

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Current positions:

- Project Leader, Centre for the Study of Mind in Nature (CSMN), University of Oslo.
- Senior Research Fellow, Centre for Applied Philosophy and Public Ethics (CAPPE), Charles Sturt University.

Former positions:

- Senior Research Fellow, Center for Applied Philosophy and Public Ethics (CAPPE), University of Melbourne, 2007–2009.
- Post-Doc Research Fellow, the Ethics Programme, University of Oslo, 2003–2007.
- Fulbright Scholar, University of California, Berkeley, fall 2006.
- Academic Visitor, Oxford University, academic year 2004/2005.
- Visiting Scholar, Columbia University, spring and fall 2000.
- Associate member and postgraduate student, the Norwegian Ethics Programme, 1999–2002.
- Part-time lecturer at the University of Oslo 1993–1997.
- Part-time lecturer at several University Colleges, Norway 1993–2002.

Education:

- Dr.Philos. Degree (equivalent to PhD), Department of Philosophy, University of Oslo, 2002. Thesis: *Treating Others: Essays in moral philosophy*. Supervisor Thomas Pogge.
- M.A. Degree, University of Oslo, 1993. Thesis: “Theories of Motion”.
- Cand.Mag. Degree (equivalent to B.A.), University of Oslo, 1988.

Grants and awards:

- *Research Project*, Norwegian Research Council (LATINAMERIKA) 2011–2014: ‘Who owns it? Land claims in Latin America: their moral legitimacy and implications’. Role: Project Leader. With Christian Barry, Jemima García-Godos and Alejandra Mancilla.
- *Research Project*, Norwegian Research Council (INDNOR) 2011: ‘Responding to Local Poverty: On what the affluent ought to do and what the poor are permitted to do’. Role: Project Leader. With Rajshree Chandra and Ole Koksvik.
- *Discovery Project*, Australian Research Council 2011–2013: ‘Benefiting from Injustice’. Role: Chief Investigator. With Christian Barry and Robert Goodin.
- *Young Excellent Researcher*, Norwegian Research Council 2010–2013. Research Project: ‘Responding to Global Poverty: On what the affluent ought to do and what the poor are permitted to do’. Role: Project Leader. With Christian Barry, Alison Jaggar, and Thomas Pogge.

- *Discovery Project*, Australian Research Council 2009–2011: ‘The Responsibilities of the Affluent to Address Global Poverty’. Role: First Chief Investigator. With Christian Barry and Thomas Pogge.
- *Early Career Researcher Grant*, University of Melbourne 2008 on the project ‘Global Poverty: The principle of assistance versus the principle of contribution’.
- *Fulbright Scholarship*, USA 2006.
- *PhD completion grant*, the Ethics Programme, University of Oslo 2002.

Journal articles:

1. ‘On Disproportionate Force and Fighting in Vain’ *Canadian Journal of Philosophy* 41.2 (2011): 235–261.
2. ‘Do Democratic Societies Have a Right to Do Wrong’, with Christian Barry *Journal of Social Philosophy* 42.2 (2011): 111–131.
3. ‘Moral Taint: On the Transfer of the Implications of Moral Culpability’ *Journal of Applied Philosophy* 28.2 (2011): 122–136.
4. ‘Why Remittances Should Not Be Taxed’, with Christian Barry, *NYU Journal of International Law and Politics* 42:4 (2010).
5. ‘Conditional Threats’ *Journal of Moral Philosophy* 7.3 (2010): 334–345.
6. ‘Forced Assistance’ *Law and Philosophy* 28:2 (2009): 203–232.
7. ‘Responding to Global Poverty: Review essay of Peter Singer *The life you can save*’ with Christian Barry, *Journal of Bioethical Inquiry* 6:2 (2009): 239–247.
8. ‘Survival Lotteries Reconsidered’ *Bioethics* 21:7 (2007): 355–363.
9. ‘The Illegal Way In and The Moral Way Out: On Refugees’ *European Journal of Philosophy* 15:2 (2007): 186–203.
10. ‘The Right to Do Wrong’ *Law and Philosophy* 26:4 (2007): 377–404.
11. ‘Killing Soldiers’ *Ethics & International Affairs* 20:4 (2006): 455–475.
12. ‘Killing Civilians’ *European Journal of Philosophy* 13:3 (2005): 345–363.
13. ‘Poverty and the Moral Significance of Contribution’ *Journal of Moral Philosophy* 2.3 (2005): 299–315.
14. ‘Contractual Killing’ *Ethics* 115:4 (2005): 692–720.
15. ‘Self-Defence among Innocent People’ *Journal of Moral Philosophy* 2.2 (2005): 127–146.
16. ‘Just Adjustments: Assessing distributive justice by focusing on conflicts between law and morality’ *Public Affairs Quarterly* 18:4 (2004): 387–408.

Articles in anthologies:

- ‘Letting Die by Contract’ in *New Waves in Ethics*, edited by Thom Brooks (Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan 2011):
- ‘High-Fliers: Who Should Bear the Risk of Humanitarian Intervention?’ *New Wars and New Soldiers: Ethical Challenges in the Modern Military*, edited by Paolo Tripodi and Jessica Wolfendale (Surrey: Ashgate 2011): 69–86.

Forthcoming Publications:

- ‘Dividing Harm’ forthcoming *Journal of Moral Philosophy*.
- ‘The Feasible Alternative Thesis: Kicking away the Livelihood of the Global Poor’, with Christian Barry, forthcoming *Philosophy, Politics, and Economics*.
- ‘602 and One Dead: On contribution to global poverty and liability to defensive force’ forthcoming *European Journal of Philosophy*.

Work in Progress:

- ‘Moral Obstacles: An alternative to the doctrine of double effect’

- ‘What’s wrong with being an overdeterminer of harm?’, with Christian Barry
- ‘An Extraordinary Humanitarian Intervention’
- ‘On the Implications of Failing to Assist’, with Christian Barry,
- ‘How Much for a Child’, with Christian Barry
- ‘Giving Rise to Cost: On bystanders, obstacles, obstructors, threats, and the permissibility to harm them’
- ‘Contribution, Exploitation, and Failing to Assist the Poor’
- ‘The Doing, Allowing, and Enabling Distinction’, with Christian Barry
- ‘An Innocent Look at Doing and Allowing’
- ‘The Normative Characteristics of Enabling Harm’, with Christian Barry
- ‘Trade’, with Christian Barry
- ‘Benefiting From Injustice’, with Bashshar Haydar
- ‘Tracking Cost and the Duty to Assist the Poor’, with Bashshar Haydar
- Book project “Doing, Allowing, and Enabling Harm: The responsibilities of the affluent for global poverty”, with Christian Barry

Areas of academic competence:

- Moral philosophy.
- Political philosophy.
- Ethics of war.

Areas of academic specialization:

- Distributive and global justice.
- Ethics of war. Problems of innocence and responsibility with regard to use of defensive force.
- The distinction between doing and allowing harm.

Professional service:

- Member of Editorial Board for *Criminal Law and Philosophy* (Springer).
- I have acted as a referee for *Ethics*, *Cambridge Review of International Affairs*, *Res Publica*, *Ethics and International Affairs*, *Journal of Moral Philosophy*, *Journal of Military Ethics*, and *Etikk i Praksis*, in addition to *Lexington Books* and *Oxford University Press*.