

Curriculum Vitae

Steve Vanderheiden

Qualifications

Ph.D. in philosophy, Political Science. University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2001.

Master of Arts, Political Thought (Political Science & Philosophy). University of Utah, 1995.

Bachelor of Arts, Economic and English (double major). Willamette University, 1990.

Employment

2010 - pres Professorial Fellow, Centre for Applied Philosophy and Public Ethics (CAPPE)
Charles Sturt University, housed at The Australian National University,
Canberra.

2009-pres Associate Professor - Political Science and Environmental Studies
University of Colorado at Boulder.

2007-2009 Assistant Professor - Political Science. University of Colorado at Boulder.

2007 Associate Professor - Philosophy and Political Science. University of Minnesota
Duluth.

2001-2007 Assistant Professor - Philosophy and Political Science. University of Minnesota
Duluth.

Current Grants

2010 CU-Boulder Single Semester Research Leave (Spring)

Past Fellowships, Honors and Grants

2009 CU-Boulder President's Fund for the Humanities grant (\$3000), Fall 2009, for "Climate
Justice Lecture Series"

2009 CU-Boulder Dean's Fund for Excellence grant (\$700).

2008 CU-Boulder Committee for Humanities and the Arts Visiting Scholar grant (\$1000), (used to
bring David Schlosberg to campus)

CU-Boulder Dean's Fund for Excellence grant (\$700).

CU-Boulder Center for the Advancement of Research and Teaching in the Social Sciences

(CARTSS) Albert E. Smith Scholar grant for research on "Sustainability, Security, and Survival
in a New Nuclear Age" (\$5000), Spring

CU-Boulder Dean's Fund for Excellence grant (\$700), Spring

CU-Boulder Institute for Ethics and Civic Engagement grant (\$2500), Spring

University of Minnesota Institute for Advanced Study Residential Fellowship, Spring semester
(declined)

2007-2008 UMD Faculty Sabbatical, sabbatical supplement (\$10,000), AY 2007-08 (declined)

2006-2007 UMD College of Liberal Arts Outstanding Faculty Research Award.

Archibald Bush Foundation Grant for "Developing Reflective Practitioners and Self-Regulated
Learners" (second faculty cohort: Jan. 2006-May 2007).

2005 UMD Single Semester Leave, Fall 2005

2001 UMD College of Liberal Arts Summer Research Grant (\$3000), Summer 2001

Others :UMD Chancellor's Small Grant (\$750), F01, F02, F03, F04, S05, F05, S06, F06

UMD Research Committee Travel Grant (\$500), F02, S04, F04, S05, S07

Publications

Books

Vanderheiden, S. *The Politics of Energy: Challenges for a Sustainable Future* (edited volume), from a special issue of *Environmental Politics*, under contract with Routledge, 2011.

Vanderheiden, S. *Atmospheric Justice: A Political Theory of Climate Change* (monograph), New York: Oxford University Press (March 2008). [Paperback edition published September 2009. Editor's Pick, Choice (November 2008). Winner of the Harold and Margaret Sprout Award for best book on global environmental politics, International Studies Association, 2009]

Vanderheiden, S. *Political Theory and Global Climate Change* (edited volume), Cambridge, MA: The MIT Press (November 2008).

Refereed Articles

Vanderheiden, S. "Distinguishing Mitigation and Adaptation," *Ethics, Place and Environment* 12, no. 3 (October 2009): 283-86.

Vanderheiden, S. "Allocating Ecological Space," *Journal of Social Philosophy* 40, no. 2 (Summer 2009): 257-75.

Vanderheiden, S. "Radical Environmentalism in an Age of Antiterrorism," *Environmental Politics* 17, no. 2 (April 2008): 299-318. Reprinted in *Reflections on American Environmentalism*, ed. by David Schlosberg and Elizabeth Bomberg (New York: Routledge, 2008).

Vanderheiden, S. "Two Conceptions of Sustainability," *Political Studies* 56, no. 2 (June 2008): 435-55. Reprinted in: *Sustainability: Collected Essays*, ed. by Tom Campbell and David Mollica (London: Ashgate, 2009).

Vanderheiden, S. "Climate Change and the Challenge of Moral Responsibility," *Journal of Philosophical Research* (2007 special issue on "Ethics and the Life Sciences," ed. by Fred Adams): 85-92.

Vanderheiden, S. "Conservation, Foresight, and the Future Generations Problem," *Inquiry* 49, no. 4 (August 2006): 337-52.

Vanderheiden, S. "Two Shades of Green: Food and Environmental Sustainability," *Environmental Ethics* 28, no. 2 (Summer 2006): 129-45.

Vanderheiden, S. "Assessing the Case against the SUV," *Environmental Politics* 15, no. 1 (February 2006): 23-40.

Vanderheiden, S. "Eco-Terrorism or Justified Resistance? Radical Environmentalism and the 'War on Terror'," *Politics & Society* 33, no. 3 (September 2005): 425-47. Reprinted in: *Terrorism in Perspective*, ed. by Sue Mahan and Pamala Grisct (Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications, 2007).

Vanderheiden, S. "Missing the Forest for the Trees: Justice and Environmental Economics," *Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy* 8, no. 1 (March 2005): 51-69.

Vanderheiden, S. "Knowledge, Uncertainty, and Responsibility: Responding to Climate Change," *Public Affairs Quarterly* 18 (April 2004): 141-58.

Vanderheiden, S. "Justice in the Greenhouse: Climate Change and the Idea of Fairness," *Social Philosophy Today* vol. 19 (2004): 89-101.

Vanderheiden, S. "Rousseau, Cronon, and the Wilderness Idea," *Environmental Ethics* 24, no. 2 (Summer 2002): 169-88.

Vanderheiden, S. "Habitat Conservation Plans and the Promise of Deliberative Democracy," *Public Integrity* 3, no. 3 (Summer 2001): 205-20.

Vanderheiden, S. "Why the State Should Stay Out of the Wedding Chapel," *Public Affairs Quarterly* 13 (April 1999): 175-89.

Book Chapters

Vanderheiden, S. "Climate Change and Collective Responsibility," in *Compatibilist Responsibility: Beyond Free Will and Determinism*, ed. by N. Vincent, I. van de Pol and J. van den Hoven (Springer, expected 2011).

Vanderheiden, S. "Climate Change and Intergenerational Responsibility," in *For All Time*, ed. by Kathleen Dean Moore and Michael Nelson (San Antonio, TX: Trinity University Press, 2010).

Vanderheiden, S. "Introduction" and "Climate Change, Environmental Rights, and Emissions Shares," in *Political Theory and Global Climate Change* (Cambridge, MA: The MIT Press, 2008).

Vanderheiden, S. "America (The Book): Textbook Parody and Democratic Theory," in *The Daily Show and Philosophy*, ed. by Jason Holt (Malden, MA: Blackwell, 2007).

Book Reviews

Review of James Gustave Speth's *The Bridge at the End of the World: Capitalism, the Environment, and Crossing from Crisis to Sustainability*, in *Global Environmental Politics* 9, no. 3 (August 2009): 143-45.

Review of Peter Dauvergne's *The Shadows of Consumption: Consequences for the Global Environment*, in *Perspectives on Politics* 7, no. (March 2009): 223-24.

Review of Peter Oosterveer's *Global Governance of Food Production and Consumption: Issues and Challenges*, in *Global Environmental Politics* 8, no. 3 (August 2008): 143-45.

Review of *Neoliberal Environments: False Promises and Unnatural Consequences*, ed. by Heynen, McCarthy, Prudham, and Robbins, in *Environmental Ethics*, forthcoming (2008).

Review of Steven Cohen's *Understanding Environmental Policy*, in *Environmental Ethics*, forthcoming (2007).

Review of *A Political Space: Reading the Global through Clayoquot Sound*, ed. by Warren Magnusson and Karena Shaw, *Perspectives on Politics* 2, no. 2 (March 2004): 205-6.

Review of Peter Singer's *One World: The Ethics of Globalization*, in *Environmental Ethics* 26, no. 2 (Summer 2004): 209-12.

Review of Louis Pojman's *Moral Philosophy: A Reader*, in *Teaching Philosophy* 26, no. 3 (September 2003): 313-15.

Short book Reviews

Review of Dustin E. Howes' *Toward a Credible Pacifism: Violence and the Possibilities of Politics*, in *Choice* (forthcoming).

Review of David Lewis Schaefer's *Illiberal Justice: John Rawls vs. The American Political Tradition*, in *Choice* (September 2007).

Review of Donald Liddick's *Eco-terrorism: Radical Environmental and Animal Liberation Movements*, in *Choice* (April 2007).

Review of Alan Dershowitz's *Rights From Wrongs: A Secular Theory of the Origins of Rights*, in *Choice* 42 (September 2005).

Review of Robyn Eckersley's *The Green State: Rethinking Democracy and Sovereignty*, in *Choice* 42, issue 6 (February 2005): 1093.

Review of *From Liberal Values to Democratic Transition*, ed. by Ronald Dworkin, in *Choice* 41, issue 11/12 (July 2004): 2124.

Review of *Human Nature and Public Policy: An Evolutionary Approach*, ed. by Somit and Peterson, in *Choice* 41, issue 8 (April 2004): 1542.

Review of Joel Kassiola's *Explorations in Environmental Political Theory*, in *Choice* 40, issue (July/August 2003): 1980.

Review of Meir Dan-Cohen's *Harmful Thoughts: Essays on Law, Self, and Morality*, in *Choice* 40, issue (January 2003): 902.

Review of Charles W. Anderson's *A Deeper Freedom: Liberal Democracy as an Everyday Morality*, in *Choice* 39, issue (December 2002): 707.

Invited Talks

Vanderheiden, S. "Climate Justice at COP-15 and Beyond," Centre for Applied Philosophy and Public Ethics, The Australian National University, Canberra, ACT, Australia (organized by Seumas Miller), November 25, 2009.

Vanderheiden, S. "Justice and Global Climate Change," Institute for Ethics and Public Affairs, San Diego State University (organized by Darrel Moellendorf), October 26, 2009.

Vanderheiden, S. "Political Theory Perspectives on U.S. Climate Policy," testimony before the *Committee on America's Climate Choices*, National Academy of Science, August 31, 2009.

Vanderheiden, S. "Climate Change and Collective Responsibility" (keynote talk), *Moral Responsibility: Neuroscience, Organization & Engineering* conference, Centre for Ethics and Technology, TU-Delft, Netherlands, August 2009.

Vanderheiden, S. "Justice, Responsibility and Climate Change," Department of Politics and International Relations, University of Oxford (organized by Simon Caney), May 19, 2009.

Vanderheiden, S. "Justice and Global Climate Change," presented at the University of California-San Diego Political Theory Colloquium (organized by Alan Houston), La Jolla, CA, May 11, 2009.

Vanderheiden, S. "Climate Change and Environmental Rights," presented at the University of Chicago conference entitled *Does the Environment Have a Right? Critical Perspectives on Environmentalism and the Left*, May 9, 2009.

Vanderheiden, S. "Environmental Degradation as a Human Rights Issue," *Ideas Matter* lecture series, Oregon State University (organized by Kathleen Moore), Corvallis, OR, March 5, 2009.

Vanderheiden, S. "Political Theory of Global Climate Change," presented at the Stanford Humanities Workshop, Palo Alto, CA, January 8, 2009.

Vanderheiden, S. "Eco-Terrorism? Radical Environmentalism and the 'War on Terror'," Virginia Commonwealth Colloquium series, Richmond, VA, November 2004.

Recent Presentations

Vanderheiden, S. "Living Green and Living Well: Climate Change and the Low-Carbon Imaginary," to be presented at the WPSA annual meeting, San Francisco, April 2010.

Vanderheiden, S. "Climate Justice Beyond the State," presented at the International Studies Association annual meeting, New Orleans, February 2010.

Vanderheiden, S. "Citizens and Consumers: Individual Responsibility for Sustainability," presented at the *From the Local to the Global: International Sustainability Conference*, Villanova, PA, April 23-26, 2009.

Vanderheiden, S. "Challenges for a Sustainable Risk Society: The Case of Nuclear Energy," presented at the WPSA annual meeting, Vancouver BC, March 19-21, 2009.

Vanderheiden, S. "Cultivation or Conservation? Competing Imperatives for Land Use," presented at the CU-Boulder ENVS colloquium series, April 1, 2009

Vanderheiden, S. "Intergenerational Cosmopolitanism: Maintaining Justice along Two Dimensions," presented at the APT annual meeting, Middletown, CT, October 9-12, 2008.

Vanderheiden, S. "Climate Policy, National Liability, and Collective Responsibility," presented at the NASSP annual meeting, Portland, OR, July 17-19, 2008.

Vanderheiden, S. "Consuming Democracy: Purchasing the Forum at the Market," presented at the MPSA annual meeting, Chicago, April 2008.

Vanderheiden, S. "Green Consumerism: Saving the World at the Cash Register?" presented at the WPSA annual meeting, San Diego, March 2008.

Vanderheiden, S. "Justice and Global Climate Change," presented through the Center for Values and Social Policy seminar series, University of Colorado, November 9, 2007.

Vanderheiden, S. "Holding Nations Responsible: Climate Change and Collective Responsibility," presented at the "Environment, Energy, Ethics: Science and Responsibility for the 21st Century" conference, Newark, DE, September 21-23, 2007.

Vanderheiden, S. "Challenging the Privatization of Consumption," presented at the MPSA annual meeting, Chicago, April 2007.

Vanderheiden, S. "Minimizing the Role of Luck in Environmental Governance," presented at the WPSA annual meeting, Las Vegas, March 2007.

Vanderheiden, S. "Who Governs the Market? Consumer Sovereignty, Democracy, and Social Justice," presented at the APSA annual meeting, Philadelphia, September 2006.

Vanderheiden, S. "Who Governs the Market? Consumer Sovereignty, Democracy, and Social Justice," presented at the MPSA annual meeting, Chicago, April 2006.

Vanderheiden, S. "Climate Change, Environmental Rights, and Emissions Shares," presented at the WPSA annual meeting, Albuquerque, March 2006.

Vanderheiden, S. "The Normative Implications of Ecological Footprinting," presented at the APSA annual meeting, Washington DC, September 2005.

Vanderheiden, S. "Two Conceptions of Sustainability," presented at the Association for Politics and the Life Sciences annual meeting, Washington DC, September 2005.

Vanderheiden, S. "The Normative Implications of Ecological Footprinting," presented at the MPSA annual meeting, Chicago, April 2005.

Vanderheiden, S. "Climate Change and the Challenge to Moral Responsibility," presented at the APA Pacific division meeting, San Francisco, March 2005.

Vanderheiden, S. "Two Shades of Green: Food and Environmental Sustainability," presented at the WPSA annual meeting, Oakland, CA, March 2005.

APA: American Philosophical Association

APSA: American Political Science Association

APT: Association for Political Theory

MPSA: Midwest Political Science Association

NASSP: North American Society for Social Philosophy

WPSA: Western Political Science Association

Professional Service

Department service:

Assistant Director of Graduate Studies, CU Political Science, 2008-09

Sustainability Residential Academic Program liaison for CU ENV5, 2008-09

Member, Political Science Graduate Committee, CU-Boulder (2007-present)

Member and chair, search committees in UMD Philosophy, Political Science

Department representative: Library, Academic Affairs, Orientation (UMD)

Campus service:

Director, UMD Center for Ethics & Public Policy (2002-2005)

Steering Committee, UMD Center for Advocacy and Political Leadership

Advisor, UMD Socratic Society (undergraduate philosophy club)

Member, UMD Environmental Studies Program Board (2002-07)

Member, UMD Interdisciplinary Studies Committee (2004-07)

Professional service:

Editorial Board member, Public Affairs Quarterly (2005-2008)

Associate Editor, Ethics, Place & Environment (2009-present)

Senior Research Fellow, Earth Systems Governance Project (2010-present)

Panel chair, paper discussant, WPSA, MPSA, NASSP, APSA meetings

Chair, WPSA Environmental Political Theory section, 2009 annual meeting