experimental cognitive psychologists at the University of South Carolina), Friday January 28, 1994.
- (8) 'The Regulative Role of Reductionism: A Reply to Professor Bickle', read at the SSPP Meetings in New Orleans, April 8, 1993.
- (7) 'A Reply to Prof. Carter on Minimal Dualism', read at the APA Pacific Division Meetings, Portland Oregon, Friday March 27, 1992.
- (6) 'A Reply to Levvis's "The Wittgensteinian Consistency of Skepticism"', read at the annual meeting of the South Carolina Society for Philosophy, Columbia SC, Saturday February 16, 1991.
- (5) 'Linguistic Understanding and Tacit Knowledge', read to the Linguistics Colloquium at the University of South Carolina on Friday November 9, 1990.
- (4) 'Demonstrative Modes of Presentation and the Problem of Cognitive Significance', read at the Departments of Philosophy at Rice University on Thursday January 25, 1990; at University of South Carolina on Wednesday January 31, 1990; and at Temple University on Wednesday February 7, 1990.
- (3) 'Causal vs. Cognitivist Theories of Singular Thought' read to the Rice University Cognitive Science Group on Friday January 26, 1990.

(2) 'Acquaintance and Singular Judgment', read at Department of Philosophy, Cornell University, Wednesday January 18, 1989.

(1) 'A Reply to Berckmans on Demonstrative Utterances', read at the APA Eastern Division Meetings, Washington, D.C., Thursday December 29, 1988.

Teaching Awards

(2) Provost's Teaching Development Grant, Fall 1998.

(1) Lilly Teaching Fellowship, 1994 – 1995.

Grants/Fellowships

(13) CAS Associate Professor Professional Development Award, Summer 2007

(12) Research & Productive Scholarship grant, April 2006 – June 2007

(11) National Science Foundation grant, 2000 – 2001.

(10) College of Liberal Arts Scholarship Support, Spring 2000.

(9) Carolina Venture Fund grant, 1996 – 1997.

(8) NEH Summer Institute fellow (Nature of Meaning, dir. Jerry Fodor & Ernie Lepore), Summer 1993.

(7) NEH Summer Seminar fellow (Meaning Holism, dir. Jerry Fodor & Ernie Lepore), Summer 1992.

(6) Rackham One-Term Dissertation Fellowship, Fall 1988.

(5) Rackham Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, 1987 - 1988.

(4) Harry Crossley Bursary, 1983 - 1984.

(3) Witwatersrand University Council Postgraduate Fund Grant, 1983 - 1984.

(2) Human Sciences Research Council Bursary for Full Time Masters Degree Study, 1980.

(1) Human Sciences Research Council Bursary for Full Time Honours Degree Study, 1979.

Courses Taught

Introduction to Logic
 Introduction to Language Sciences (Linguistics)
 Introduction to Semantics/ Formal semantics
 Philosophy of Language/ Pragmatics/ Figurative Language
 Discourse Analysis
 Philosophy of Mind
 Nature of Consciousness (Mind & Nature)
 Knowledge and Reality/ Theory of Knowledge
 Freedom and Human Action
 The Self and Psychopathology
 Philosophy of the Social Sciences
 Introduction to Cognitive Science
 Philosophical Perspectives on Artificial Intelligence
 History of Analytic Philosophy (Frege/ Russell/ Wittgenstein)

Intramural Service

For Philosophy Department:

Chair (July 1, 2008 – June 30, 2011)

Associate chair (August 2004 – July 2005)

DCTP chair (2017-19)

Graduate Director (July 2001 – August 2004; August 2005 – June 2006)

Graduate Committee (1992-1995)

Co-director of Undergraduate Advising (2000-01)

Undergraduate Committee (2000-01)
 Faculty Senate Representative (Fall 1998, 2007-08, 2017-2020)
 Job Search Committees (1992-93; 1993-94; 2000-01; 2001-02; 2004-05 – Chair)
 Ph.D. Preparations Committee (1994-95)
 Peer Teaching Evaluation Committee (1992; 1996-1998)
 Ethics (IRB) Committee (1998-2001)

For Linguistics Program:

Interim Director (July 2012-June 2014)
 Graduate Director (January-December 2008)
 Graduate Admissions Committee (1997-98; 2000-01; 2008-09; 2014-16)
 Qualifying Exam Committee (1996-97; 2001-02; 2002-03 – Chair; 2015-16 – Chair; 2017-19 – Chair)
 Curriculum Committee (1993-1995; 1996-97; 2004-05; 2010-11)
 Assessment Committee (2016-17; 2017-18)
 Faculty Advisory Committee (2001-02 – Chair; 2005-06; 2010-11)
 Peer Teaching Evaluation Committee (1998-99)
 Faculty Search Committees (2002-03 Psycholinguistics; 2016-17 Chinese Linguistics)
 Colloquium Organizer (1998-99)
 Ethics (IRB) Committee (1997-2001)
 ESCOL Organizing Committee (1994)

For College and University

Senior Associate Dean of Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences (July 1, 2011- June 30, 2016)
 Graduate Council (2004 – 2006)
 Graduate Council's Liberal Arts, Business and Education New Course and Curriculum Change Subcommittee (2004-2005, Chair)
 Graduate School fellowship selection and review committee (2003-2006)
 Interview committee for nominees for Fulbright Fellowships (Fall 2003, Fall 2017)
 Mentor for Carolina Scholars Mentor Program (2001/02; 2002/03)
 Judge for Graduate Student Day (Sp-2002, Sp-2003, Sp-2008, Sp-2011)
 Judge for USC Science & Engineering Fair (1999, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2017, 2018)
 Reviewer and/or Judge for USC Junior Science & Humanities Symposium (2010-2015; 2016-17; 2017-18)
 Honors College Applicant Interviews (Sp-1997, Sp-1998)
 College Committee to Assess Student Advisement Process (1991/92)
 Research & Productive Scholarship Grants Committee (1993-1996)

Professional Service

- Special Issues Editor, *Journal of Pragmatics* (March 2015-present).
- Associate Editor, *Journal of Pragmatics* (August 1, 2010 – March 15, 2015).
- Executive Secretary, American Association of Pragmatics (AMPRA) (November 2016-present)
- Member, Executive Board of the American Association of Pragmatics (AMPRA) (2012-present)
- Member of Advisory Editorial Board, *Palgrave Studies in Pragmatics, Language and Cognition*.
- Member of Editorial Board, *Equinox* book series on Pragmatic Interfaces.
- Board of Consultants, *Encyclopedia of Pragmatics*, ed. Louise Cummings, published by Routledge.
- Reviewer of proposals for introductory philosophy, linguistics, and logic textbooks for Oxford University Press, Cambridge University Press, Palgrave-Macmillan, Broadview Press and McGraw-Hill.
- Book manuscript reviews for OUP (philosophy), Broadview Press (philosophy) and CUP (linguistics).
- Reviewer of proposals for: Idaho Board of Education; the Leverhulme Foundation; the Swiss National Science Foundation; the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada; Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research (NWO); Agence Nationale de la Recherche (ANR); Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC); the Austrian Science Fund; the NSF Linguistics Program; the Polish National Science Center.
- Member of Review Panel for 1998 NEH Seminars and Institutes Program.
- Member of Review Panel for 2000 NEH Humanities Focus Grants.
- Member of Review Panel for 2009 NEH summer fellowship program.

- Tenure and/or promotion reviews for Carnegie Mellon, Coastal Carolina, SUNY, Vassar, Wake Forest, Wellesley, U. Arizona, U. Missouri, U. Texas.
- Referee for American Philosophical Quarterly; Australasian Journal of Philosophy; Australian Journal of Linguistics; Baltic International Yearbook; Cognition; Dialectica; Erkenntnis; Estetika: The Central European Journal of Aesthetics; Filozofia Nauki; Glossa; Intercultural Pragmatics; Journal of Linguistics; Journal of Pragmatics; Language Sciences; Lingua; Linguistics & Philosophy; Mind & Language; Noûs; Pacific Philosophical Quarterly; Philosopher's Imprint; Philosophia: Philosophical Quarterly of Israel; Philosophical Quarterly; Philosophical Papers; Philosophical Psychology; Philosophical Studies; Pragmatics & Cognition; Review of Philosophy & Psychology; Synthese; Topoi.
- Chair for invited colloquium on the philosophy of language, Central APA, April 2000, Chicago.
- Chair for invited colloquium on linguistics and philosophy, Pacific APA, March 2006, Portland.
- President-elect of South Carolina Society for Philosophy, 1997
- Program Organizer for annual SCSP meeting, held Clemson, February 1997
- President of South Carolina Society for Philosophy, 1998.
- Chair, local organizing committee for joint SCSP-NCPS meetings, February 17-18, 2006, Columbia, SC.
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Membership in Professional Organizations

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 Linguistic Society of America (LSA)
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