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Interim Dean of Arts  
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## Education

1995

University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada. Ph.D. Philosophy.

Thesis: [An Inquiry into Mental Variation](#)

1990            **University of Sarajevo**, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Yugoslavia. MA,  
Philosophy. Thesis: [Speech Act Theory and Theory of Communicative Action](#).

1984            **University of Sarajevo**, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Yugoslavia. B.A.  
Philosophy and Comparative Literature.

## Awards

*Spring 2011*

*Spring 2010*

*Fall 2007*

UPEI Travel Grant

*Summer 2008*

*Summer 2006*

UPEI SIG Grant

UPEI Major Grant

<i>Summer 2005</i>	UPEI Major Grant
<i>Summer 2004</i>	UPEI Major Grant
<i>Fall 2010</i>	
<i>Spring 2007</i>	
<i>Spring 2006</i>	
<i>Spring 2005</i>	
<i>Fall 2003</i>	World University Service, Graz, Austria, <i>The Brain Gain Program</i>
<i>Summer 2003</i>	UPEI, SIG (Institutional Grant) Research Grant and Travel Grant
<i>Summer 2001</i>	UPEI SCRUG (Senate Committee on Research University Grant) Travel Grant
<i>Fall 2000</i>	UPEI Webster Foundation for Innovation (co- applicant with Dr. Malcolm Murray)
<i>Summer 2000</i>	UPEI, SCRUG (Senate Committee on Research University Grant ) Travel Grant and SSHRC- GRG
<i>Fall 1999</i>	UPEI, SCRUG Research Grant
<i>Summer 1999</i>	UPEI, SCRUG Travel Grant
<i>Summer 1998</i>	UPEI, SCRUG Travel Grant and SSHRC- GRG
<i>1993 - 1994</i>	University of Waterloo, University Graduate Office Scholarship
<i>1990 - 1994</i>	University of Waterloo Arts Scholarship
<i>1990 - 1991</i>	University of Waterloo, Department of Philosophy Scholarship

### **Professional Memberships**

[American Philosophical Association](#)

[Canadian Philosophical Association](#)

[Society for Philosophy and Technology](#)

## Teaching And Professional Experience

**Interim Dean of Arts**, University of Prince Edward Island, April 2013 - *present*  
**Associate Professor**, Department of Philosophy, University of Prince Edward Island, 2004 - *present*  
**Visiting Professor**, *Department of Philosophy, University of Belgrade, Fall 2003-present*  
**Associate Professor and Chair**, *Department of Philosophy, University of Prince Edward Island, 2003 - 2004*  
**Assistant Professor and Chair**, *Department of Philosophy, University of Prince Edward Island 1998 - 2003*  
**Assistant Professor**, *Department of Philosophy, University of Prince Edward Island 1997 - 1998*  
**Assistant Professor**, *Department of Philosophy and Religious Studies, University College of Cape Breton 1996 - 1997*  
**Part-time Faculty**, *Department of Philosophy, Wilfrid Laurier University 1995 - 1997*  
**Lecturer**, *Department of Philosophy, University of Waterloo 1994 - 1995*  
**Teaching Assistant**, *Department of Philosophy, University of Waterloo 1990 - 1994*

## Service

2011- <i>present</i>	Member of UPEI Board of Governors
2010 - <i>present</i>	Member of UPEI Senate
2010	Member of the UPEI Presidential Hiring Committee
1998-2004	Chair of The Philosophy Department
2004-2006	Member of the UPEI University Review Committee
2004-2008	Member of the UPEI Research Advisory Committee

## Academic Experience

2008-10	Member of the Board of Directors, The Canadian Philosophical Association
1997 - 1999	Member of the International Advisory Committee <i>The Belgrade Circle Journal</i> , Journal of the NGO <i>The Belgrade Circle</i> .
1991 - 1995	Assistant editor of <i>Eidos</i> , The Canadian Graduate Journal of Philosophy.
1993 - 1994	President of the Philosophy Graduate Student Association, University of Waterloo.
1987 - 1990	Executive Secretary of the Centre for Philosophical Investigations, Academy of Arts and Sciences, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Yugoslavia.

### Referee for:

*Broadview Press*, *Canadian Philosophical Association*, *Dialogue: Canadian Philosophical Review*, and *Journal of the History of Philosophy*.

## Publications

### Books:

*Critical Reflection*, (co-authored with Malcolm Murray) *McGill-Queens University Press*, Spring 2005.

*Timeless Representations* (seeking a publisher)

### Articles in Peer Refereed Journals:

"Does the A Priori Belong to Science and Technology?" *Theoria*, Volume 3, No 56, 2013, 5-14.

"Thought Experiments, Puzzles, and Paradoxes," *Philosophy Study*, Volume 3, No. 8, August 2013, 750-758.

"The Power of Abstraction: Brentano, Husserl, and the Gottingen Students," *Symposium: Canadian Journal of Continental Philosophy*, Volume 16, No. 2, 2012, 191-201.

"Immediacy and Knowledge," *Filozofski Godisnjak*, Volume 18, 2005, 46-63.

- "Automated Intentionality -- A Contradiction in Terms?" *History and Philosophy of Psychology Bulletin*, Volume 16, Number 1, 2004, 18- 26.
- "The Age of Instantaneous Representation: Some Philosophical Implications,"  
(co- authored with Mathhew Dorrell) *New Media and Society*, Volume 4, No. 4,  
2002, 540- 550.
- "On the Logic of Adjectives," *Dialogue: Canadian Philosophical Review*, Volume 40,  
Fall 2001, 803- 809.
- "Virtual Reality and Metastable Interactivity," *Ends and Means*, Volume 5, No. 1, 2001,  
25- 31.
- "The Role of Variation in Thought Experiments," *International Studies in the Philosophy  
of Science*, Volume 12, No.3,1998, 239- 243.
- "The Unabomber, the Economics of Happiness, and the End of the Millennium,"  
(co- authored with Doug Mann) *Ends and Means*, Volume 3, No.1, Autumn  
1998, 11- 20 or <http://www.abdn.ac.uk/cpts/man98.htm>
- "Reinach, Material Necessity and Free Variation," *Dialogue: Canadian Philosophical  
Review*, Volume 36, Fall 1997, 721- 739
- "The Closure of Imagination: The Poetics of Virtual Reality and the Body,"  
(co- authored with William Buschert) *Canadian Review of Comparative  
Literature*, Volume 24, June 1997, 211- 217.
- "Thought Experiments: Architecture and Economy of Thought," *Journal of the British  
Society for Phenomenology*, Vol. 26, No.1, 1995, 85- 92.
- "Instruments and the Body: Sartre and Merleau- Ponty," *Research in Phenomenology*  
Vol. 24, 1994, 206- 215.
- "Mr. Crusoe is Angry," *Grazer Philosophische Studien* Vol. 45, 1993, 65- 75.
- "Staging the Life- World: Habermas and Recuperation of Austin's Speech Act Theory,"  
*Journal for the Theory of Social Behaviour* Vol. 23, No. 1, March 1993,  
105- 116.
- "Beyond Unity of Science: Churchland and Rorty," *Dialogue(PST)* Vol. 35, No. 2/3,  
1993, 47- 51.

"How Does the Laboratory of the Mind Work?" Critical notice of James R. Brown, *The Laboratory of the Mind, Dialogue: Canadian Philosophical Review*, Vol. 32, No. 3, 1993, 573- 579.

### **Chapters in Books:**

Entry "Franz Brentano" in *Routledge Encyclopedia of Modernity* (in press)

"The Role of Mental Variation in Cognitive Science: Structured Imagination and Conceptual Combinations," [\*Proceedings of The Twentieth World Congress of Philosophy: PAIDEIA: Philosophy Educating Humanity\*](#)

"Consequences of Restructuring: Part- Time Hiring in Philosophy," (co- authored with Louis Groarke) *The Ethics of the New Economy*, Leo Groarke, editor, Wilfrid Laurier University Press, 1998, 213- 231.

### **Book Reviews:**

Review of John Bruin, **Homo Interrogans**, *Philosophy in Review*, Vol. XXII, No. 4, 254- 255.

Review of Tamar Gendler, **Thought Experiment**, *Dialogue*, Volume XLI, No. 2, 407- 409.

Review of Barry Smith, **Philosophy and Political Change in Eastern Europe**, *Dialogue*, Volume XXXVI, No.3, 1997, 648- 650.

Review of Dick McCleary, **The Logic of Imaginative Education**, *Canadian Philosophical Reviews*, Vol. XVI, No.2, April 1996, 120- 122.

Review of Roy Sorensen, **Thought Experiments**, *Canadian Philosophical Reviews*, Vol. XIV, No. 1, 1994, 47- 49.

Commissioned review of Richard Kearney, **Poetics of Imagination**, *Eidos* Vol. X, No.1, 1991, 105- 109.

### **Translations:**

Co-translator of Richard Rorty, *Philosophy and the Mirror of Nature*, into Serbo-Croatian. Rorty's book was published as: *Filozofija i Ogledalo Prirode* (Sarajevo: Veselin Maslesa, 1990).

## Conference Presentations:

"Existence and Reality," *Atlantic Region Philosophys Association*, October 5 2013, Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

"Does the A Priori Belong to Science and Technology?" *38<sup>th</sup> Annual Philosophy of Science Conference*, April 14, 2011, Inter-University Centre, Dubrovnik, Croatia.

"The Power of Abstraction: Brentano, Husserl, and the Göttingen Students *Canadian Philosophical Association*, in conjunction with the Learned Societies Conference, May 30, 2010, Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec.

"The Polarizing Essence of Technology," *The Atlantic Region Philosophy Association*, October 17 2009, Cape Breton University, Sydney, Nova Scotia.

"Brentano and Twardowski on the Objectless Presentations," *Brentano's Philosophy of Mind*, 6 May 2008, University of Laval, Quebec City, Quebec.

"Technological Determinism vs. Autonomous Technology: The Matrix," 19 January 2008, *The Fourth International Conference on Technology, Knowledge, and Society*, Northeastern University, Boston, Massachusetts.

"Performativity and Description," *Canadian Society for Aesthetics*, 33rd Annual Meeting, 30 May 2006, in conjunction with the SSHRC conference, York University, Toronto, Ontario.

"How Does the Delay in Representation Determine Immersion and Interactivity?" 14th *International Conference of the Society for Philosophy and Technology*, July 20th-22th 2005, Technische Universiteit Delft, The Netherlands.

"The Phenomenology of Photography," *Canadian Society for Aesthetics* in conjunction with the SSHRC conference, June 1, 2004, Winnipeg, Manitoba (paper delivered by Will Buschert).

"Automated Intentionality: A Contradiction in Terms?" *The Twenty First World Congress of Philosophy: Philosophy Facing World Problems*, August 11, 2003, Istanbul, Turkey.

"Tools developed to enhance the circulation of knowledge," *From Real to Virtual:*

*Boundaries, Convergence and Openings of Knowledge Networks*, workshop hosted by the University of Toronto in conjunction with the SSHRC conference, May 30 and 31, 2002, Toronto, Ontario.

"Instantaneous Representation and the Pig Itself," *12th Biennial International Conference of the Society for Philosophy and Technology*, July 9th- 11th 2001, University of Aberdeen, Scotland

"What Have We Learned from 20th Century Austrian Philosophy?" *4th International France Veber Congress*, August 19- 23, 2000 Celje, Republic of Slovenia.

"The Age of Instantaneous Representation: Some Philosophical Implications," presented at the round table "Virtual Reality and Hyperreality: Philosophical Explorations of the Meaning of High Technology," co- sponsored by the Canadian Philosophical Association and Canadian Society for Aesthetics in conjunction with the SSHRC conference, May 25, 2000, Edmonton, Alberta.

"On the Logic of Adjectives," *11th International Congress of Logic, Methodology and Philosophy of Science*, August 20, 1999, Cracow, Poland.

"Virtual Reality and Interactivity: The Falcon at the End of the Tunnel," presented at the round table "Virtual Reality Reconsidered," co- sponsored by the Canadian Philosophical Association and Canadian Society for Aesthetics in conjunction with the SSHRC conference, June 5, 1999, Sherbrooke, Quebec.

"The Role of Mental Variation in Cognitive Science: Structured Imagination and Conceptual Combinations" presented at: **The Twentieth World Congress of Philosophy: PAIDEIA: Philosophy Educating Humanity**, August 14, 1998, Boston, Massachusetts U.S.A. and **The Canadian Society for History and Philosophy of Science** in conjunction with the Learned Societies Conference, June 6, 1997, Memorial University, St.John's, NF.

"The Supremacy of Nationalism and the Liberal Politics of Identity in the Modern World," (co-authored with Doug Mann)*The Twentieth World Congress of Philosophy: PAIDEIA: Philosophy Educating Humanity*, August 14, 1998, Boston, Massachusetts U.S.A.

Organizer of the round table "Un- and Under- employment among Young Philosophers," Canadian *Philosophical Association* in conjunction with the Learned Societies Conference, June 4, 1997, Memorial University, St.John's, NF.

"Nationalism, Ethnicity, and Identity:" **Philosophy Department Colloquium Series**, November 22, 1996, Dalhousie University, Halifax. **Brown Bag Colloquium Series**, September 13, 1996, University College Cape Breton, Sydney, NS.



"The Consequences of Restructuring: Part- Time Hiring in Philosophy ," *The First Annual Laurier Conference on Business and Professional Ethics*, October 24, 1996. Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo.

"The Unabomber, the Economics of Happiness, and the End of the Millennium," (co- authored with Doug Mann)*The Ontario Philosophical Society*, October 19, 1996, Brock University, St. Catharines.

"The Role of Variation in Thought Experiments:" **Philosophy Department Colloquium Series**, January 12, 1996 University of Waterloo. **Philosophy Department Presentation**, March 14, 1996 University of Lethbridge. **The Logic and Philosophy of Science Talk Series**, April 4, 1996 Department of Philosophy, University of Toronto.

"Two Faces of Variation in Philosophy," *Contemporary European Philosophy: Traditions and Transitions*, September 29, 1995, The American University in Bulgaria, Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria.

"Virtual Reality, Imagination and the Body: Sartre and Merleau-Ponty, "*Convergences and Transformations*, April 30, 1995, McGill University, Montreal (co-authored with William Buschert).

"Propositions and Possible Worlds: Uneasy Bedfellows," *Canadian Philosophical Association*, in conjunction with the Learned Societies Conference, June 8, 1994, University of Calgary, Calgary.

"Thought Experiments: Architecture and Economy of Thought," *Canadian Society for History and Philosophy of Science*, in conjunction with the Learned Societies Conference, June 3, 1993, Carleton University, Ottawa.

"The Closure of Imagination: The Poetics of Virtual Reality and the Body," (co-authored with William Buschert) *Canadian Comparative Literature Association*, in conjunction with the Learned Societies Conference, May 30, 1993, Carleton University, Ottawa.

"Staging the Life-World: Habermas and the Recuperation of Austin's Speech Act Theory." *Canadian Philosophical Association*, in conjunction with the Learned Societies Conference, May 30 1993, Carleton University, Ottawa.

"Instruments and the Body: Sartre and Merleau-Ponty," *Sartre Society*, in conjunction with the Learned Societies Conference, May 26, 1992, University of Prince Edward Island, Charlottetown.