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Curriculum Vitae

August 2022

INSTITUTIONAL ADDRESS:

Arizona State University Polytechnic Campus

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Faculty of Social Science

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Mesa, AZ 85212

**HOME ADDRESS:**

6242 N. 10th Place, Apt. 3

Phoenix, AZ 85014

**EDUCATION:**

Ph.D., Philosophy, Arizona State University, December 2012

Dissertation: *Slaves of the Defunct: The Epistemic Intractability of the Hayek-Keynes Debate*

M.A., Philosophy, Arizona State University, December 2007

B.A., Economics, Arizona State University, 1999

**AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION:**

Social and Political Philosophy

History and Philosophy of Social Science, esp. Economics  
Political Economy

**AREAS OF COMPETENCE:**

Epistemology

History of Philosophy (Modern and 20th-Century Analytic)

Metaphysics

Philosophy of Natural Science

Value Theory

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS:**

July 2018 – Present Assistant Professor

Arizona State University Polytechnic Campus

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Faculty of Social Science

Mesa, AZ

May 2019 – September 2020 Project Director, History of Economic Thought

Arizona State University Tempe Campus

W. P. Carey School of Business

School of Civic and Economic Thought and Leadership

Center for the Study of Economic Liberty

Tempe, AZ

July 2016 – July 2018 Lecturer

Arizona State University Polytechnic Campus

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Faculty of Social Science

Mesa, AZ

August 2015 – July 2016 Instructor

Arizona State University Downtown Campus

College of Letters and Sciences

Faculty of Languages and Cultures

Phoenix, AZ

June 2014 – May 2015 Postdoctoral Fellow

George Mason University

F.A. Hayek Program for Advanced Study in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics at the Mercatus Center

Fairfax, VA

September 2013 – May 2014 Research Fellow

Duke University

Center for the History of Political Economy

Durham, NC

May 2013 – May 2016 Faculty Associate

Arizona State University Polytechnic Campus

College of Letters and Sciences

Faculty of Social Science

Mesa, AZ

January 2010 – May 2013 Instructor

Arizona State University Polytechnic Campus

College of Letters and Sciences

Faculty of Social Science

Mesa, AZ

August 2008 – May 2013 Faculty Adjunct

Maricopa County Community College District

Chandler-Gilbert Community College

Chandler, AZ

**ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS:**

* The Priority of the Epistemic in Decision-Making
  + Sub-Project: The Problem of Policymaker Ignorance
* Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics
* The Menger Family

**PUBLICATIONS:**

**Books:**

*F. A. Hayek and the Epistemology of Politics: The Curious Task of Economics* (2020 - Routledge)

Research Project: The Problem of Policymaker Ignorance

Book Review Symposia

*Reason Papers* (Volume 41, Number 2, Summer 2020)

Edited by Shawn Klein, with contributions from Aeon Skoble, Timothy Sandefur, and Forrest Nabors, and a response by the author

<https://urldefense.com/v3/__https://reasonpapers.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/rp412.pdf__;!!IKRxdwAv5BmarQ!MhpmVsb3Mce1zw5U7unWD5hDmM3w5YV05ZzPnJmAXjFr8qWV6dGJg9YLXc1OE9dx55D5HA$>

*Cosmos + Taxis: Studies in Emergent Order and Organization* (Volume 9, Issue 3+4, 2021)

Edited by William Butos, with contributions from Peter Boettke, Erwin Dekker, Roger Koppl, Thomas McQuade, and Eric Schliesser, and a response by the author

<https://cosmosandtaxis.org/ct-934/>

Other Confirmed Reviews

*Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory* (Volume 30, Issue 3, July 2020)

Paul Dragos Aligicia

*Studia Ekonomiczne-Prawno* [*Studies in Law and Economics* (Poland)](Fall 2020)

J. Patrick Higgins

*History of Economic Ideas* (Volume XXVIII, Issue 3, 2020)

Jonas Lipski

*European Journal for the History of Economic Thought* (Volume 28, Issue 4, 2021)

Francesco Di Iorio

*Public Choice* (Volume 189, 2021)

Vlad Tarko

*Journal of the History of Economic Thought* (Volume 43, Issue 4, 2021)

Viktor Vanberg

Other Relevant Media

“On Liberal Transition Problems: Popper, Lippmann, and Scheall's Hayekian Political Epistemology”

Eric Schliesser

*Digressions and Impressions*, October 21, 2020: <https://digressionsnimpressions.typepad.com/digressionsimpressions/2020/10/on-the-liberal-transition-problem-scheall-hayekian-political-epistemology-i.html>

“The Epistemic Burden of Politics”

Ethan Yang

*American Institute for Economic Research*, July 20, 2020

<https://www.aier.org/article/the-epistemic-burden-of-politics/>

**Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles:**

“The Mengers *versus* Mises on Matters Methodological”

*European Journal of the History of Economic Thought* – forthcoming, publication date TBD

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Truth, Pragmatism, and Democracy: Another Route to the Liberal Values” (Second author with Michael Gifford)

*The Transactions of the Charles S. Peirce Society: A Quarterly Journal in American Philosophy* – forthcoming, publication date TBD

Research Project: One-off

Percentage Contribution as Co-author: < 50%

“A Case Study in the Problem of Policymaker Ignorance: Political Responses to COVID-19” (Lead author with Parker Crutchfield)

*Cosmos + Taxis: Studies in Emergent Order and Organization* – 2021, Volume 9, Issue 5-6, pp. 18-28

Research Project: The Problem of Policymaker Ignorance

Percentage Contribution as Co-author: > 50%

“The Priority of the Epistemic” (Lead author with Parker Crutchfield)

*Episteme* – 2021, Volume 18, Issue 4, pp. 726-737

Research Project: The Priority of the Epistemic in Decision-Making

Percentage Contribution as Co-author: > 50%

“Karl Menger’s Unfinished Biography of His Father: New Insights into Carl Menger’s Life Through 1889” (Second author with Reinhard Schumacher)

*Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology* – 2020, Volume 38B

Research Project: The Menger Family

Percentage Contribution as Co-author: < 50%

“Epistemic Burdens and the Incentives of Surrogate Decision-makers” (Second author with Parker Crutchfield)

*Medicine, Health Care, and Philosophy* – 2019, Volume 22, pp. 613–621

Research Project: The Priority of the Epistemic in Decision-Making

Percentage Contribution as Co-author: > 50%

“Ignorance and the Incentive Structure confronting Policymakers”

*Cosmos + Taxis: Studies in Emergent Order and Organization* – 2019, Volume 7, Issue 1-2, pp. 39-51

Research Project: The Problem of Policymaker Ignorance

“On the Method Appropriate to Hayek Studies”

*Œconomia ­­- History / Methodology / Philosophy*– 2019, Volume 9, Issue 1, pp. 29-35

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Social and Scientific Disorder as Epistemic Phenomena, or The Consequences of Government Dietary Guidelines” (Lead author with William N. Butos and Thomas J. McQuade)

*Journal of Institutional Economics* – 2019, Volume 15, Issue 3, pp. 431-447

Research Project: The Problem of Policymaker Ignorance

Percentage Contribution as Co-author: > 50%

“Karl Menger as Son of Carl Menger” (Lead author with Reinhard Schumacher)

*History of Political Economy* – 2018, Volume 50, Number 4, pp. 649-678

Research Project: The Menger Family

Percentage Contribution as Co-author: > 50%

“What is Extreme about Mises’ Extreme Apriorism?”

*Journal of Economic Methodology* – 2017, Volume 24, Issue 3, pp. 226-249

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“A Brief Note Concerning Hayek’s Non-Standard Conception of Knowledge”

*Review of Austrian Economics* – 2016, Volume 29, Issue 2, pp. 205-210

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“A Hayekian Explanation of Hayek’s ‘Epistemic Turn’”

*Economic Thought* – 2015, Volume 4, No 2, pp. 32-47

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Slaves of the Defunct: The Epistemic Intractability of the Hayek-Keynes Debate”

*Journal of Economic Methodology* – 2015, Volume 22, Issue 2, pp. 215-234

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Lesser Degrees of Explanation: Further Implications of F.A. Hayek’s Methodology of Sciences of Complex Phenomena”

*Erasmus Journal for Philosophy and Economics* – 2015, Volume 8, Issue 1, pp. 42-60

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Hayek’s Epistemic Theory of Industrial Fluctuations”

*History of Economic Ideas* – 2015, Volume XXIII, Issue 1, pp. 101-122

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Hayek the Apriorist?”

*Journal of the History of Economic Thought* – 2015, Volume 37, Issue 1, pp. 87-110

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Later Wittgenstein and the Problem of Easy Knowledge”

*Philosophical Investigations* – 2011, Volume 34, Issue 3, pp. 268-286

Research Project: One-off

**Peer-Reviewed Open-Peer Commentaries:**

“Epistemic Burdens, Moral Intimacy, and Surrogate Decision-making” (Second author with Parker Crutchfield)

*American Journal of Bioethics* – 2020, Volume 20, Issue 2, pp. 59-61

Research Project: The Priority of the Epistemic in Decision-Making

Percentage Contribution as Co-author: < 50%

**Invited Publications:**

“Spontaneous Order as a Concept of General Significance”

*Palgrave Handbook of Philosophy and Money*, Joseph J. Tinguely, Editor; Forthcoming 2023, Palgrave

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Complexity, Policymaking, and The Austrian Denial of Macroeconomics”

*Handbook of Macroeconomic Methodology*, Bert Tieben, Victoria Chick, and Jesper Jespersen, Editors; Forthcoming 2023, Routledge

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Summary of ‘Social and Scientific Disorder as Epistemic Phenomena, or The Consequences of Government Dietary Guidelines’” (Lead author with William N. Butos and Thomas J. McQuade)

*JOIE Blog: The Official Blog of the Journal of Institutional Economics.*

Posted February 21, 2019. Online.

“F.A. Hayek, 1899-1992”

*Great Economic Thinkers*, Jonathan Conlin, Editor; 2018, Reaktion Books (UK) / University of Chicago Press (U.S.)

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

**Book Reviews:**

“Review of Peter J. Boettke’s *F.A. Hayek: Economics, Political Economy, and Social Philosophy*”

*History of Political Economy* – 2019, Volume 51, Issue 5, pp. 970-973

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Review of *The Collected Works of F.A. Hayek, Volume 14: The Sensory Order and Other Writings on the Foundations of Theoretical Psychology*”

*Journal of the History of Economic Thought* – 2019, Volume 41, Issue 1, pp. 145-149

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Faith as Political Epistemology: A Review of Thomas C. Leonard’s *Illiberal Reformers: Race, Eugenics, and American Economics in the Progressive Era*”

*Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology* – 2017, Volume 35B, pp. 375-381

Research Project: The Problem of Policymaker Ignorance

“Review of Alexander Linsbichler’s *Was Ludwig von Mises a Conventionalist? A New Analysis of the Epistemology of the Austrian School of Economics*”

*Erasmus Journal for Philosophy and Economics* – 2017, Volume 10, Number 2, pp. 110-115

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

“Review of James A. Harris’ *Hume: An Intellectual Biography*”

*Review of Political Economy* – 2017, Volume 29, Issue 3, pp. 480-484

Research Project: One-off

“Review of *Hayek and Behavioral Economics*”

*Journal of the History of Economic Thought* – 2015, Volume 37, Issue 2, pp. 334-337

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

**Responses to Book Review Symposia:**

“Author’s Reply: Governed by Ignorance”

*Reason Papers* – Published online October 21, 2020

“Symposium Prologue” and “Responses”

*Cosmos + Taxis: Studies in Emergent Order and Organization* – (Forthcoming 2021, Volume 9, Issue 3+4)

**Editorial Introductions:**

“Introduction to a Symposium on Carl Menger at the Centenary of His Death” (Second author with Reinhard Schumacher)

*Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology* – 2021, Volume 39B

“Introduction to a Collection of Reviews and Commentaries on Nancy MacLean’s *Democracy in Chains*” (Second author with Andrew Farrant)

*Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology* – 2019, Volume 37B

“Introduction to a Symposium on Bruce Caldwell’s *Beyond Positivism* after 35 Years”

*Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology* – 2018, Volume 36A

“Introduction to Symposium on Austrian Economics in the Immediate Postwar Period”

*Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology* – 2016, Volume 34A

**OTHER MEDIA APPEARANCES**

“The Problem of Policymaker Ignorance”

Scott Scheall

*American Institute for Economic Research*, July 14, 2022

<https://www.aier.org/article/the-problem-of-policymaker-ignorance/>

“Science is More Complex Than Advertised”

Scott Scheall

*American Institute for Economic Research*, April 8, 2021

<https://www.aier.org/article/science-is-more-complex-than-advertised/>

Episode 84: “What Is the Fundamental Problem of Political Life?”

Scott Scheall

*The Curious Task* Podcast, March 10, 2021

<https://thecurioustask.podbean.com/>

“There Are No Experts (About the Things for Which We Really Need Experts)”

Scott Scheall and Parker Crutchfield

*American Institute for Economic Research*, February 4, 2021

<https://www.aier.org/article/there-are-no-experts-on-that-for-which-we-really-need-experts/>

**WORKS UNDER REVIEW**

**Books:**

*Dialogues Concerning Natural Politics: A Modern Philosophical Dialogue about Policymaker Ignorance* (Draft manuscript completed)

Research Project: The Problem of Policymaker Ignorance

*Ignorance and Obligations: The Logical Priority of the Epistemic in Decision-Making* (First author with Parker Crutchfield)

Research Project: The Priority of the Epistemic in Decision-Making

**Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles:**

“’Liberalism and / or Socialism?’ The Wrong Question?”

Under review for Palgrave Anthology on “Liberalism and / or Socialism?” Conference

Research Project: The Problem of Policymaker Ignorance

“A Unified Account of the Effects of Norm Violation on Various Judgments” (Second author with Parker Crutchfield)

Major revision at *Synthese*

Research Project: The Priority of the Epistemic in Decision-Making

Percentage Contribution as Co-author: > 50%

“Hume’s Joke: Ignorance and Moral Judgments” (Second author with Parker Crutchfield, Mark Rzeszutek, Cristal Cardoso Sao Mateus, and Hayley Brown)

Major revision at *Consciousness and Cognition*

Research Project: The Priority of the Epistemic in Decision-Making

Percentage Contribution as Co-author: < 50%

**WORKS-IN-PROGRESS:**

**Books:**

*Political Philosophy as if Politicians Were Human Beings*

Research Project: The Problem of Policymaker Ignorance

Untitled Biography of Carl Menger (Co-author with Reinhard Schumacher)

Research Project: The Menger Family

Untitled History of Austrian Methodological Controversies (Co-author with Alexander Linsbichler)

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

**Journal Articles:**

“The Vacuity of Ludwig von Mises’s Methodological Apriorism”

Research Project: Philosophy and the Austrian School of Economics

**EXTERNAL GRANTS:**

November 2018 History of Economics Society ($16,000 through June 2020)

New Initiatives Fund

Funding for Arizona State University Winter Institute for the History of Economic Thought

Lead Principal Investigator with Ross Emmett and Tyler DesRoches

October 2017 Charles Koch Foundation ($41,747 through December 2022)

Economic Freedom Program

Research and Operating Support for Project on “The Philosophical and Practical Implications of Policymaker Ignorance”

Sole Principal Investigator

June 2017 History of Economics Society ($2,000 through June 2022)

New Initiatives Fund

Funding for *Smith and Marx Walk into and Bar: A History of Economics Podcast*

Lead Principal Investigator with Carlos Eduardo Suprinyak and Gerardo Serra

**AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS:**

May 2022 CISA Summer Research Award

Arizona State University, College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Faculty of Social Science

Mesa, AZ

May 2021 CISA Summer Research Award

Arizona State University, College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Faculty of Social Science

Mesa, AZ

May 2020 CISA Summer Research Award

Arizona State University, College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Faculty of Social Science

Mesa, AZ

May 2019 CISA Summer Research Award

Arizona State University, College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Faculty of Social Science

Mesa, AZ

May 2018 Service Impact Award

Arizona State University, College of Integrative Sciences and Arts, Faculty of Social Science

Mesa, AZ

June 2017 2017 Hoover Library & Archives Workshop on Political Economy

Stanford University

Palo Alto, CA

June 2015 Institute for Humane Studies

Hayek Fund for Scholars

Conference Travel and Fees

June 2015 15th Summer Institute for the History of Economic Thought

University of Richmond

Richmond, VA

June 2014 Young Scholar Award

History of Economics Society

Summer 2014 Book Fellowship

George Mason University

F.A. Hayek Program for Advanced Study in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics at the Mercatus Center

Fairfax, VA

Summer 2014 Archivist Intern

Duke University

Center for the History of Political Economy

David M. Rubinstein Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Karl Menger Papers Collection

Durham, NC

June 2013 National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute on the History of Political Economy

Duke University, Center for the History of Political Economy

Durham, NC

June 2013 14th Summer Institute for the History of Economic Thought

University of Richmond

Richmond, VA

June 2012 Summer Institute on the History of Economic Thought

Duke University, Center for the History of Political Economy

Durham, NC

May 2007 Graduate Student Award

Arizona State University, Department of Philosophy

Tempe, AZ

March 2007 Best Graduate Student Paper (“Anti-Compositionism: Nihilism, Gunk, and Temporal Parts”)

Intermountain West Student Philosophy Conference

University of Utah

Salt Lake City, UT

**CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS, INVITED LECTURES, AND ORGANIZED SESSIONS:**

“Spontaneous Order as a Concept of General Significance”

History of Economics Society 49th Annual Conference

University of St. Thomas

Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA

June 16-19, 2022

“Spontaneous Order as a Concept of General Significance”

*Palgrave Handbook of Philosophy and Money* Conference

University of South Dakota

Sioux Falls, South Dakota, USA

June 20-22, 2022

“The Mengers *versus* Mises on Matters Methodological”

Conference on Carl Menger: One Century Later, Originalities and Modernities

Nice, France

November 24-26, 2021

“The Mengers *versus* Mises on Matters Methodological”

International Network for Economic Method 15th Biennial Conference

Tempe, Arizona

November 12-14, 2021

“Public Governance after 2020: What Do We Know When We Know Nothing?”

Fifth International Conference, Department of Public Administration, Sofia University

Sofia, Bulgaria

October 21-22, 2021

“’Liberalism and / or Socialism?’ The Wrong Question?”

Conference on Liberalism and / or Socialism? Tensions, Exchanges, and Convergences from the 19th Century to Today

Lorraine, France

October 21-22, 2021

"The Problem of Policymaker Ignorance"

NOUS: Netzwerk für Ordnungsökonomik und Sozialphilosophie

NOUS Spotlight Series

Online Virtual Presentation

July 27, 2021

“Ignorance and Moral Judgments” (Second author with Parker Crutchfield)

43rd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society

Workshop on "Engineering and Reverse-Engineering Morality”

Online Virtual Conference

July 26, 2021

“Hume’s Joke: Ignorance and Moral Judgments” (Lead author with Parker Crutchfield, Mark Rzeszutek, Cristal Cardoso Sao Mateus, and Hayley Brown)

Society for Philosophy and Psychology

Online Virtual Conference

June 30, 2021

“Ignorance and Moral Judgments about the Pandemic” (Second author with Parker Crutchfield)

Society for Philosophy and Psychology

Online Virtual Conference

June 29, 2021

“History of Economics Diversity Caucus Conference” (Lead Organizer)

History of Economics Diversity Caucus

Online / Virtual Conference

May 24-26, 2021

“Author Meets Critics: *F. A. Hayek and the Epistemology of Politics*”

Panel: Peter Boettke, George Mason University; Erwin Dekker, Erasmus University Rotterdam; Roger Koppl, Syracuse University

Southern Economic Association 90th Annual Meeting

Online / Virtual Conference

November 20, 2020

“Ignorance, Not Incentives: The First Problem of Politics and Political Inquiry”

Public Choice Society 57th Annual Meetings

Newport Beach, CA, USA

March 14, 2020 (Cancelled due to COVID pandemic)

“Growing Tolerance: Karl Menger and the Development of Logical Tolerance in an Intolerant Age”

Center for the History of Political Economy

Duke University

Durham, NC

February 7, 2020

*F. A. Hayek and the Epistemology of Politics: The Curious Task of Economics* (Precis)

Center for the Study of Economic Liberty PPE Research Workshop

Arizona State University, Tempe Campus

Tempe, AZ

November 22, 2019

“Liberalism and the Problem of Policymaker Ignorance”

History of Economics Society 46th Annual Conference

Columbia University

New York, New York, USA

June 22, 2019

“Policymaker Ignorance: The Fundamental Problem of Politics and Political Inquiry”

Poly Social Science Colloquium Series

Arizona State University, Polytechnic Campus

Mesa, AZ

April 9, 2019

“Hayek and Keynes on Economic Liberty” (Host with Speakers Bruce Caldwell and Brad Bateman)

Center for the Study of Economic Liberty

Arizona State University, Tempe Campus

Tempe, AZ

March 14, 2019

“Ignorance and the Incentive Structure confronting Policymakers”

Center for the Study of Economic Liberty PPE Research Workshop

Arizona State University, Tempe Campus

Tempe, AZ

January 14, 2019

“Ignorance and the Incentive Structure confronting Policymakers”

Colloquium on Market Institutions and Economic Processes

New York University

New York, NY

December 10, 2018

“The MacLean Controversy A Year Later” (Session Organizer with Andrew Farrant)

History of Economics Society 45th Annual Conference

Loyola University

Chicago, Illinois, USA

June 17, 2018

“Contextualizing F.A. Hayek as Theoretical Psychologist and Naturalistic Epistemologist”

History of Economics Society 45th Annual Conference

Loyola University

Chicago, Illinois, USA

June 15, 2018

“Bruce Caldwell’s *Beyond Positivism* After 35 Years” (Session Chair and Organizer)

History of Economics Society 44th Annual Conference

University of Toronto

Toronto, Ontario, Canada

June 22, 2017

“Hayek, not Mises, at the Epistemological (Hard) Core of the Austrian School”

History of Economics Society 44th Annual Conference

University of Toronto

Toronto, Ontario, Canada

June 21, 2017

“Social Disorder as Epistemic Phenomena: The Political Economy and Epistemology of Government Dietary Guidelines” (with William N. Butos and Thomas J. McQuade)

Philosophy, Politics, and Economics (PPE) Society 1st Annual Meeting

New Orleans, LA

March 16-19, 2017

“Insights from the History of Austrian Economics for Growth and Development”

Associação Nacional dos Centros de Pós-Graduação em Economia (ANPEC – Brazilian Economic Association) 44th National Meeting of Economists

History of Economics Society / ANPEC Joint Panel Session on “History of Economic Thought and Methodology”

Foz do Iguaçu, Brazil

December 14, 2016

“Karl Menger as Son of Carl Menger” (with Reinhard Schumacher)

Southern Economic Association 86th Annual Meeting

Society for the Development of Austrian Economics Panel Session on “Themes and Personalities in Early Austrian Economics”

Washington, D.C.

November 19, 2016

“The Life of Carl Menger: New Insights into the Biography of the Father of Austrian Economics” (with Reinhard Schumacher)

Southern Economic Association 86th Annual Meeting

Society for the Development of Austrian Economics Panel Session on “Themes and Personalities in Early Austrian Economics”

Washington, D.C.

November 19, 2016

“Social Disorder as Epistemic Phenomena: The Political Economy and Epistemology of Government Dietary Guidelines” (with William N. Butos and Thomas J. McQuade)

Southern Economic Association 86th Annual Meeting

Society for the Development of Austrian Economics Panel Session on “The Political Economy of Science”

Washington, D.C.

November 21, 2016

“What is Extreme about Mises’ Extreme Apriorism?”

Southern Economic Association 86th Annual Meeting

Society for the Development of Austrian Economics Panel Session on “Austrian Economics and Public Choice: History and Methodology”

Washington, D.C.

November 21, 2016

“The Life of Carl Menger: New Insights into the Biography of the Father of Austrian Economics” (with Reinhard Schumacher)

History of Economics Society 43rd Annual Conference

Duke University

Durham, NC

June 20, 2016

“Karl Menger’s Diaries, 1918-1922” (with Reinhard Schumacher)

History of Economics Society 43rd Annual Conference

Duke University

Durham, NC

June 19, 2016

“What Did Mathematics Do to Economic Explanation? Incommensurability in the Böhm-Bawerk/Fisher Controversy Over Simultaneous Equations” (with Avi J. Cohen)

History of Economics Society 43rd Annual Conference

Duke University

Durham, NC

June 18, 2016

Session on “How to Get Published in the History of Economic Thought: Advice from Journal Editors to Early-Career Scholars”

History of Economics Society 43rd Annual Conference

Duke University

Durham, NC

June 18, 2016

“Kinds of Scientific Rationalism: The Case for Methodological Liberalism”

Southern Economic Association 85th Annual Meeting

Society for the Development of Austrian Economics Panel Session on “The Economics and Epistemics of Science”

New Orleans, LA

November 22, 2015

“Karl Menger’s Diaries, 1918-1922”

Center for the History of Political Economy

Duke University

Durham, NC

October 2, 2015

“Kinds of Scientific Rationalism: The Case for Methodological Liberalism”

History of Economics Society 42nd Annual Conference

Michigan State University

East Lansing, MI

June 27, 2015

*F.A. Hayek, Economics, and the Epistemology of Politics*

Manuscript Workshop

F.A. Hayek Program for Advanced Study in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics at the Mercatus Center at George Mason University

Arlington, VA

June 18-19, 2015

“Kinds of Scientific Rationalism: The Case for Methodological Liberalism”

15th Summer Institute for the History of Economic Thought

University of Richmond

Richmond, VA

June 5, 2015

“Kinds of Scientific Rationalism: The Case for Methodological Liberalism”

Philosophy, Politics, and Economics Workshop

George Mason University

Fairfax, VA

April 9, 2015

“Kinds of Scientific Rationalism: The Case for Methodological Liberalism”

Colloquium on Market Institutions and Economic Processes

New York University

New York, NY

October 27, 2014

*Politics as a Knowledge Problem: The Epistemic Burden of Effective Policymaking* (*Precis*)

Center for the History of Political Economy

Duke University

Durham, NC

October 10, 2014

“A Hayekian Explanation of Hayek’s ‘Epistemic Turn’”

History of Economics Society 41st Annual Conference, Young Scholars Award Session

Université du Québec à Montréal

Montreal, Quebec, Canada

June 23, 2014

“Economics and Ignorance: Hayek’s Epistemic Theory of Industrial Fluctuations”

Colloquium on Market Institutions and Economic Processes

New York University

New York, NY

October 7, 2013

“Economics and Ignorance: Hayek’s Epistemic Theory of Industrial Fluctuations”

Philosophy, Politics, and Economics Workshop

George Mason University

Fairfax, VA

October 3, 2013

“Economics and Ignorance: Hayek’s Epistemic Theory of Industrial Fluctuations”

Center for the History of Political Economy

Duke University

Durham, NC

September 27, 2013

“Slaves of the Defunct: The Epistemic Intractability of the Hayek-Keynes Debate”

Austrian Economics Forum

North Carolina State University

Raleigh, NC

September 13, 2013

“Hayek the Apriorist?”

History of Economics Society 40th Annual Conference

University of British Columbia

Vancouver, B.C., Canada

June 23, 2013

“A Hayekian Philosophy of Sports” – Commentary on Tara A. Smith’s “What Are We Cheering? Sport and the Value of Valuing”

American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division Meeting

Washington, D.C.

December 28, 2011

“Predictive Success in Economic Science”

Philosophy Graduate Student Colloquium Series

Arizona State University, Tempe Campus

Tempe, AZ

December 4, 2009

“Ontological Inquiry and the Presupposition of Pluralism”   
Southwest Graduate Conference in Philosophy

Arizona State University, Tempe Campus

Tempe, AZ

March 2, 2008

“The Limits of Causal Explanation in Economics”

Philosophy Graduate Student Colloquium Series

Arizona State University, Tempe Campus

Tempe, AZ

November 3, 2007

“Anti-Compositionism: Nihilism, Gunk, and Temporal Parts”

Intermountain West Student Philosophy Conference

University of Utah

Salt Lake City, UT

March 30, 2007

“Mistaking Identities” – Commentary on Nathan Placencia’s “Discovering Identities” Southwest Graduate Conference in Philosophy

Arizona State University, Tempe Campus

Tempe, AZ

March 3, 2007

“Anti-Compositionism: Nihilism, Gunk, and Temporal Parts”

Philosophy Graduate Student Colloquium Series

Arizona State University, Tempe Campus

Tempe, AZ

November 4, 2006

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

January 2010 – Present Arizona State University Polytechnic Campus

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts (Formerly College of Letters and Sciences)

Faculty of Social Science

Mesa, AZ

ISS 502: Advanced Seminar in Integrated Social Science (Team-taught)

ISS 504: Advanced Integrated Theories of Social Science (Team-taught)

ISS 518: Science, Technology, and Social Systems

POS 485: Political Economy

POS 346: Problems of Democracy

SOC 352: Social Change

STS 301: Research Methods in Science, Technology, and Society

STS 302: Philosophy of Science and Technology

STS 304: Science, Technology, and Society

STS 305: Science and Social Theory

STS 306: Social Effects of Science and Technology

STS 318: Science, Technology, and Government

STS 330: Information Technology and Globalization

STS 331: Ethical Issues in Science and Technology

STS 394: Special Topic – Public Policy and Economic Crises

August 2015 – August 2016 Arizona State University at the Downtown Phoenix Campus

College of Letters and Sciences

Faculty of Languages and Cultures

Phoenix, AZ

PHI 101: Introduction to Philosophy

PHI 103: Principles of Sound Reasoning

PHI 120: Introduction to Medical and Bioethics

PHI 311: Philosophy and Literature (Topic: *The Brothers Karamazov* and the Philosophy of Dostoevsky)

PHI 394: Socialism and Classical Liberalism

August 2008 – May 2013 Chandler-Gilbert Community College

Department of Philosophy and Religious Studies

Chandler, AZ

PHI 101: Introduction to Philosophy

PHI 103: Introduction to Logic

PHI 105: Introduction to Ethics

August 2007 – December 2010 Arizona State University

Department of Philosophy

Tempe, AZ

PHI 101: Introduction to Philosophy

PHI 194: Special Topic – On Political and Economic Freedom

PHI 494: Individualized Instruction –Philosophy of Physics

August 2006 – December 2006 Arizona State University

University College

Tempe, AZ

UNI 100: Exploratory Student Success

**PROFESSIONAL & ACADEMIC SERVICE:**

July 2022 – Present Faculty Advisor

Sun Devil League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC)

Arizona State University

January 2022 – Present Member

Graduate Curriculum Committee

Faculty of Social Science

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Arizona State University

January 2022 – Present Member

Science, Technology, and Society Curriculum Committee

Faculty of Social Science

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Arizona State University

March 2021 – Present Member

Editorial Board

*Cosmos + Taxis: Studies in Emergent Order and Organization*

January 2021 – Present Member

Curriculum Assessment Committee

Faculty of Social Science

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Arizona State University

October 2020 – November 2021 International Network for Economic Method

15th INEM Conference 2021 – Tempe, AZ

Local Organizing Committee

August 2020 – Present Lead Organizer

History of Economics Diversity Caucus Conference Organizing Committee

October 2018 – Present Faculty Advisor

Bridge ASU

Arizona State University

August 2018 – November 2020 Director of Graduate Studies

Faculty of Social Science

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Arizona State University

June 2018 – May 2019 Member

Executive Committee

History of Economics Society

February 2018 – February 2019 Chairperson

Funding, Marketing, and Recruiting Working Group

Faculty of Social Science

College of Integrative Science and Arts

Arizona State University

January 2018 Member

Student Grievance Committee (*ad hoc*)

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Arizona State University

December 2017 – Present Co-Host (with Gerardo Serra and Carlos Eduardo Suprinyak)

*Smith and Marx Walk into a Bar: A History of Economics Podcast*

August 2017 – September 2019 Chairperson

New Initiatives Fund Committee

History of Economics Society

May 2017 Workshop Designer and Presenter

Promotion Workshop for Non-Tenure Eligible Faculty

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Arizona State University

March 2017 Member

Student Grievance Committee (*ad hoc*)

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Arizona State University

February 2017 – July 2018 Member

Sexual Assault Prevention Faculty Advisory Council

Arizona State University

January 2017 – July 2018 Interim Director of Graduate Studies

Faculty of Social Science

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Arizona State University

August 2016 – July 2018 Member

Curriculum Committee

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Arizona State University

August 2016 – July 2018 Chairperson

Personnel Committee for Non-Tenure-Eligible Faculty

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts

Arizona State University

August 2016 – Present Member

Hiring Committee

Faculty of Social Science

College of Integrative Sciences and Arts Arizona State University

June 2015 – April 2016 Member

Joseph Dorfman Best Dissertation Prize

Selection Committee

History of Economics Society

March 2014 – Present Co-Editor (with Luca Fiorito and Carlos Eduardo Suprinyak)

*Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology*

August 2011 – May 2013 Member

Curriculum Committee

College of Letters and Sciences

Arizona State University

August 2008 – May 2012 Faculty Committee Liaison

Philosophy Ph.D. Program

School of Historical, Philosophical, and Religious Studies

Arizona State University

June 2008 – July 2010 Faculty Advisor

Arizona State Undergraduate Philosophy Club

School of Historical, Philosophical, and Religious Studies

Arizona State University

June 2008 – July 2010 Faculty Advisor

Young Americans for Liberty

Arizona State University

Referee for:

*American Journal of Political Science*

*Atlantic Economic Journal*

*Cosmos + Taxis: Studies in Emergent Order and Organization*

*Economia*

*Economic Thought*

*Erasmus Journal for Philosophy and Economics*

*European Journal of Law and Economics*

*History of Political Economy*

*Journal of Contextual Economics*

*Journal of Economic Methodology*

*Journal of the History of Economic Thought*

*Journal of Public Finance and Public Choice*

*Kairos: Journal of Philosophy & Science*

*Œconomia – History / Methodology / Philosophy*

*Philosophia: Philosophical Quarterly of Israel*

*Philosophical Papers and Reviews*

*Philosophy of Social Science*

*Politics, Philosophy & Economics*

*Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology*

*Review of Austrian Economics*

*Review of Social Economy*

*Social Theory and Practice*

*Synthese*

**STUDENT MENTORSHIP:**

**Thesis / Dissertation Committee Participation:**

Collin Erickson – Senior Thesis Chair, Arizona State University

“Blockchain and Sustainability” (2022)

Dylan Frye – M.S. Applied Project Committee Member, Arizona State University

“East Valley Community Festival Applied Project” (2022)

Roy Tatem – M.S. Thesis Committee Member, Arizona State University

“Social Work Policing: An Embedded Autonomous Model” (2021)

Alexander Linsbichler – PhD Dissertation Committee External Reviewer, University of Vienna

“Otto Neurath and Ludwig von Mises: Philosophy, Politics, and Economics in Viennese Late Enlightenment” (2020)

Rashed Alshamsi – M.S. Applied Project Committee Co-chair, Arizona State University

“Integrative Social Science and Abu Dhabi’s Oil Industry” (2020)

Emily Henry – M.S. Applied Project Committee Member, Arizona State University

“The Collaboration of Anti-Human Trafficking Organizations in the State of Arizona” (2020)

Julie Simundson – M.S. Thesis Committee Co-chair, Arizona State University

“Education and the Costs Associated with Death” (2020)

Cameron Eskandari – Senior Thesis Committee Member, Arizona State University

“The Austrian Theory of the Business Cycle” (2011)

Diego DeNicola – Senior Thesis Committee Member, Arizona State University

“The Morality of Markets” (2010)

**Letters of Recommendation Written on Behalf of:**

Fatma Al-Sharshani (2022)

Anthony Alas (2021)

Emily Henry (2021)

Yue Lang (2018)

Zhijun Zheng (2018)

Mingwei Zhang (2018)

Alonzo Medley (2018)

Pingkang Shen (2017)

Robert McGill (2017)

Raghad Tamim (2017)

Morgan Ganase (2015)

Lauren McCaw (2014 [Graduate School] and 2011 [Peace Corps])

Suzanne Phoenix (2014)

Minja Milovic (2013)

Tommy Montanerella (2013)

Phillip Ernst (2013)

Denene Bassett (2012)

Russell Reinsch (2011)

Colter Dorman (2011)

Ryan Zick (2011)

Christian MacDonald (2010)

Roger “Jack” Ray (2010)

Nicole Oran (2010)

Peter Walton (2010)

Morgan Shay (2009)

**OTHER ACADEMIC WORK EXPERIENCE:**

June 2008 – July 2010 Undergraduate Student Advisor

Department of Philosophy

Arizona State University

Tempe, AZ

January 2003 – September 2005 University Endowment Administrator

Arizona State University Foundation

Tempe, AZ

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:**

Cognitive Science Society

Member: 2021 – Present

International Adam Smith Society

Member: 2019 – Present

NOUS: Netzwerk für Ordnungsökonomik und Sozialphilosophie (Network for Constitutional Economics and Social Philosophy)

Member: 2017 – Present

The Hume Society

Member: 2017 – Present

Southern Economic Association

Member: 2015 – Present

Society for the Development of Austrian Economics

Member: 2014 – Present

History of Economics Society

Member: 2013 – Present

Executive Committee Member: 2018 – 2019

International Network for Economic Method

Member: 2013 – Present

Philosophy of Science Association

Member: 2008 – 2021

American Philosophical Association

Member: 2006 – 2022

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