

RENA BEATRICE GOLDSTEIN

Curriculum vitae

University of California Irvine
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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Philosophy, University of California, Irvine	expected, 2022
M.A., Philosophy, California State University, Los Angeles, <i>with honors</i>	2016
M.A., Education, California State University, Los Angeles, <i>with honors</i>	2015
B.A., Philosophy and Humanities, University of Colorado at Boulder	2011

AREAS OF RESEARCH SPECIALIZATION

Social and Applied Epistemology

AREAS OF COMPETENCE

Medical Epistemology; Feminist Epistemology; Virtue Epistemology; Philosophy of Education;
Critical Thinking; Writing Instruction

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES

“Epistemic Disadvantage.” *Philosophia*, January 6, 2022.

<https://doi.org/10.1007/s11406-021-00465-w>.

“Doctoral writing workshops: A pre-registered, randomized controlled trial,” Sarnecka, Silva, Vickers, Coon, Goldstein, & Rouder (*Innovative Higher Education*. Preprint DOI: [10.35542/osf.io/b37eh](https://doi.org/10.35542/osf.io/b37eh))

“You are Only as Good as You are Behind Closed Doors,” in *Precollege Philosophy and Public Practice*, vol. 2, no. 1 (2020). DOI: [10.5840/p42020348](https://doi.org/10.5840/p42020348).

EDITED VOLUMES

“Reconceptualizing Civic Competence in the Digital Age,” edited volume with Nancy Snow and Maria Silvia Vaccarezza (Routledge 2021).

BOOK REVIEWS

Patriotic Education in a Global Age by Randall Curren & Charles Dorn, in *Educational Theory*, vol. 69, no. 5 (2019). <https://doi.org/10.1111/edth.12393>.

IN PROGRESS

“The Aim to Transmit Knowledge: a commitment to epistemic uniformity” (under review)

“Distinguishing Two Epistemic Frameworks: Comparing Quine to Wittgenstein” (in progress)

“Narrowing the Philosophy Gender Gap by Building Skills and Community,” co-authored with Darby Vickers, Philosopher (in progress)

“Equity in the School of Physical Sciences at UCI,” co-authored with Dr. Mu-Chun Chen, Physics and Astronomy (in progress)

PRESENTATIONS

“Narrowing the Philosophy Gender Gap by Building Skills and Community.” American Philosophical Association Central Division, Chicago, Illinois, February 2022.

“Charting the Depths of Waters, Heights of Land: a topographical picture of two systems (Wittgenstein and Quine).” International Ludwig Wittgenstein Symposium, Online, Zagreb, Croatia, December 2021.

“Narrowing the Philosophy Gender Gap by Building Skills and Community.” North American Association for Philosophy & Education, Mundelein, Illinois, October 2021.

“Responsibility and Luck” A Socially Distant Value Theory Conference, Online, June 2020

“Civic Virtue Curriculum” 2020 Philosophy, Politics, and Economics Society Meeting, New Orleans, March 2020. [Cancelled due to COVID-19]

“The Curare Case and Testimonial Injustice.” Feminist-Pragmatist Colloquium 2019: Looking Back to Move Forward, Rochester, NY, November 2019.

“The Curare Case and Testimonial Injustice.” Feminist Salon, Los Angeles, CA, October 2019.

“Unification of Epistemic Virtues.” Virtues, Media, and Democracy, Genoa, Italy, September 2019.

“Overcoming Suffering: Nietzsche and the Virtues.” Suffering and Virtue, Michael S. Brady, UC Irvine, September 2019.

“Civic Intelligence as an Epistemic Virtue.” Philosophy in Schools and the Public Realm: A Research Workshop. Association for Practical and Professional Ethics, the Janet Prindle Institute for Ethics, and the Philosophy Learning and Teaching Organization, May 2019.

Commentator: “Social Location as Justification: Examining the Socially Marginalized’s Claim to Epistemic Advantage” by Lidal Dror. The 2019 Bay Area Feminism and Philosophy (BayFAP) Workshop, University of San Francisco, May 2019.

“Novice in an Expert’s World: Epistemic Exclusion in the Medical Field.” Stanford-Berkeley-Davis Conference, University of California, Berkeley, May 2019.

Commentator: *Patriotic Education in a Global Age* by Randall Curren & Charles Dorn. Philosophy of Education Society, Richmond, Virginia, March 2019.

“Epistemic Uniformity.” The 2019 Philosophy, Politics, and Economics Society Meeting, New Orleans, March 2019.

“An Underlying Aim, an Underlying Problem: the Commitment to Epistemic Uniformity.” North American Association for Philosophy and Education Conference, University of St. Mary of the Lake, Mundelein, IL., October 2018.

“Epistemic Uniformity.” AGS Graduate Research Symposium, Irvine, CA, March 2018.

Respondent, “Omissions, the Act Requirement, and Criminal Liability.” Stanford-Berkeley-Davis Conference, Stanford University, California, May 2018.

“The Problem of Contingency in Testimonial Exchanges.” Northwest Philosophy Conference, Gonzaga University, Spokane W.A., October 2016.

“The Problem of Contingency.” Significations Conference, California State University, Los Angeles, California, May 2016.

“Exercise As Process: You can’t win for losing.” SoCal Philosophy Conference, San Diego State University, California, October 2015.

“Can You Help Me with This?: Decoding What Students Really Mean.” Southern California Writing Centers Association, San Diego State University, California, February 2015.

“Individualism, Neoliberalism, and Writing Centers.” SUNY Cow Conference on Writing, Syracuse, New York, September 2014; accepted paper, 2014 IWCA-NCPTW Writing Conference, Orlando, Florida, October 2014.

RESEARCH POSITIONS

Graduate Student Research Assistant, *Anna Boncompagni*

Winter 2021

assisting with organization and logistics for the conference
"Identities and Epistemic Injustice"

Graduate Student Researcher, <i>School of Physical Sciences</i>	2020-2021
Anteater Virtues, <i>Professor Duncan Pritchard</i>	2018-Present
Sarnecka Writing Lab, <i>Professor Barbara Sarnecka</i>	Summer 2019

FELLOWSHIPS and GRANTS

Kavka Endowed Prize, <i>University of California, Irvine</i>	2019
George Kabango Memorial Fellowship, <i>North American Association for Philosophy & Education</i>	2018
UC Irvine Diversity Recruitment Fellowship	2017
Sephardic Temple Tifereth Israel Scholarship	2014- 2016
Graduate Equity Fellowship, <i>California State University, Los Angeles</i>	2014- 2016
CCOE Endowed Fellowship, <i>Charter College of Education</i>	2015- 2017

AWARDS and HONORS

Svetlana Bershadsky Graduate Student Community Award <i>recognizes an outstanding graduate student advocate and leader who has, under their own direction, committed their time and dedication to improving graduate student life at UCI.</i>	2020-2021
George Kabango Memorial Fellowship	2018
Graduate Student/Faculty Mentor for Exceptional Scholarship, CSULA	2015-2017
Conference on World Affairs (CWA) Athenaeum Fellow, UCB	2010-2011

CERTIFICATES

Inclusive Excellence Certificate
Humanities Pedagogical Certificate, UCI, 2018
Course Design, UCI, 2018
Canvas Certificate, California State University, Dominguez Hills, 2017

LECTURER POSITIONS

University of California, Irvine <i>Anteater Virtues</i>	Fall 2020
University of California Irvine, Lecturer <i>Medical Epistemology</i>	Summer 2020
University of Philosophical Research, Los Angeles <i>PHI 302 – Foundations of Greek Philosophy</i>	Winter 2019
California State University, Dominguez Hills, Adjunct Professor of Philosophy <i>Critical Thinking</i>	2017
Los Angeles City College, Adjunct Professor of Philosophy <i>Introduction to the Philosophy</i>	2016
California State University, Los Angeles, Instructor	2015

First-Year Writing
California State University, Los Angeles, Facilitator
English 100 2014-2016

TEACHING-ASSISTANTSHIPS, UCI Philosophy Department

<i>Introduction to Ethics</i> , D. Pritchard	Sum. 2020
<i>Puzzles and Paradoxes</i> , J. Fensel	S. 2020
<i>Introduction to Law and Society</i> , J. Helmrich	W. 2020
<i>Introduction to Philosophy</i> , D. Pritchard	Sum., F. 2019
<i>Introduction to Knowledge</i> , A. Coliva	W. 2019
<i>Puzzles and Paradoxes</i> , K. Banick	F. 2018
<i>Nicomachean Ethics</i> , E. Bencivenga	Sum. 2018

TEACHING-ASSISTANTSHIPS, UCI Education Department

Children, Schools, and the Cinema, E. Greeban S. 2019

COMMITTEES

North American Association for Philosophy and Education Program Committee 2019

Ph.D. SERVICE, UCI

“Th!nk!” Coordinator, 2019-present
Graduate Liaison Network, School of Humanities, Representative 2019-2020
“Th!nk!” instructor (teaching philosophy to 5th graders) 2017-present
Graduate Student Representative, Philosophy Department, 2018-2019
Associated Graduate Student Representative, School of Humanities, 2018-2019

LANGUAGES

American Sign language (speaking); French (reading); Hebrew (reading); Spanish (speaking, reading, writing)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Public Philosophy Network (since 2019)
Philosophy of Education Society of North America (since 2018)
Friends of the SEP Society (since 2018)
Philosophy, Politics, and Economics Society (since 2017)
Minorities in Philosophy (MAP) (since 2017)
American Philosophical Association (since 2011)